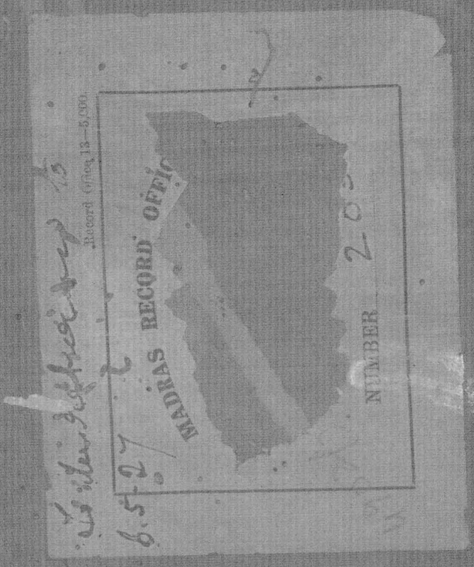

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From the Secy to Government

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Extract from the Minutes of Consult dated 17th August 1820.

From Board 10th August

The Government grant an Authority for the issue of a lease to Brigadier J. W. Cleveland for the land measuring Candies 2-23-789 situated within the Cantonment of Colaccamund on the Nilgherries at the rates of assessment payable by the Register of Government Grants.

Signed E. B. Thompson
Secy to Government

Ordered to be Communicated

Order thereon

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for the information and guidance of the Collector of Madras and Register of Government grants with reference to his letter dated 21st July last.

Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 10th August 1820.

From the Secy to Government

Authorizing Mr. Fenning to act as an agent for the purchase of Cotton.

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Read again letter from Messrs. Fenning Cotton Planters at Tinnevelly dated 16th April and recorded in Consultation 12th May 1820.

Read also the following Paper

From Messrs. Fenning Cotton Planters at Tinnevelly

Have written to 22d

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of the 16th April last His Lordship in Council authorizes Mr. Finnie to act as an Agent for the purchase of Cotton. This authority is now conceded with the view of giving Mr. Finnie the utmost practicable advantage in Carrying on his experiment and His Lordship in Council trusts it will be the means of augmenting his influence amongst the Cotton growers. Mr. Finnie is an experimental one, and his powers as an Agent are to be Confined to Cotton ginned and prepared on the American principle. as it is obvious, that the object the Government have in view can be attained only by extending the Market for Cotton of a superior quality and prepared in a superior manner.

4 His Lordship in Council also resolves to instruct the acting Collector of Tinnevelly to Communicate to Government his views after a sufficient period for the trial of the experi-

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generally restricted to the life of the present incumbents without causing any Hardship.

He will also furnish the explanation called for on Item No 71. It appears from his letter dated 13th July last No 76 that the incumbent of this Yeomiah Hufsean Khan is dead. He will therefore report whether this Yeomiah should not now revert to Government.

From the Secretary to Government Communicating Observations and Orders of the Board of Revenue relative to the Settlement of the Land Revenue of the District of Tinnevelly for Fusly 1256

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 11th August 1846.

Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue. Relative to the Settlement of Land Revenue for the District of Tinnevelly for Fusly 1256 A.D. 1846/47.

Here enter 29 June 1846 No 322.

Para 1. From the Report furnished by the Board of Revenue in the foregoing Proceedings and by the Revenue Officers of Tinnevelly it appears that the season of Fusly 1254, was with some partial exceptions unfavorable for both the early and latter wet Crops, as well as for the Dry Crops in that District.

2. In the purely wet Cultivation of the settled Villages the decrease below Fusly 1253, amounted to seed Cottahs 6882, but in that converted from Punjah and in Vampyre Lands assessed at Punjah rates there was an

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Details of the present incumbents.

No. 71 Nulsain Shaw Rs. 87-12-— 8 Will be considered
attendant at the anchor
chaney at Guntoor. —— the further information required
by the Board is submitted to Government. The Collec-
tor will also state whether the amount paid to this
individual in Fusly 1252 is the fixed annual
allowance. ——

No. 75 Oil for Lamps in the Mosque 9. The annual payment
of Timmercottah Rs. 43-8-— of Rupees 43-8——— m
per annum.

this account is sanctioned.

To The President and Members / A true Extract /
of the
Board of Revenue. / Signed C. P. Thompson
Secretary to Govt.

Resolution thereon.

Resolved that a Copy of the
5-6 foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
and of the remarks of the Board to which it refers
be transmitted for the information and gui-
dance of the Collector of Guntoor with reference to
his letter dated 13th May last.

Mr. Stokes attention is requested
to Para 2. He will be pleased to state his opi-
whether as far as the records of his Office en
to judge the Government are in any way pled
the renewal of the Guntoor Salt Purchases
and if not whether the compensation granted
the privilege of manufacturing Salt in as

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

Sir

Para 1. I am directed by the Hont
Able the Governor in Council to submit for the
favorable consideration of the Government of
India. Copy of a letter from the Board of Re
respecting certain Choultries on the great Western
road in the Chingleput District founded b
the late Veeraperma Pillay between 60 and
years ago.

dated 4 May 26
No 228.
with 11 Original
Enclosures.

2. These Buildings cost the sum
of 40000 Rupees which was disbursed from t
private fortune of the Founder and for their
support the Village of Tummanoor was conferre
on Enam tenure by the late Mahomedan Gov
ment but resumed on the death of the adopted
of the Original grantee in 1823, from the circu
of the Grant having been restricted by the t
of the then incumbent on the accession of the
to the British Government.

3. A descendant of the Foun
named Appasawmy Pillay has it is represent
at a personal expenditure of 7000 Rupees co
and repaired these buildings and renders
the ac- -ration of all th-

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No Diary

At a Meeting Present

Monday 24 August 1846 } G. D. Drury Esqr Senior Member.

A Maclean Esqr Acting Second Member.

Walter Elliot Esqr Third Member

and

J. Goldingham Esqr Offg Member.

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved. —

(1) Read the following Estimate.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 7th August 1846.

Read the following Letter.

To E. P. Thompson Esqr

Secretary to Government

Fort St George

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 635 dated the 29th Ultimo with Enclosures and in reply to state that under the circumstances therein represented the President in Council sanctions as a special case, the Village of Sholavalemungalum in the District of Chingleput being annexed to the Peiseswary Pillai for the support of the Choultry at that Place the terms and Conditions proposed by the Board of Revenue at the

the Original Enclosures of your letter was ret

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of Sholavalemungalum now recommended to be for [illegible] lites appropriated for that purpose, is only Rupees 4. 2. per annum, which will be further reduced [illegible]ing to Rupees 200 by the proposed Rate of Rupees 94-4-2. His Lordship in Council agrees with the Board of Revenue that from the magnitude and importance of the Building in question, a greater degree of encouragement is called for than is provided by the Ordinary rules, and He accordingly recommends that as a special case the Village abovementioned be conferred on the terms and conditions proposed by the Board of Revenue. —

Fort St George 29th June 1846. } (Signed) E. P. Thompson Secretary to Govt

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

(Signed) E. P. Thompson Secy to Govt

Resolution thereon. Resolved that a Copy of the foregoing order of Government and of the papers to which it relates, with Copy of the Board's letter to Government dated 4th May 1846, be transmitted for the information and guidance of the Collector

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classes of people frequenting the great thoroughfare of the Western road and at whose expense likewise it is stated the annual Charges on account of the institution amounting to Rupees 300 per Annum becomes expences for repairs &c Estimated at Rupees 126, are defrayed —

Adverting to the high public utility of the Choultry at Shelvalemungalum and the great extent of accommodation afforded to all classes of the public which will be apparent to the Government of India on an inspection of the papers now submitted, the Board of Revenue recommend that the Institution be treated differently from those coming under the ordinary Rules which they observe are not applicable in the present instance and that as a special case the Village of Shelvalemungalum be made over conditionally to P. Appasawmy Pillay subject to such an amount of tax as will leave a surplus revenue of Rupees 200 per annum for the support of the Choultry exclusively. ——————

5. The Government of India will observe that the Village of Tummanoor which was formerly assigned for the support of these buildings yielded an average revenue of Rs 1168-13-11 per Annum whereas the revenue of the Vill

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Order thereon.

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Ordered that the communication was furnished for the information and guidance of the Collector of Tanjore —

Extract from the Minutes of Consultations under date the 10th August 1846.

Read the following letter from the Board of Revenue —

From the Secy to Government Communicating orders on a statement of yemiah and Charitable allowances payable in the district of Guntoor

Submitting a statement from the Collector of Guntoor containing the explanation called for by Government relative to the payment of certain yeomiahs and Charitable allowances retrenched by the Civil Auditor for fusly 1252 with the remarks of the Board entered in the proper Column —

(Here enter 18th June 1846 Rs 309)

The Most Noble the Governor in Council proceeds to consider the information furnished by the Collector of Guntoor and to pass orders on the several cases entered in the Statement which accompanied the foregoing letter

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Paid in fusly 1252

Mny C Appalacharlu Rs 16-3-5.

Salt Rossom

† Chevanumtah Civil Original Superintendent of Guntoor dated 1831

1. Paragraph 1 —

2. The Salt Rossom enjoyed by this individual as the year 1826 appears to have been continued to him the death of his father under the authority of the Board of Revenue. With reference to the opinion expressed by the Governm

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Collector of Chingleput, with reference to the correspondence noted in the Margin.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 7th August 1846.

Read the following paper.

From the Secretary to the Government of India.

In reply to letter dated 6th March with Enclosures states that in consideration of the Extra duties of the Collector and Magistrate of Tanjore sanction is granted for the employment of a Special Assistant Collector on the pay of a Head Assistant to aid that Officer involving an additional expense of Rupees 208-5-4.

(There enter 27th June 1846. No. 4085.)

DISAPPROVED

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Resolved that the Appointment of Mr. P. Grant to the Special Assistant to the Collector and Magistrate of Tanjore as proposed in the Minutes of the Most Noble the President be noted and noticed in the Official Gazette.

Mr. Grant will be allowed to draw the salary of a Head Assistant as authorized in the letter from the Secretary to the Government of India dated June 1846. No. 408.

To the President & Members of the Board of Revenue.

(A true Extract)
(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secy. to Govt.

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Chuttrum funds the public demand was further enhanced to Rupees 2108534-15-9 and exhibits the

	As			
Fasly 1253	2017627	14	4	on comparison with the preceding
1254	2108534	15	9	year an increase of Rupees
	90927	1	5	90927-1-5.

6. The amount realized within the fasly on account of the last mentioned demand was Rupees 2081786-6-9, leaving an uncollected balance at its close of Rupees 26768-9- which has since been reduced to Rupees 3296-7-10.

7. Agreeably to the recommendation contained in paras 27 and 28 of the above Proceedings the Government Grant authority for writing off in the accounts of the Tinnevelly Districts the Balances of Land revenue and Tuccavy reported to be irrecoverable, amounting as detailed underneath, to Rupees Two thousand three hundred and Seventy Four annas Ten, and Pice Eleven.—

Land Revenue balance of Fasly 1254	Rupees	237-5-7
Tuccavy balances from Fasly 1214 to 1242		2137-5-4
	Rupees	2374-10-11

(A true Extract)
(Signed) C. P. Thompson
Secretary to Government

Resolved that a Copy of foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation be transmitted for the information and guidance of the Acting Collector of Tinnevelly with reference to the Board's Proceedings dated 1st instant.

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an increase of 2580 Seed Cotahs - Including the wet lands of the settled Villages, the Cultivation of fusly 1254 amounted to Seed Cotahs - 109986-13-6
of fusly 1253 - - - - - - - - - - - - 114292-3-5/8
being a decrease below fusly 1253 of - - 4305-10-7/8

3. In Dry lands the extent of Cultivation in Fusly 1254 was Chains - 146077 5/16
1253 - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 147519-15/64
being below fusly 1253 in Chains - - - - - 1441-5/64

4. Notwithstanding this demination in the extent of Cultivation generally, the high prices, which from peculiar circumstances, as explained by the Collector, prevailed in the District, and the rates at which the Government demands were regulated under the Woolungoo System, being 15 3/8 per Cent above fusly 1253, led to a considerable enhancement of the public revenue, and it is satisfactory to observe that in the items appertaining to the land alone, after making liberal allowances for Drought and short produce, the

	Rs		
Fusly 1253	1620064	7	2
1252	1712073	3	-
	92005	11	10

was yet an increase to the extent of Rupees 92005. 11-10.

5. The total Net Settlement of all sources of Land revenue, including Peishcush on Jaut rent on Shrotriem Villages, Will rent &c - ed to Rupees 20312240-15-9 being in excess of 1253 by Rupees 89657-3-4. Inclu

	Rs		
Fusly 1253	199153	12	9
1252	203124	15	9

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Fusly 1253 - 2188372-15-10
1254 - 2220060-5-3
Increase - 31687-5-5

on Polepts amounted to Rupees 2220060-5 showing in a Comparison with fusly 1253 an increase Rupees 31687-5-5 and with the average of the 10 preceding years an increment of the revenue to the amount of Rupees 202367-5-10 a result which is further to have been obtained without recourse in any instance to the measures of distraint of property or imprisonment

5. Of the foregoing Demand the Collections within the year amounted to Rupees 2212744-14-8 and the balance of Rupees 7315-6-7 was reduced by Subsequent recoveries to Rupees 2317-11-8 and the Government fully concur with the Board in considering this result very satisfactory.

6. The Government grant authority for writing off in the accounts of the Coimbatore District the amount of advances for Cultivation on account of different Fushes since 1225 reported to be irrecoverable, amounting to Rupees (701-14-9) seven hundred and one Annas fourteen and Pice Nine.

7. The Government see nothing to add to the observations and instructions recorded by the Board of Revenue on the other matters of revenue embraced in the Principal Collectors report, beyond regarding them as appropriate.

Para 4-6-11
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To The President and Members of the Board of Revenue

(A true Extract)
(Signed) C. S. Thompson
Secretary to Govt.
Revenue

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 14th August 1846.

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

Relative to the Settlement of the Land Revenue in the District of Coimbatore for fusly 1254.

(Here enter 2nd July 1846 No 327)

The season of fusly 1254 is described by Para 1. the Principal Collector of Coimbatore in the Report which accompanied the above proceedings to have been an average one and from the results apparent, there is reason to believe that it was rather more favorable than other-

wise.—

Increase in Dry land Cultivation Rs 20885-3-11
Ditto Garden & wet 7167-13-5
Total 28053-1-5

2. The Cultivation of Dry lands is considerably beyond that of the fusly preceding, as appears by the difference in the amount of assessment being Rupees 20885-3-11 in favor of fusly 1254- In Garden and wet Cultivation there was an increase, somewhat limited- The Tobacco Crop is represented to have been injured by heavy rains, but the Cotton Crop to have proved an average one.—

3. The prices of the principal articles of produce were nearly 20 per Cent above the rates prevailing in fusly 1253 and were of advantage to the Cultivators.—

4. The Settlement of the Land Revenue for fusly 1254 exclusive of the Pro-ceeds of sales

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Resolution thereon- Resolved that a copy of the foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation be transmitted for the information and guidance of the Principal Collector of Coimbatore with reference to the Board's Proceedings dated 2nd July 1846.—

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Read the following resolution-

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 15th August 1846

(From Board 3d August)

From the Secretary to Government- The Government sanction the continuance of the Service Inamem referred to in the foregoing letter to Soob Ummaul, widow of the last registered incumbent.—

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(Signed) C. P. Thompson
Secretary to Government

Resolution thereon- 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 Principal Collector of Madura with reference to his letter dated 10th June last.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
dated 16 August 1846.
(From Board 16 August)

Secretary to Government- Before sanctioning these
charges, the Government desire to be informed of
the result of the suits on account of which they were
incurred - This information should have been
supplied in the Column of remarks left open in the
Statement -

The Board will be pleased to
instruct the Collector to submit similar charges
in future in the annual Statements of extra charges
agreeably to the practice observed in other Dis-
tricts, and thus obviate the necessity of a separate
reference on this account -

(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secretary to Govt -

Resolution thereon - Resolved that a Copy of the

13-14 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 Masulipatam with reference to his Letter dated 7th
July last -

Mr. Porter will be pleased
to furnish the information required in Para 1.
for which purpose the Statement which accompanied
his letter is herewith returned - He will also carefully
attend to the rules conveyed in Para 2 -

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to purchase, and he will especially ascer-
tain and report whether it has enabled
the ryot to obtain a better price for his
Cotton and led to an increased growth
of a superior article -

Ordered that a Copy of
the above Resolution be forwarded to
Mr. Finnie and to Dr. Wight and
that an Extract of paras 3 and 4 be
transmitted to the Board of Reve-
nue for Communication to the Acting
Collector of Tinnevelly -

(A true Extract)
(Signed) Bd. G. Clarke
Dy. Secy to Government

Ordered to be Communi-
cated for the information and guidan
of the acting Collector of Tinnevelly -

Order thereon -

From the Dy. Secy to Government

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Extract Minutes Consultation
dated 12th August 1846 -

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

Explaining the Board's
Proceedings regarding the case
of Veeta Lutchmiah late (Here enter 27 & 28
Tahsildar in the Guntoor
District -

Para 1 The Government are Convinced

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considers the Board's explana-
tion to be satisfactory so far
as it has reference to the transaction
noticed in para 4 of their letter.

2 It is to be regretted
that, in reporting his proceedings
on the grave charge preferred
against Vitela Lutchmia, of exact-
ing Money from the Salt Manu-
facturers of Sunna Ganjam, the
then Collector of Guntoor did not
strengthen his Connection of that
individual's guilt by a reference
to his previous acts of misconduct
as such reference might probably
have led the Board to form a
different estimate of Vitela Lutch-
mia's Character.—

(Signed) B. G. Clarke
Dy. Secretary to Govt.

der thereon. Ordered to be recorded.—

Read

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Read the following letter—

To J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the Board of Revenue

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Sir,

Fort St. George

From the Collr and agent in Ganjam to the Govern on Report on the question as to the succession to the Boards Singhee Zemindary and recommends that the Estate be made over to Latchmee Pattamal Dora the Principal wife of Peter Boar if found with the surplus funds which are in deposit

Para 1 On looking into the affairs of the Boards Zemindary I observe that the question as to the succession has not yet been settled and that the Board of Revenue have desired to be informed whether under the Custom prevailing in this family and generally among the class to whom Gouna Chundra Nishenk belongs he may be regarded as the nearest heir to the Estate also whether the apprehensions entertained by the guardians of the Zemindar are well founded—

2. Beg to remark that the course of succession to the ancient Hill Zemindaries in Ganjam has always been somewhat arbitrary and dependent on Circumstances rather than Governed by strict rules of lineal descent under the native Government which preceded and during the early years of the Company's rule in these districts, the member of the family who possessed the

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Considers the Board's explana-
tion to be satisfactory so far
as it has reference to the transaction
noticed in para 4 of their letter.

2 It is to be regretted
that, in reporting his proceedings
on the grave charge preferred
against Vitcha Latchmia, of extort-
ing Money from the Salt Manu-
facturers of Chinna Ganjam, the
then Collector did not
strengthen his conviction of that
individual's guilt by a reference
to his previous acts of misconduct
as such reference might probably
have led the Board to form a
different estimate of Vitcha Latch-
mia's character.

(Signed) B. G. Clarke
Dy. Secretary to Govt.

Order thereon. Ordered to be recorded.

Read

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Read the following letter from the Collr and agent to the Governor in Ganjam, Paral dated 10th instant.

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

Sir,

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From the Collr and agent to the Governor in Ganjam, Paral dated 10th instant.

Reports on the question as to the succession to the Boad Singhee Zemindary, and recommends that the Estate be made over to Latchmia Puttamah from the Principal wife of Ratna Saraph with the surplus funds which are in deposit.

On looking into the affairs of the Boad Singhee Zemindary, I observe that the question as to the succession has not yet been settled and that the Board of Revenue have desired to be informed whether under the Customs prevailing in this family and generally among the class to whom Gouna Chundra Nishumb belongs he may be regarded as the nearest heir to the Estate, also whether the apprehensions entertained by the raiders of the zemindar are well founded.

2. Beg to remark that the Course of succession to the ancient Stalls and Zemindaries in Ganjam has always been somewhat arbitrary and dependent on Circumstances rather than governed by strict rules of lineal descent under the native Government which preceded and during the early years of the Company's rule in these districts the senior member of the family who professed the

the greatest influence or power in the Country and could make the most satisfactory arrangements for the discharge of the Peishcush was generally recognised as the Zemindar by the ruling power without any rigid attention to the claims of Consanguinity or regard to legitimacy, and the Hindoo law of succession has not been held to be absolutely binding in the families of the Rajahs of Orissa.—

From the Collr 26th March 1839.

Board's Proceedings 6th June.

3 The last Zemindar of Boudasingheé on whom the Estate had devolved in a direct course of lineal descent was Peetambara Nishunk who died in the beginning of 1838 without issue, leaving three widows by one of whom he had a daughter. In Compliance with the wishes of the widows, and on their nomination Gopeenath Deo a Cousin of Peetambara Nishunk was accordingly recognised as the Zemindar. He also died without issue in the year 1843 in reporting which event Mr. Anstruther mentioned his Brother Goura Chundra Deo as his next heir, but at the same time proposed the Principal Widow should be placed in charge of the Zemindary to which recommendation the Board, under the impression that Goura Chundra Nishunk is indeed the legal heir

From the Agt Wn 19th Oct 1844.

to

to the Estate did not accede. I beg to submit my opinion that according to the usual course of succession generally recognised in the families of the Uriah Rajahs on the decease of Peetambara Nishunk his widows are the parties entitled to succeed to the Zemindary to which Gopeenath Deo can have no claim whatever in his own right as the nearest heir his title being solely founded on the nomination by and consent of the widows to his succession to the Zemindary and I conceive that his brother in virtue of a Collateral relationship to Peetambara Deo can have no claim whatever to the prejudice of the widows and surviving daughter of the latter. It would have been more desirable if Gopeenath had succeeded, and I have endeavoured to bring about such an arrangement between the parties interested, but the Repugnance of the widows to Gopeenath Nishunk in Consequence of his unprofessed Conduct towards them, is such as to preclude any prospect of this reconciliation.

4 I would recommend therefore that the Zemindary may be made over to Lutchmun Putta Maha Deo the principal wife who offered to give security for the punctual discharge of the Government Peishcush, and I have no doubt that with the assistance of her brother, the Zemindar of Mundasa, the adjoining Estate, will be able to manage the Country in a satis-

manner should it however appear hereafter that she is not competent to the task or from any other cause it become desirable the Estate can be again taken charge of and an arrangement made for the support of the ladies. I beg to add that the Peishcush for the Current fusly has been received in full, and that surplus funds amounting to Rupees 1244-13-8 are in deposit which I think should be paid over to the Putah Maha Devee for the benefit of the parties entitled to partition.

Gunjam District
Collectors and Agents office
Chittoor 8th July 1846

Signed J. B. A. Bannerman
Collector and Agent to the Govt.

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

To the Chief Secretary to
Government

Sir,

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Para 1 I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward for the orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying

To the Collr of Gunjam dated 26th March 1839 in Cons. 29th April 1839.
To Collr 29th April "
From Collr 24th May in Cons. 6th June "
Proceedings 6th June "
From Collr 19th September in Cons. 3d October 1844.
To Collr 17th October "
From Collr 8th November in Cons. 18th December "
Proceedings 18th December "
From Collr 9th July in Cons. 24th August 1846.
Rupees 600—

To the Board Estate in that district and recommending that the Collr's suggestion that the Zemindary may be made over to the widow Lutchmee Putta Maha Devee may receive the sanction of Govt.

From this it will be seen that Peishcush Zemindary of Bodarsingy died on the 26th January 1839 leaving three widows and a daughter by one of them. At the request of the widows Gopenad Deo eldest son of the paternal uncle of the deceased Zemindar was recognized as his successor and held the Estate until he died in March 1843 he left a widow and a brother Gouri Chunder Deo but no issue.

From Collr to Board 26th March in Cons. 29th April 1839.
Board's Rec. 6th June 1839.

From Ag. Collr 19th Septr in Cons. 3d October 1844.

3. The three widows of Pattamhara Zemindar and the widow of Gopenad Deo are on the worst terms with Gouri Chunder Deo whom they profess to entertain the strongest suspicion and who has been stated by late Actg Collector Mr. Anderson to be a person not fit to be entrusted

From Ag. Collr 8th Novr in Cons. 18th Decr 1844. P 13.

accompanying Correspondence which has passed between this office and the authorities of Ganjam on the succession to the Bodarsingy Estate a small hill Zemindary in the Ganjam District bearing a Peishcush of

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with the care of the Estate. It further appears from the Statement of the Collector Mr. Bannerman to whom the Board have referred for information upon the point that the Course of succession to the ancient Hill Zemindaries in Ganjam has always been somewhat arbitrary and that the Hindoo law has not been held to be absolutely binding according to the usual order of succession generally recognized in the families of the other Rajahs on the decease of Pettumbara Nishunka his widows the Collector states were the parties entitled to succeed to the Zemindary and this was not denied by Gopeenaud Deo himself who never asserted any claims of his own right to the Zemindary his title being solely founded on the nomination by and Consent of the widows to his succession. His brother Goura Chunder Deo can now therefore have no claim in his own right, and the title must revert to the widows and as there is no hopes of Reconciliation between these females and Goura Chunder Deo the Collector recommends that the Zemindary may be made over to Lutchmee Pettu Maha Dance the principal widow who has offered to give security for the punctual discharge of the Government Peishcush, and

who

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who there seems to be little doubt will with the assistance of her brother the Zemindar of the adjoining Estate of Mundasa be able to manage the Country in a satisfactory manner. The Current Peishcush has been paid in full and there is a surplus to the credit of the Estate of Rupees 17446-13-8 which it is proposed to pay over to Pettu Maha Dance for the benefit of the parties entitled to share in it.

4 The Board beg to recommend that the measures suggested by the Collector may receive the sanction of Government.

It will be observed from Mr. Bannerman's letter of 24th May 1839 that the Country is so poor and the revenue so inconsiderable that it could not bear the expence of an Establishment to manage it if taken in charge by the Court of Wards on behalf of the female proprietor.

In Con. 16th June 1839

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
24th August 1846

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

Read

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Read the following Letter

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

Sir,

(23)

From the Collector of Ganjam — Suggesting the reduction that can be made in Establishments equal to the amount of the proposed increase in the salaries of Cash Keepers and reports the amount of Security required of the Cash Keepers

I have had the honor to receive the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 13th Instant by which I am desired to state whether any reductions can be made in other Departments of this office in Compensation of the increased expence which would be occasioned by raising the salaries of the Cash Keepers as proposed, also to report what amount of Security is required from these officers —

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Having examined the Moyen Jalitahs of the Collectors and agents Establishments with a view to reduction, I am of opinion that the two situations noted in the margin may be dispensed with, thereby effecting a saving equal to the amount of the increase which would be caused by raising the salaries of the two Cash Keepers in the manner proposed — It is necessary that there should be some person in this office competent to translate the Persian or Hindostanee Perwaccaries which are occasionally received from the Judicial authorities

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authorities in Cuttack, but this duty is readily performed by the Nazer of the agents Court and since the death of the late incumbent the office of Persian Moonshee has not been filled up — In respect to the Deputy Nazer I do not conceive that the extent of the business of the Court is such as to require the services of a Deputy to the Nazer and I have accordingly directed that the office be discontinued —

3 In respect to the Amount of the security required of the Cash Keepers I beg to say — That no particular scale of security appears to have been laid down but the best and most ample security that could be obtained has been sought for — B. Chinna Trimboo Naidoo the Cash Keeper of the Chittoor Treasury has deposited in the hands of the Collector as security Company's Promissory Note to the amount of Rupees 25,600 besides pledging his other real and personal property which could be made available to the extent considerably more than one Lack of Rupees — Narrainpah the Cash Keeper of the Vellore Treasury has furnished approved security in Lands, Houses and other property to the extent of 30000 Rupees

Ganjam District —
Agents office —
Chittoor 25th July 1846

Signed Wm. A. Bannerman
Colr. and agent

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

To the Chief Secretary to
Government

(23-24)

To the Chief Secy to Government

Submitting a correspondence with the Coll.r of Ganjam and recommending that his proposal to raise the pay of the two Cash Keepers of his District from 35 to 60 Rupees each per mensem may receive sanction.

Sir,

Para 1 I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the orders of the Hon.ble the Governor in Council the accompanying Correspondence which has passed between this office and the Collector of Ganjam on his proposal to raise the pay of the two Cash Keepers of his District.

2 In Para 7 of their letter of 20th April 1846 the Board remarked upon the circumstance that the principal Creditor of the Boyedee zemindar by name Chinna Jumbo was a Cash Keeper in the Collector's Treasury. In his letter of 15th June last Mr. Bannerman has explained that at the time when this individual was engaged in pecuniary transactions with the zemindar the situation of Cash Keeper was not held by himself but by his brother and that it is believed that the dealings of Chinna Jumbo and of the members of his family with the Boyedee Proprietor or any other of the Ganjam Zemindars have of late years been confined to the Recovery of

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of the Persian Inamshee at 20 and of the Deputy Sazir at 10 Rupees or jointly 30 Rupees per mensem being equal to the enhanced charge which would be occasioned by the proposed addition to the pay of the Cash Keepers.

3 The insufficiency of the remuneration now annexed to the situation of Cash Keeper in Ganjam must be apparent, and as the arrangement proposed by Mr. Bannerman provides for an increase to the present rates of Salary without involving any additional charge to Government the Board beg to recommend that his proposal may receive sanction.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
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(Signed) J. Byers
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of their outstanding claims. The continuance of these Sowcars as Cash Keepers has the Collector states doubtless arisen from their respectability and from their wealth which enabled them to furnish ample security for the due discharge of their trust, and it is also owing to the extreme difficulty experienced in the District in obtaining the services of persons eligible for the employment on account of the inadequacy of the salary attached to it. The Cash Keepers in the two Treasuries in the Ganjam District at Chitterpore and Chicacole receive only 35 Rupees each per mensem - an amount obviously insufficient, the annual receipts at each Treasury being about 9 Lacs of Rupees. If either of these offices should now become vacant the services of a Competent person could not be secured on the present rate of salary - and the Collector has therefore recommended that the pay of each appointment be raised to 50 Rupees. In reply to an enquiry from the Board as to the mode in which this may be done without entailing increased expense to Government Mr. Bannerman has suggested the abolition of the situations of the Collector and agents Cutcherry - those

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From the Coll[r] of Ganjam

Submits for acceptance Statement of Arrears Offers for Fasly 1256 shews the cause of variations between the Rents of Fasles 1255 and 1256 and states that [illegible] Farms were [illegible] sold over to the highest [illegible] adhere on compliance with the terms as regards securities & deposits for the same

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3	Turlah — D
4	Rajamundapore, Ch and Bongaum C
5	Itchapore Pergu
6	Soorungkee Zemi
7	Mahery Do exclu Rajamundapore
8	Ratapagery —
9	Vizeanagkur —
10	Goomsur Tal

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Read the following letter.

To

The Secretary to the
Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

Sir,

I have the honor to sub-
=mit for the approval of the Board
of Revenue the accompanying Statement
shewing the Offers received for the
Abkarry Farms of this District for
Fusly 1256 together with the particulars
of the securities and Deposits tendered
in each case.-

2d The following Memoran-
=dum exhibits a Net Decrease of
Company's Rupees 1811 - - - in the
present tenders compared with the
Rents of Fusly 1255 -

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No.	Names of the Talooks	Rents for Fuslee 1255	Rents for Fuslee 1256	Increase	Decrease
		C Rs. a. p.	C Rs. a. p.	C Rs. a. p.	C Rs. a. p.
1	Chicacole	8340 " "	8355 " "	15 " "	" " "
2	Purlakemedy	6400 " "	6000 " "	" " "	400 " "
3	Turlah	660 " "	560 " "	" " "	100 " "
4	Pagoonadapore	1250 " "	1250 " "	" " "	" " "
5	Baurwah	660 " "	515 " "	" " "	145 " "
6	Itchapore	1900 " "	2370 " "	470 " "	" " "
7	Calentra	650 " "	550 " "	" " "	100 " "
8	Mundassah	225 " "	260 " "	35 " "	" " "
9	Mokerry	5800 " "	4500 " "	" " "	1300 " "
10	Vizianagher	475 " "	565 " "	90 " "	" " "
11	Aska	801 " "	650 " "	" " "	151 " "
12	Munsoorcottah	1475 " "	1900 " "	425 " "	" " "
13	Cullicote	485 " "	600 " "	115 " "	" " "
14	Bobbacondah	1010 " "	950 " "	" " "	60 " "
15	Bodagadah	705 " "	670 " "	" " "	35 " "
16	Hautghur	980 " "	1000 " "	20 " "	" " "
17	Paracote	705 " "	830 " "	125 " "	" " "
18	Goomsoor	2900 " "	1400 " "	" " "	1500 " "
19	Sondah	710 " "	650 " "	" " "	60 " "
20	Seeghur	125 " "	160 " "	35 " "	" " "
21	Soorunghee	190 " "	300 " "	110 " "	" " "
22	Bastapagery	210 " "	200 " "	" " "	10 " "
23	Chegattie	435 " "	820 " "	385 " "	" " "
24	Runtreddy	800 " "	680 " "	" " "	120 " "
25	Ganjam	2385 " "	2725 " "	340 " "	" " "
26	Jarodah	90 " "	95 " "	5 " "	" " "
	Total	40366 " "	38555 " "	2170 " "	3981 " "
			Deduct Increase		2170 " "
			Nett Decrease		1811 " "

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3d The above Nett Decrease arises chiefly in Goomsoor and Berhampore from the transfer under the orders of Government of seven Mootahs of the Goomsoor Talook to the Agent for the suppression of Meeriah sacrifices and female Infanticide in the Hill Tracts of Orissa, and from the circumstance of the removal of the Detachment of Sappers and Miners heretofore stationed at Itchapore and the movement of a Wing of the Regiment stationed at Berhampore to Russellcondah.

4th The Farms have been made over to the highest Bidders who have complied with the prescribed terms as to security and Deposit.

Ganjam District
Collector's Cutcherry
Chetterpore
2d August 1846.

/Signed/ R. A. Bannerman
Collector

Statement

Fort St. George 1th August 1846.

...erruck and Toddy Farms in the District of Ganjam for Fasl ... together with those recommended by the Collector for ...

... Proposals tendered for one year in the Cutcherry of the Collector. Proposals accepted by the Collector.

| Proposals for the Rent of each Farm for Fasl | | |

Proposals accepted by the

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Advertisement.

Notice is hereby given that unless the arrears of Revenue as noted below together with charges of sequestration and advances for Cultivation

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Order thereon. Ordered that the sale

27-28 Advertisement which accompanied the foregoing letter be published in this Office. -

The Board request that the Collector will report upon the 10th Proximo what balances may at that date be outstanding against the several Estates and the measures which he would advise in consequence. -

Read the following letter.

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

29 Sir,

From the Collr of Rajahmundry } With reference to the Board's

10858 Fort St. George 4th August 1846.

Board's Circular letter of the 21st November 1836 I have the honor to submit a Statement shewing the storing sale and the wastage of Salt for the past fasly 1255 and request A.D. 1845/46 that sanction may be obtained to write off Mds 4007 - 32 as wastage. -

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Rajahmundry District
Cocanada 13th August 1846

Signed T. Rendergast
Collector.

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Read the following letter.-

To J. Pycroft Esq.re

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue.-

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From the Coll.r of Guntoor.-

Sir,

I have the honor to submit the accompanying Statement shewing in detail the Stations &c.a of the Rents of the Akkarry and Sundry Small farms and Licences in this District for Fusly 1255 the acceptance of which was confirmed by the Board in their Proceedings of the 4th Inst.t August 1845. in reference to my predecessor's letter of the 21st July of the same year.-

Guntoor,
Collector's Cutcherry,
28th July 1846.

/Signed/ H. Stokes
Collector

Statement.-

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A. A. Statement shewing the amount of Abkarry Rents accepted for Fusly 1255 and the amount of Settlement of last Fusly to

Number	Names of Tannahs	Names of Stations	Number of Stations	Names of Renters	Names of Securities	Demand or Settlement for Fus Abkarry	Demand or Settlement for Fus Sundry small farms and Licences	remarks
1.	Guntoor Tannah	Guntoor & 22 Villages	18	Noyden Goorrapiah of Guntoor	Raykah Naugiah and Vuddem=gountah Veeriah of Guntoor	45 95	" " 100	" "
2.	Chabrole Tannah	Potta Mungalaghurry & 42 Villages	43	Anvaroo Banjadoo of Potta Mungalaghurry and Cossoor Parish of Neddamurroo	Raykah Naugiah of Guntoor and Cossoor Veeriah of Bataipoody	1,795 8	" 604 8	"
3.	Pruttypaud Tannah	Vanghepoorum & 22	23	Pellapanty Ghuntiah of Pruttypaud and Sonty Ven=kiah of Cankooman	Dossary Paupiah of Pedda Nundepaud and yamenady Vencatasha	308 8	" 110 4	"
4.	Nezampatam Tannah	Nezampatam & 4	4	Comaranole Naugaswerrom of Nezampatam	Collepara Latchmenarsoo of Nezampatam	222	" " 631	" "
5	Chinna Ganjam Tannah	Chinna Ganjam & 5	6	Curnum Chinna Ramiah of Chinna Ganjam	Curnum Soobaroydoo of Cud=danacoodooroo	900	" " 120	" "
6.	Tanaly Tannah	Tanaly & 35	36.	Parasah Ramiah of Guntoor	Raykah Naugiah of Guntoor	730	" " 250	" "

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Number	Names of Pannals	Total Pannals	Total Abkarry	Sundry Small Farms and Licences	Total	Increase	Decrease	Remarks
			£.	£.				
1.	Gu Pan	4,695 " "	3,339 " "					
2.	Sha Pann	2,400 " "	1,463 5 " 5					
3.	Puth Pan	418 12 "	294 8 "					
4.	Nego Pan	1353 " "	701 " "					
5	Chun Pan	1,020 " "	792 " "					
6.	Pan Pan	980 " "	666 8 "					

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Number	Names of Pannals	Na	Total St.
7.	Polor Pannah	Chilkalo	
		Rajahpett	
		Yedlapala	
		Commanll	313 4 "
		Cosparay	
		Bullee	
		Pottanary	
		Pattoary p	
		Kalalapo	
		Dronando	214 " "
		Esunnky	
		Pinnana	
		Inkollo	82 " "
			609 4 "
8.	Innacondah Pannah	Vellat	173 " "
		Gunnav	
		Ballapu	
		Agnegoo	22 4 "
		Gundlap	
		Naidoo	24 " "

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Demand or Settlement for Fusly 1254.

Abkarry	Sundry Small Farms and Licences	Total	Increase	Decrease	Remarks
250 8 "	24 12 "	275 4 "	38 " "	" "	
91 8 "	120 8 "	212 " "	2 " "	" "	
70 " "	2 " "	72 " "	10 " "	" "	
412 " "	147 4 "	559 4 "	50 " "	" "	
121 8 "	50 8 "	172 " "	1 " "	" "	
9 " "	13 " "	22 " "	" 4 "	" "	
14 4 "	9 " "	23 4 "	" 12 "	" "	

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Number of Pannahs	Names of Stations	Number of Stations	Names of Renters	Demand or Settlement for Fusly 1. Names of Securities	Abkarry	Sundry Small Farms and Licences	Totals
	Eyoor	1	Amareshem Vencatapatty of Eyoor	Pallagum Akkooloo of Bommaraugepully	8 8 "	8 8 "	17 "
	Woaddoojerlah	1					
	yellachoor	1	Jinkapatoo Pantiah of yellachoor	Jinkapatoo Chena Chenchooroo of yellachoor	21 8 "	" " "	21 8
	Poaroonella	1					
	Rompecherlah	1	Dassary Narrayloo of Rompecherlah	Naidoo Goorupah of Rompacherla	44 " "	" " "	44 "
	Innacondah	1	Pallapully Chena Sungee Naroo of Innacondah	Chenakoorty Pakariah of Innacondah	102 " "	" " "	102 "
	Pedda Cocherlah	1					
	Bogarum	1	Chalagum akkooloo of Bommaraugepully	Gotta Venkoo of Gundeganamalah	16 " "	" " "	16 "
	Bommaraugepully	1					
	Inavole Rompoorum	1	Butteney Chena Chendriah of Inavole	Bandla Vencata Ramdoo of Velletore	6 8 "	" " "	6 8
	Yanoogoopollem	1	Conunky Aukanah of Yanoogoopollem	Conunky Venkoo of Yanoogapollem	8 4 "	" " "	8 4
	Cocherlah	1	Amarasem Cotiah of Cocherlah	Amarasem Vencatapatty of Eyoor	22 8 "	12 8 "	35 "
	Cottaloor	1					
	Conkoolagoontah	1					
	Innoonellah	1	Yerlagudda Veeriah of Coonkalagoontah	Naidoo Goorapah of Rompecherlah	17 " "	" " "	17 "
	Chayjerlah	1					
	Gundeganamalah	1	Golla Venkoo of Gundegaiamalah	Palagum akkooloo of Bommaraugepully	22 8 "	" " "	22 8
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Number of Pannahs	Names of Pannahs	Number of Stations	Names of Stations	Names of Renters	Names	Decrease	Remarks	Renters	Remarks
	Cauroomoor	1	Cauroomoor Cotiah of Cauroomoor		Moolleynaw	"	"	"	"
	Panedemurros	1	Cherakolla Veeroya of the hamlet cherakolbamallapo=lem of yallatepollem		Cheennoo Yellatepolle	"	"	"	"
	Totapully	1	Custoory Braniah of Totapully		Custoory D	"	"	"	"
	Chanaly	1	Nallapanty Lutchmenarain of Chanially		Bollagaury	"	"	"	"
	Bulleja pully	1			Chamvia				
	Caunaranzegudda	1	Morlah Mootliah of Cau=maranzegudda		Lunkah	"	"	"	"
	Peddavarum	1	Tillapully Cotiah of Tillapully		=maranze				
	Goondlapully	1	Cantoor Moottee Lingiah of Goondlapully		Veydallah Veneca	"	"	"	"
	Pataroo	1	Joonoo Baupayah and Moorlah Chenah Veriah of Pataroo		Borrah Veera	"	"	"	"
					Goorviah of				
					Vaddlamood				
					=miah Dº C	"	"	"	"
					and Paroo				
					of Pullycon				
	Ravee Anuntavarum	1	Vanka Venkatasa of Peda Podevurroo		Veerunky	"	5	"	"
					Panoomo				
	Nadimpully	1	Pooppantah Moosalayah of Nadumpully		Annaya				
	Goodavully	1			Naddury				

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Number	Names of Pannahs	Names of Stations	Number of Stations	Names of Renters	Remarks
	Ranvellah		1	Poopallah Cotiah of Bundarpully	
	Ponnecalla		1	Immady Parayah of Ponnecatta	
	Navaleenlloo		1		
	Moladaka		1	Konkavalah Ramiah of Motadaka	
	Lakkarauze Garba=pand		1	Poopaulah Cotiah of Bundarpully	
	Seerungepollem		1		
	Vellpoor		1	Commarah Ramdoo of Atchemmapettah	
			15		
11	Condaveed Panah	Condaveed and other Villages	12	Rakah Nayjah of Guntoor	
		Tamarind Trees &c.a on the Hill fort of Condaveed	1	Meerjah Seconder Beg of Condaveed	

Number	Names of Pannahs	Names of Stations	Number of Stations	Names of Renters	Increase	Remarks
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Number of Pannahs	Names of Stations	Number of Natives	Names of Renters	Peaks	Number of Natives	Names of Renters	Remarks
	Cunkaney	1	Cunchetlah Mulliah of Cunkaney				
	Paulapandoo	1	Yarlagudda Soobayah and Cuppara Panniah of Paulapand				
	Palakaloor	1	Besakoloo Narsoo of				
	Mankenagoontta	1	Narsarompettah				
	Narsarempettah	1	Julladah Pitchaya of Narsarompettah				
15 Banputta Pannah	Banputta	1	Brahandumu Ramiah of Banputta				
	Palmyra Trees in the Compound of the Traveller's Bungalow at Banputta	1	Addunky Pautiah of Banputta				
				emadooga	1		
				Cunde- of m a sputta	1	Caree Baupayah and Boochanah of the ham- let Condroobhotlapollem of Banputta	
					1		
					1		
					1		
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				Asoo- spully & San-	1	Sekeram Venkatarayadoo of Banputta	
				anlet lly	1		
					1	Addunky Pautiah of Ban- putta and Sooraboyanah Cotiah of Beralah	
					1		
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					1		
					1	Aurapully Moottayah Kasanee Baupiah, or Munnem Venkiah and Pogoloo Ragoo Naikloo of Poodevadah	

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Number of Tannahs	Names of Stations	Number of Stations	Names of Renters	Remarks
	Fruit Trees &c.a at the same Station	1	Padeyala Seshiah & Ammiah of Bodevada	
	Paraly	1	Cantoory Soobayah of Peraly	
	Ganaparavarum	1		
	Nagarum	1	Bopaulah Venkiahan	
	Fruit Trees of D.o	1	D.o Chenchiah of Nagaru	
	Seereepoody	1	Bolegudda Goorrazoo of Nezampatam	
	Cherkoomully	1		
	Rdamullapoody	1		
	Curapully	1		
	China Muttlapoody	1	Comaravole Nangaswetty of Nezampatam	
	Attlooroo	1	Ganoomoloo Veerayah Narroydoo of Rocka = cooroo a hamlet of Allo	
	Canooroo	1	Claree Bauliah of Cano	
	Balossolapollem	1	Cantooree Seetiah & Boo Mooteyaloo of Balossolap	
	Fruit Trees &c.a of the same Village	1	Nogaley Poroo Venatar Bolegudda at Chandragi	

Number of Stations	Names of Renters	Remarks
1	Casavah Tantah of Pullapulta	
1	Yamenady Naayah of Neroombana	
1	Paumerty Paulah of Ameralaor	
1	Curee Vencatsaroo of Eloopully	
1	Casavah Neetayah and Bellumadah Goorrayah of Nagnum	
1	Cantoory Mootiah Maka Mootiah Vee = runky Reddy and Sontee Nungayh of Adanaladanee	
1	Bopapaula Reddy of Battapood	

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Numbers	Names of Tannahs	Names of Stations.	Number of Peons	Names of Peons	c
		Yalatepollem	1	Corumby Veerayah's Peon of Arroosalayah of Yalatepollem	
		Allapurroo	12	Badagoo Tarrygaudoo of Allapurroo	
		Edapully	1	Vencomoola Barayah etc Brother of V. Veerayah of Bichacaroo a hamlet of Allapurroo	
		Coochandpoady	1	Casava Ramayah Peon of Veerayah of Coochandpoady	
		Potomerlah	18	Gamenady Agamah etc =ray boyana Vettayah Peons =jeroo Sultanah of Potomerlah	
		Comaravole	1	Comaravole Tangavelloo =loo of Nyampatam	
		Chundavole	1	—Do—	Do—
		Bumputlah Mootah	1		
		Nyampatam Do	1	Paralavelly Bumputlah =mah of Bumputlah	
		Rially Mootah	1		
			47		
		Grand Total	348		

Nayonepully & Mootapully
of Bumputlah Tannah

Guntoor Collector's Cutcherry 28th July

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Order thereon.

(31-32)

Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following letter.

To

T Pycroft Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

(33)

From the Coll.r of Bellary, Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Extract from the Board's Proceedings dated the 13th Instant relative to the River Toll recently rented out in this District and to acquaint you, that the information therein called for will be submitted depot-ately.

Regretting with reference to the Board's Proceedings of the date the 13th July 1846, to furnish any if there is order by which the rate of one per cent interest is fixed instead of 6 1/2 Cent per Annum to be charged on arrears of Revs in the different branches of the Public Revenues.

2 In the 5th para of the above Proceedings the Board were pleased to observe, the "the rate of interest on arrears of Rent "should be 12 Cent, that being the usual "rate on arrears in other branches of the "Public revenue". The only order which I find in the records of this Office regarding the interest chargeable on balances of revenue is the Board's Proceedings of date the 7th December 1835, which authorizes the Interest to be charged on balances of Sayer and Abkary Revenue at 6 1/2 Cent (meaning per Annum and

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and this has always been acted up to in this District.

3 As however there appears a difference in the rate of Per centage between the above quoted order, and the observation of the Board now under reference, I request for further instructions in the matter.

4 Shall there be any other order by which one per Cent (per Month) may have been fixed as the rate of interest to be charged on arrears in the different branches of the Public revenue; I shall be obliged by your furnishing me with a copy accompanied by specific instructions as to its applicability to arrears of Abkarry rents of this District for future guidance.

Bellary Collectors Office, 27th July 1846.

(Signed) A. Mellor Collector

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

To The Collector of Bellary

(33-34)

Sir, I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of 27th ultimo representing in reference to Para 5 of the Boards Proceedings of the 13th Inst. that the interest on arrears of Extra sources of Revenue has under the Boards orders

Re. Coll.r of Bellary - stating in reply to his letter of the 27th ult.o that exchange should be made in the mode of charging interest at 18 per Cent per Annum on arrears.

Arrears of Extra Income of Revenue in this District

of 17th December 1835, been hitherto charged in your District at the rate of 6 per cent per Annum, and requesting further instructions upon the subject. —

In reply I am desired to inform you that as these arrears do not appear to have hitherto borne a higher interest than 6 per Cent it is not necessary that any change should now be introduced either as regards the other items of Extra Revenue or as respects the Ferry rents. Para 10 of the Rules submitted by you in your letter of 17th June last may therefore stand as originally proposed.

Revenue Board office — Fort St. George 24th Augt 1846 } / Signed / T. Pycroft Secretary

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

Read the following letter —

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From the Acting Collector of Cuddapah — } Sir

With reference to Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date 28th May 1846 — I have the honor to state that the ceremonies of the Shenmakasava Swamy Pagoda in the Village of Villadoorty for the performance of which the Pogary Enam was granted has not been intermitted for more than three years and were celebrated regularly until that period — The Pagoda is in good repair and has no other Endowment and there is no Person in the Village willing to take the Enam under reference in lieu of the absentee and to perform the required duties — There is no Summund or other document connected with the Enam —

Cuddapah District Collrs Office Camp Banchapilly 27th July 1846 } / Signed / J. H. Cochrane Acting Collector —

Ordered that the foregoing letter and the previous communication on the Subject be submitted with the following address —

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To The Chief Secretary to Government —

To the Chief Secy to Government Submitting a Correspondence with the Acting Collector of Cuddapah relative to 2 Cases of Pogary Enam granted for the support of Religious Institutions in this district — with the Boards recommendation in each case —

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the consideration and orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying Correspondence with the Acting Collector of Cuddapah relative to two cases of Devadayem Enams granted for the support of Religious Institutions in his district —

The first case brought to notice is that of Enam lands yielding Rs. 28 — 5 — 10 per annum granted for the performance of Pooja

Shenna Case — vasamy Enam Rs. 28 — 5 — 10

F. C. No. 30th April in Con 28th May "
Board's Proceedings 28th May "
F. C. No. 27th July in Con 24th Augt "
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Poojah and other religious ceremonies in a Pagoda in the village of Valadooty in the Canalapoor Talook - the present Enamdar, a son of the original grantee, has been on three years absent from the district, the Enam is in possession of other parties, & and the proceeds are not expended in the manner intended when the grant was originally made. -

Seva Pagoda Enam
Fo 218. 10812
P. 2-4-46

The Second case as noted in the Margin is that of an Enam granted to defray the expenses incurred for performing Poojah &c.a in the Seva Pagoda in the same Village - This Pagoda is reported to be in a dilapidated state, and no ceremonies appear to have been performed in it for the last 20 years - the Enam is now in possession of a party entirely unconnected with the original grantees, and it is evident that the proceeds are diverted from their legitimate purpose. -

With respect to the first of the Enams reported on this letter of the acting Collector, as the ceremonies appear to have been intermitted for only three years, and as the Pagoda is still in good repair, the Board would not recommend the immediate resumption of the Enam,

but

but would advise that the proceeds should for the present be carried to the credit of Government, and that in the event of the last incumbent Timmapah returning to the village within a reasonable time, and resuming the performance of the Pagoda Ceremonies, the Enam should again be made over to him. - In the second case noticed by the Collector, as no service would seem to have been performed for 20 years the Board are of opinion that the Enam should at once be resumed. -

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George 24th Augt 1846 -

/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary

Read the following letter

From the Acting Coll.r of Cuddapah

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

Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 20th ultimo, I have the honor to inform you that the set of standard weights and measures therein referred to has been supplied to my Office from the Ordnance Department. -

Cuddapah District
Coll.rs office, Camp -
Madavaroor - -
12th Augt 1846 - -

/ Signed / J. H. Cochrane
Acting Collector

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Order thereon.—

Ordered to lie on the table—

Read the following letters—

From the Ag. Collector of Cuddapah

To

I. Pycroft Esqre

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Fort Saint George

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Sir,

With reference to your letter of the 20th ultimo I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of one Copy of Thornton's History of the British Empire in India forwarded for the use of my Office.—

two 3 Volumes

Cuddapah District Collector's Office Camp Mahadavapoor 12th August 1846

/Signed/ J. H. Cochrane
Acting Collector—

To I. Pycroft Esqre

From the Prin. Collector of Coimbatoor

Secretary to the Board of Revenue
Fort St. George.

Sir,

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I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Copy of Thornton's History of the British Empire in India in four Volumes referred to in your letter of the 20th ultimo.—

Coimbatoor 15th August 1846

/Signed/ I. C. Wroughton
Prin. Collector

Order on the 2 foregoing letters:—

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Ordered to be recorded—

Read the following letter

To

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To

I. Pycroft Esqre

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

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From The Commissioner in Hurrur Recommending the continuance of Yearnial to the applicant for his life—

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 22d Ultimo relative to a Yearniah formerly enjoyed by Shah Sait deceased and for the renewal of which application is made by his son—

Adverting to para 3 of your letter, I have very little doubt that the deceased originally had a Sunnud as stated it is said to have been one of Nawab Mostkhan who died about 32 years ago, and the Dewan of the late Circar who was also in Office under Mostkhan tells me that he knew Shah Sait and that he perfectly remembers to have seen the Sunnud two or three times, that it was for an adhela (½ a pice) on every Gooney of Grain and an adhela on every Hagg (8 Maunds) of miscellaneous articles that was brought into the town of Hurrur and was for Services

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in the Mosque at Cacarumcha, but that no particular Service was specified. It seems to have been changed by Alofkhan's successor Moonauar Khan to a dummareen every shop which was calculated to amount to 67½ Cudawal Rupees per Annum equal to 6 Rt 34—13—0 and the accounts shower that Shaleisab received this sum in the time of the late Nawab Gholam Russool Khan—

3. I have seen every Sunnud in the District, but I cannot call to mind any in which the Services to be performed are detailed at length, occasionally one or two particulars are mentioned, but for the most part they are of a general nature, and when the holders are questioned as to the kind of Service they perform or are expected to perform, the answer is generally the same, such as to keep the Mosque in repair and clean, to keep a lamp always burning on at some particular festivals, to provide water for travellers, and occasionally food for such as stand in need of it to have the Mosque new white washed for the

the Ramzan or other great festival, to call the stated hours of prayer &c. These are Services which all persons in charge of Mosques are expected to perform in person or by deputy. Shaleisab was Muzzin at Cocarumcha but he employed a Deputy. The endowments for these places seem to be regarded rather in the light of private property than as belonging to a public institution, and so long as the Mosque is standing and there is any one ostensibly attached to it no questions are asked about the disposal of the funds, and this would be still more applicable to Yeomiahs, which being money payments are regarded rather as pensions to individuals of which they have the undisputed control. In the particular instance now under consideration there is an especial reason for supposing this to have been a grant for the grantee's own benefit and support, for his Mother taught one of the Nawab's ladies to read (Taoushkhatoon the Mother of the late Nawab) and it may be concluded partook in consequence of the Nawab's patronage at the same time. Yeomiahs for Religious Service are very unusual.

annuual and that is one reason and the only one as far as I can ascertain to doubt whether the Sunnud given to Shale Saib was for service in the Mosque as Muzzin, or merely for his own private use and benefit.—

4 No Yeomiahs of this nature have lapsed since the assumption of the country, there is therefore no precedent to go upon, under the Mogulye rule Yeomiahs appear to have been continued if the circumstances of the family required such assistance, but they were at any time liable to be curtailed or altogether cancelled at the will of the Nawab—

5 In conclusion, the Board desire me to state my opinion whether this grant should be continued to the applicant with reference to his means of support and other considerations, or whether it should revert to government. Before submitting my letter of the 16th of April I made enquiries in what I considered the most likely quarter as to the applicants means; the family appears to be respectable, and were supported by this allowance and from what they received from their Enam lands — which is not much, as shown in the —

Statement

Statement which accompanied my letter, and I am of opinion that if this Yeomiah is not continued they will suffer great inconvenience — I therefore beg to recommend that it may be continued for his own life, not as a service Yeomiah for the person actually doing the duties is provided for out of the Enam lands but as a charitable grant for his subsistence.—

6 In recommending the renewal of this Yeomiah I would wish it to be understood that as a general principle I am decidedly opposed to such miscalled charity in cases where the object of it is not incapacitated by some obvious defect from obtaining a livelihood, but in the case of Hunmood we ought not to forget that the present generation were born and bred under rulers who regarded a provision for idle beggars as a meritorious act, and those who were in the enjoyment of such bounty looking for a continuance of it to their sons, may not have turned their attention to prepare for a more independent subsistence suddenly therefore to withdraw the accustomed means might be productive of such distress which is the reason for my taking a favorable view of this and

similar

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similar cases.

Kurnool 6th July 1846

Signed J. Scott
Commissioner

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

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

(42-43)

To the Chief Secty to Government

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will submit to the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying correspondence which has passed with the Commissioner in Kurnool on the subject of a Yeomiah

Submitting a correspondence with the Commissioner in Kurnool on the subject of a Monthly Yeomiah of Rs 4-9-1 recently in the enjoyment of one Shaik Sahib deceased and for the renewal of which application has been made by his Son Hussain Meeran and stating that the Board could advise its resumption.

From Collr 16th April inclosures 22d June 1846
To Collector 22d June "
From Collr 8th June inclosures 24th Augt 2120 "

Amounting to Rupees 4-9-1 per Mensem recently in the enjoyment of one Shaik Sahib deceased and for the renewal of which application has been made by his Hussain Meeran

2 It will be seen that the Yeomiah in question was granted by Nawab Aleef Khan about 40 years ago to the late incumbent Shaik Sahib and was continued to him by the British Government on the resumption of the Country of Kurnool on the original terms of the grant Viz. "for service in the Cacarencka Mosque" and is so entered

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Inclosures 15th Janry 1844.

entered in the Register of Yeomiahdars forwarded to this Office under date the 30th December 1843 from that District.

3. From the enquiry instituted into the circumstances of the grant on the occasion of the recent lapse it appears that there is no thing now forthcoming by which the real intent of the grantor can be ascertained the Commissioner however states that the Dewan of the late Nawab informed him that such a document was formerly in existence "and that it was for service in the Mosque but that no particular service was specified" Mr Scott nevertheless gives it as his own opinion that the allowance was a personal and not a service grant he observes that "there is a special reason for supposing this to have been a grant for the grantee's own benefit and support for "his Mother taught one of the Nawab's Ladies to read and it may be concluded partook in consequence of the Nawab's patronage" he however recommends that it should be continued to the present applicant for life as charitable grant for his subsistence on the grounds that its withdrawal would cause great inconvenience to the family consisting of ten persons who are supported by the grant and the

proceeds

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proceeds of certain Enam lands which yielded during the past year Rupees 11-14. The Enam lands alluded to consist of certain service and Kyratee Enams held by the family of the deceased the former of which were granted for the support of the expences and performance of the service of the Mosque at Tacanencha in which the deceased was Muzzin but conducted the duties by means of a deputy who was remunerated from the lands in that Village the remainder of the lands together with the Money allowance being retained by Shaik Saheb for his own maintenance. These lands the Commissioner has been instructed to dispose of agreeably to the instructions communicated in the Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 8th April last.

Inboond 15th June 1846

4 As it appears there are strong grounds to believe that the Yeomiah applied for by Bufsain Meean was bestowed as a charity grant for the personal support of the late recipient and was not of the nature of the service grant its payment should cease with the life of the grantee, the Board are therefore unable to concur in the recommendation that it should be renewed to

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to Bufsain Meean in the manner proposed by Mr. Scott Vizt as a charitable life grant for his subsistence, especially as this individual is in the possession of Enam lands which were held by the deceased and under these circumstances they would advise its resumption.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
24th August 1846

Signed J. Tycroft
Secretary

Read the following letter

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

(44)

From the Commissr in Kurnool

Sir,

In the Margin of the letter from the Secretary to the Board dated 13th November 1843 conveying sanction for the Extra tent allowance drawn by Mr. Bayley and Captain Newbold, the number of days sanctioned for the former

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former Gentleman is entered at 180, the number submitted for sanction was 183, and the Civil Auditor has called upon me to recover the difference, or 15 @ 12 from Mr Bayley I did not at the time notice the difference, or I should have requested the Board's orders on the subject, and I have now the honor to request information as to whether the three days allowance was intentionally retrenched or whether the Marginal entry is a clerical error—

Kurnool— 24th July 1846 } I have &c Signed J. Scott Commissioner

Resolution thereon The Board sanction the Extra Tent Allowance drawn by Mr Bayley for 3 days in July 1842 making the total number of days sanctioned for that Gentleman for Fusly 1251 183.

Read

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Read the following letter—

To

J. Sycroft Esqre
Secy to the Board of Revenue
Fort St George—

(46)

From E. Maltby Esqre
Asst Collr of Chingleput.
Submitting further information regarding the claims to the Sayheer of Codumbaukum together with some observations on the Petition of ex Mahzumdar Mahomed

Sir,

Para 1 In acknowledging your letter of the 6th Instant on the subject of the disputed claims to the Sayheer of Codumbaukum, I have the honor to state, that as the deceased Mahomed Sahier passed the latter part of his life at Pondicherry Statement that Juneabee and her Daughter lived with him to the time of his death, as his acknowledged legitimate Wife and Child, depended on the evidence taken by the French Authorities— A Copy of the enquiry which was held regarding the discovery of the fictitious Will and the state of Mahomed Sahier's family previous to his decease is forwarded for the information of the Board.—

No. 849 of 1846.

2 In returning the Petition of Rahmanshabee, with its two enclosures, which accompanied your letter, I doesn't appear to me that their contents call for detailed remark— The document obtained from the Cuzzy of Madras to the effect that he neither informed, nor was aware of the marriage

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marriage between Jaunabee and Mahomed Tahier does not militate against the proof which has been adduced of the performance of the marriage by another competent Officer, the Cazy of Mylapore. The marriage being thus established could only be set aside by proof of Mahomed Tahier having repudiated Jaunabee in the usual manner, before a proper Officer, but this has not been attempted.—

3. It appears to me only necessary to advert briefly to two other points urged by Rahmanshabee, who asserts that Jaunabee was merely one of Mahomed Tahier's Concubines, and that he had dismissed her for bad Conduct. If the first Statement was true there would have been no occasion for Jaunabee to have been so specially mentioned in the Petitioners Will, and the second Statement is opposed by the fact, which cannot be denied, that Jaunabee did live with Mahomed Tahier to the time of his decease.—

Chingleput District,
Collectors Cutcherry,
Pultamarry, 16th July 1846.

/Signed/ E. Maltby
Acting Collector.

Rapport

10893 Fort St. George 24th August 1846.—

Rapport concernant le v. roe de Mahomed Tahier Saheb, et le testament qui lui est attribué.—

A

Monsieur le Gouverneur,

En exécution des ordres que vous m'avez donnés, en me transmettant la lettre de Mr. le Collecteur, agent spécial à Gondelour, et les papiers qu'elle renfermait, j'ai pris des renseignements sur Janna Baby, veuve de feu Mahomed Tahier Saheb, et sur la confection du testament dont copie vous a été adressée.—

À cet effet, j'ai interrogé le Tabellion Appassamy, appelé au moment de la mort, pour dresser inventaire chez Mahomed Tahier, et dans les minutes duquel le testament a été déposé; j'ai entendu en outre Cojendé Dayramodamoodelly, que le tabellion en avait indigné comme ayant eu des relations fréquentes avec le défunt. Des renseignements que m'ont été donnés, il résulte que Mahomed Tahier Saheb s'était marié à Madras avec Janna Baby, sa femme légitime. Il était venu se fixer à Pondichery, depuis plus de sept ans. Janna Biby qu'il avait amenée de Madras, a constamment cohabité avec lui jusqu'à ce qu'il, considérée et traitée comme sa femme légitime, occupant dans sa maison

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marriage between Jaweabee and Mahomed Taheer does not militate against the proof which has been adduced of the performance of the marriage by another competent Officer, the Cazy of Mylapore. The marriage being thus established could only be set aside by proof of Mahomed Taheer having repudiated Jaweabee in the usual manner, before a proper Officer, but this has not been attempted.—

3. It appears to me only necessary to advert briefly to two other points urged by Rahmanshabee, who asserts that Jaweabee was merely one of Mahomed Taheer's Concubines, and that he had discarded her for bad Conduct. If the first Statement was true there would have been no occasion for Jaweabee to have been so specially mentioned in the Testators Will, and the second Statement is opposed by the fact, which cannot be denied, that Jaweabee did live with Mahomed Taheer to the time of his decease.—

Chingleput District,
Collector's Cutcherry,
Pullicatt 16th July 1846.

(Signed) E. Maltby
Acting Collector.

Reffart

10893 Fort St. George 24th August 1846.—

Reffart concernant le Vve de Mahomed Taheer Saheb, et le Testament qui lui est attribué.—

No. 1.

Monsieur le Gouverneur,

En exécution des ordres que vous m'avez donnés, en me transmettant la lettre de Mr. le Collecteur, agent spécial à Goudalour, et les papiers qu'elle renfermait, j'ai pris des renseignements sur Janna Biby, veuve de feu Mahomed Taheer Saheb, et sur la confection du testament dont Copie vous a été adressée.—

À cet effet, j'ai interrogé le Tabellion Appassamy, appelé au moment de la mort, pour dresser inventaire chez ce Mahomed Taheer, et dans les minutes duquel le testament en question a été déposé; j'ai entendu en outre Cojendé Dayrianadamoodelly, que le tabellion avait rédigé comme ayant eu des relations fréquentes avec le défunt. Des renseignements que m'ont été donnés, il résulte que Mahomed Taheer Saheb s'était marié à Madras avec Janna Biby, sa femme légitime. Il était venu se fixer à Pondichery, depuis plus de sept Ans. Janna Biby qu'il avait amenée de Madras, a constamment cohabité avec lui jusqu'à sa mort, considérée et traitée comme femme légitime. Ce serait dimanche

dernier

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aucune répudiation n'a jamais été faite par Mahomed Tahier a Pondichéry. La fille legitime de Sanna Biby et de Mahomed Tahier est âgée d'environ six ans.—

Annonent de la confection de l'inventaire, lors qu'on montra a Sanna Biby, le papier qu'on venait de trouver, qu'on lui dit.

A Monsieur Le Gouverneur des Etablissements Français de l'Inde— être un testament et sur lequel elle avait apposé sa marque, elle se récria aussitôt affirmant avec force qu'elle n'avait jamais connu testament et ou qu'elle n'y avait apposé aucune marque.—

Le testament a été trouvé mêlé et confondu avec une infinité d'autres papiers; il en a été tiré par un des experts appelés pour interpreter les dits papiers; il la montra en disant voila un testament.—

Le beau frere de Tahier n'était à Pondichery, mais son gendre y était venu dès qu'il avait eu connaissance de

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du décès. Il était present lors de l'inventaire.—

Cojondi Dayrianadamoodelly était un des intimes de Mahomed Tahier parceque feu Ocunnundramoodelly, de Madras, le lui avait adressé et recommandé lorsque Tahier avait a dressé et recommandé lorsque Tahier venait a Pondichery, il y a plus de Sept Ans. il avait sa confiance et le conseillait dans toutes ses affaires. et habitant affirme que Tahier ne lui a jamais parlé de testament que s'il en avait fait un, il ne doute pas qu'il lui en aurait parlé. qu'il est fondé a le croire ainsi, puis que Tahier lui avait parlé d'un fils naturel qu'il avait eu d'une concubine; et que, sur ce qu'il lui avait fait observer qu'il aurait du épouser la dite concubine, pour légitimer son fils et lui laisser son héritage, Tahier, n'aurait pas manqué de lui parler de ce testament s'il en avait fait un, ou s'il avait eu l'intention d'en faire.—

Dayrianadamoodelly affirme en outre que Sanna Biby a constamment vécu auprès de feu Mahomed comme son épouse, que c'est toujours sous cette qualité qu'il lui en a entendu parler ainsi que de la fille de Sanna Biby qu'il considérait

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comme sa fille legitime. Il est certain qu'il n'y a pas eu de repudiation à Pondichery ou même à Madras parce que s'il y'en avait eu, Anandrayen ou Mahomed lui même lui en aurait parlé.—

Il est à remarquer encore que Mahomed Tahier avait quitté Madras, à la suite de contestations et procès avec sa sœur qui voulait le forcer à partager ses biens avec elle. C'est pour fuir ses prétentions qu'il est venu habiter à Pondichery. Est-il à croire qu'il ait voulu deshériter sa femme et sa fille au profit d'une sœur qu'il avait été obligé de fuir:—

J'ai demandé au Tabellion et à Dayrianadanoadelly leur opinion sur l'existence et la vérité de ce testament, ils ont emmis des doutes. Dayrianada pense que Mahomed n'a pas dû faire un testament parce qu'il est mort plutôt qu'il ne pensait; il avait environ trente cinq ans: il était persuadé qu'il guérirait de sa maladie dont il ignorait la gravité. Le même habitant indigne

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indigne plusieurs individus qui ont connu l'intérieur de la maison et de la famille de Mahomed Tahier et qui peuvent attester les faits ci dessus indiqués.—

J'dois ajouter que les deux personnes de qui j'ai obtenu les renseignements susenoncés, Appassamy Tabellion et Dayrianadanadelly de Madras sont toutes deux dignes de confiance par leur caractère, leur instruction et leur position sociale.—

Les suspicions contre le testament attribué à Mahomed Tahier me paraissent tellement graves que je n'hésite pas, ou Monsieur le Gouverneur, à ordonner de suite des investigations sur l'existence de cet acte j'aurai l'honneur de vous rendre compte de leur resultat.—

Veuillez agréer Monsieur le Gouverneur l'hommage de mon respect.—

Le Procureur Général
(Signed) E. Gibelin

Pour Copy
(Signed) E. Maltby
Acting Collector

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comme sa fille legitime. Il est certain qu'il n'y a pas eu de repudiation à Pondichery ou même à Madras parce que s'il y en avait eu, Anandrayen ou Mahomed lui même lui en aurait parlé.—

Il est à remarquer encore que Mahomed Tahier avait quitté Madras, à la suite de contestations et procès avec sa sœur qui voulait le forcer à partager ses biens avec elle. C'est pour fuir ses prétentions qu'il est venu habiter à Pondichery. Est il à croire qu'il ait voulu deshériter sa femme et sa fille au profit d'une sœur qu'il avait été obligé de fuir:—

J'ai demandé au Tabellion et à un Dayrianadanoadelly leur opinion sur l'existence et la vérité de ce testament, ils ont enoncé des doutes. Dayrianada pense que Mahomed n'a pas dû faire un testament parce qu'il est mort plustôt qu'il ne pensait, il avait environ soixante cinq ans. il était persuadé qu'il guérirait de sa maladie dont il ignorait la gravité. Le premier habitant indigène

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indigène plusieurs médecines qui ont connu l'intérieur de la maison et de la famille de Mahomed Tahier et qui peuvent attester les faits ci dessus indiqués.—

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L'An mil Huit Cent quarante cinq le mardi trois Juin à dix heures du matin, par devant nous, Emile Braudais, Lieutenant de Juge, Juge d'Instruction près le tribunal de première Instance de Pondichery, En notre Cabinet, sis dans le local du dit tribunal, assisté de Maitre Achille Isidore, Commis Greffier. En vertu de notre ordonnance en date du deux du Courant, et notifié le lendemain du dit mois par l'huissier Falatrias aux temoins ci après, avons procédé a leur audition séparément les uns des autres ainsi qu'il suit.—

Le sieur Faciolle nous a present représenté la citation a lui donnée pour déposer, a prêté serment, de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité, et a répondu aux questions d'usages ainsi qu'il suit.—

1er Temoin
Mr. Ste. Faciolle.

Je me nomme Auguste Faciolle, âgé de quarante cinq Ans, Juge de Paix, demeurant a Pondichery.—

D. Pouvez vous nous donner des details sur le lieu et les circonstances au milieu des quels le testament de

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de Mahomed Sayhier a été découvert.

R. Je puis seulement vous décrire les circonstances matérielles au milieu desquelles cette découverte vient faite au milieu de la chambre de la maison il y avait une table devant laquelle je me trouvais, a ma droite se trouvait Mons. Hacquet, Conseil nommé venu la pour affaire. à gauche se trouvait le Greffier de la Justice de Paix, à gauche du Greffier se trouvait le Tabellion. A droite de Mons. Hacquet se trouvait un Musulman de Madras dont je ne me rappelle plus le nom; mais qui a representé le sieur aimé de Mahomed Sayhier. En face de la table dans le fond de l'appartement à coté du Tabellion mais par terre etait la masse des papiers à inventorier, un Interprete Indostan appellé pour assister le Tabellion faisant et examinant pour les remettre a fur et a mesure qu'on les inventoriait sur la table Devant laquelle nous etions, dans cet appartement se promenaient allant et venant Mons. Hacquet representant la femme de Mahomed Sayhier et le subrogé tuteur de l'enfant

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de cette femme. On inventoriait en que les pieces reconnues utiles aux ayant droits et quand l'on a cru avoir tout fini l'on ramassait tous les papiers dans une malle.

Quand l'Interprete Indostane continuant à papoter les heures m'a remis une piece celle que j'ai décrite comme contenant des dispositions testamentaires la même pièce que vous me représentez en ce moment et dont je reconnais l'identité toute entière et ma signature que y est apposée à toutes ses pages. Je puis ajouter qu'en me remettant cette pièce j'ai représenté à ce moment Indostani qu'ayant déjà examiné les papiers il était étonnant qu'il ne fut pas plustôt signalé cette pièce. Pour tout le reste que regarde la dite pièce, je ne puis que m'en référer à mon procès verbal, Je n'ai d'ailleurs à donner à la Justice aucun renseignement susceptible de soulager ma conscience.

Lecture faite au témoin de la déposition, il a déclaré y persister et a signé

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Signé avec nous et notre Greffier suivant les signatures.

Le sieur Magny nous ayant représenté la citation à lui donnée pour déposer, a prêté serment de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité, et a répondu aux questions d'usages ainsi qu'il suit.

1re Session
Mr A Magny

Je me nomme Adolphe Magny, âgé de Vingt Six Ans, Commis Greffier, de la Justice de Paix, demeurant à Pondichery.

D. Dites nous les détails du lieu et des circonstances dans lesquels le testament de Mahomed Sayber a été découvert.

R. C'était dans une chambre dont le milieu était occupé par une table Dans cette était le Juge de Paix à droite du Juge de Paix se trouvait Mons. Hocquet et à sa gauche le Greffier et en face du Juge de Paix était le Sabbon, qui était occupé à Dresser son procès verbal, et derrière lui se trouvait la masse des papiers explorée par l'Interprète Saidou Ghoulam Kader. Il remettait sur le bureau les pièces qu'il croyait devoir détacher de la masse, et produire à l'inventaire. A coté de l'Interprète étaient et venaient Sayd ou Ismael et un gipsier

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Dazaze, gendre et representant De Rah. manche Biby, sœur aînée de Mahomed Sayer, Adam Saib subrogé tuteur de la fille mineure de Mahomed Sayeur. Le gardien des scellés pion de Police y était aussi assis par terre, à droite de l'Interprete. Les papiers examinés avaient déjà été remis dans le coffre qui était là, et il ne restait plus par terre que quelques feuilles, lorsque le dit gendre et representant de Rah. manche biby observa qu'il pourrait être utile d'explorer de nouveau la masse de papiers qu'on venait de rejeter comme inutiles. Lorsque moi même sur l'ordre de Mons.r le Juge de Paix avec le pion je retirai du coffre une liasse de papiers que l'interprète se mit a examiner. Dans les derniers papiers restant il découvert le testament.

D. Le trouva-t-il au milieu des autres sans vos yeux?

R. Non Monsieur, j'étais occupé d'un autre coté dans ce moment croyant l'examen fini.

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D. Le testament trouvé est il la pièce que je vous représente?

R. Je reconnais son identité et celle de ma signature qui y est apposée sur toutes les pages.

D. En quelle qualité et pour qu'étiez vous là présent?

R. J'y étais comme fondé de pouvoir de la veuve du defunt mariée D'Jenabiby plus tard et dans des intérêts de conciliation touchant les objets à vendre de la succession j'ai été également chargé des pouvoirs de la Sœur du defunt Rahman Biby.

D. Sauriez vous en votre possession des écrits, signatures et marque de ces deux personnes propres à servir de moyen de confrontation avec le testament prétendu?

R. Oui, Monsieur, je suis dépositaire de tous les papiers de la succession et j'ai des écritures des divers individus qui sont interessés dans cette affaire notamment du defunt, du gendre de la Sœur du defunt, du Interprete Sadasang j'ai les marques de la veuve et de la Sœur je m'empresserai de déposer toutes

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ces pièces au Greffe du tribunal, pour qu'il en soit fait tel usage que de droit.-

D. Avez vous quelques Données particulières propres à nous éclairer sur cette affaire?-

R. Il est à ma connaissance que lorsque D'Janabiby était en cette ville en logeant dans la même maison que la Sœur du Defunt et le gendre de cette dernière, celui ci fit après de D'Jenabiby des tentatives vives et réitérées pour lui faire signer un acte D'accord dont je ne connais pas le contenu, mais que celle ci s'y est constamment refusée. ceci s'est passé avant la découverte du testament.-

D. Y a t'il quelques circonstances à votre connaissance qui se rattachent à l'invention du testament?-

R. Si, Monsieur, au moment même où on disait qu'il avait été tracé un testament et que ce testament portait la marque de la main, celle ci entendant cela se prit à pleurer et à se lamenter jusqu'à sejeter et à rouler par terre.- Dans le moment même où cette scène se passait

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passait le subrogé tuteur Adam Saib qui se trouvait auprès de moi n'hesita pas de me dire qu'il soupçonnait ce testament de faux. J'observerai à Monsr. le Juge d'Instruction que le testament prétendu est écrit d'une main sure et ferme comme de la main d'un calligraphe, tandis que le défunt était un homme malade et alité depuis environ pendant dix mois, livré habituellement malgré son état à la boisson et à l'usage de l'opium. et dans cet état on peut douter qu'il fût capable d'écrire de cette façon. J'observe encore que parmi ses nombreux papiers il ne s'en trouve pas une seule sur feuille de l'espèce du papier sur lequel est écrit le testament.-

D. Avez vous quelque peu connu et fréquenté Mahomed Sayhier?-

R. Fort peu, je sais seulement qu'il traitait assez mal son épouse, tandis qu'il affectionnait beaucoup une concubine qui était chez lui. Je sais aussi qu'il avait eu avec sa Sœur des différends qui n'ont été terminés que par une décision de l'année passée de la Cour de Madras, laquelle décision le condamne

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de payer à sa Sœur une pension qu'il lui devait et qu'il lui refusait. Celle Cronille aurait depuis Sept Ans. Le gendre de la Sœur en avait été l'occasion. Dans ces circonstances il serait étonnant qu'il eut oublié ceux qu'il aimait et gratifier des parents qu'il considerait comme ennemis.—

D. Est il à votre connaissance que Mahomed Sayer ait répudié légalement Djanabiby?—

R. Il résulte de mes renseignements et de bruit du Cazy que Djanabiby n'a jamais été repudiée.—

D. Pouriez vous nous donner quelque renseignement sur cette femme Kâ-Kanna dont parle le testament, et que l'on suppose avoir recueillie chez elle Djanabiby à titre D'esclave?—

R. Oui, Monsieur, Kâ-Kanna était la seule pour avoir recueillir chez elle à titre d'esclave Djanabiby, d'alors par. ce qu'elle était elle même dans la maison de Mahomed Sayer et dans les derniers temps elle a été volontairement

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volontairement au service de Djanabiby. Je tiens de Kâ-Kanna elle même que Djanabiby était la seule femme légitime de Mahomed Sayher, et n'était point répudiée ni dans le cas de l'être j'etois ajouter cependant que depuis l'arrivée de la Sœur de Mahomed Sayher elle avait déserté la cause de Djanabiby et s'était rapprochée De Ramanechabiby.—

Lecture faite au temoin de sa déposition il a déclaré y persister et a signé avec nous et notre Greffier— Suivant les signatures.—

Athanasamy Sabellion nous ayant représenté la citation à lui donnée pour déposer a prêté serment de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité, et a répondu aux questions d'usages ainsi qu'il suit.—

Je me nomme Namiapa Appassamy âgé de quarante huit ans, fils de feu Souverayen Namiapaulle, de Caste berger Sabellien demeurant à Pondichery.—

D. Dites nous ce que vous savez relativement au testament de Mahomed Sayer et à la manière dont il a été découvert?

R. Jamais été appelé pour disposer le procès verbal d'inventaire, j'étais ici

3e Temoin
N. Appassamy

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à la table mais je me levais de temps en temps pour aller moi-même rechercher les papiers qui pouvaient être écrits en Malabar. Cependant dans le moment ou le testament prétendu a été trouvé par l'interprete industany, j'étais en rassis à la table et pour clore le procès verbal et je tournais le dos aux papiers et à l'Interprete, je me suis même assis en rassis que parceque je considerais l'examen des papiers comme terminé, La circonstance que a fait revenir sur cet examen n'a échappé à mon attention parceque d'une part j'étais revenu tout entier à mes écritures et que de l'autre je ne comprends pas la langue qu'on fait parler les Musulmans presents. J'observerai seulement cette circonstance singuliere que quand on a lu le testament et dit qu'il portait la marque de Djanabiby, celle ci s'est aussitôt présentée en pleurs et en se lamentant protestant de la fausseté de sa marque.

D. Connaissez vous la pièce que je vous montre?

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R. Je reconnais l'entiere identité de la pièce et de ma signature qui est apposée sur toutes les pages.

D. Avez vous rien à ajouter à cette déposition?

R. Non Monsieur

Lecture faite au temoin de sa déposition il a declaré y persister et a signé avec nous et notre Greffiers suivent les signatures

L'An Mil huit Cent quarante Cinq le Vendredi dix Juin a dix heures du matin par devant nous, Emile Bronssais Lieutenant de juge, Juge d'Instruction près le tribunal de premiere instance de Pondichery, en vertu de notre cédule de quatre du courant, et notifié le même jour par l'huissier Tilliau au temoin ci après, avons procédé à son audition et serment de autres cinq temoins ainsi que il suit.

4e Temoin. Adam Saib.

Le nommé Adam Saib nous ayant représenté la citation a lui donné pour déposer la vérité serment de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité, et a répondu aux questions de usages ainsi qu'il suit.

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Je me nommé Adam Saib, fil de feu Rajaul Saib, de Caste Musulman âgé de Soixante huit ans, Marchand, Demeurant à Pondichery.—

D. Depuis quand connaissiez-vous Mahomed Tayer, et de quelle nature sont les relations que vous avez eu avec lui?—

R. Lorsque Mohomed Tayer est venu de Madras a Pondichery il y a sept ans, il fut recommandé à Cojondé Moodeliar par un Anandaroya Moodeliar de Madras et Cojondé Dareamada Moodeliar me mit en rapport avec lui depuis lors je sais resté lié avec Mahomed Tayer il me consultait dans toutes ses affaires et me chargeait chaque mois d'aller toucher ses Revenus à Gingelum. Dans le commencement De son d'y avoir ici je l'avais logé dans une maison voisine de la mienne.—

D. Vous dit il parlé du dessein qu'il avait en de faire son testament?—

R. Non, Monsieur, jamais pas plus dans le cours des années précédent que dans les derniers moments de sa vie, et cependant je puis dire que j'étais initié dans

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dans toute ses affaires et admis dans son intimité. D'le Mahomed Tayer n'avait il pas plusieurs femmes?—

R. Il n'en avait qu'une légitime c'était D'janabiby. Il avait aussi deux autres concubines, ce qui causait un grand désordre dans cette maison, jaloux de ce la que Mahomed Tayer était livré à la boisson et à l'usage immodéré de l'opium quand il y avait chez lui des querelles graves à cause de la turbulence dont il usait envers sa femme j'étais ordinairement appelé par lui et choisi par arbitre j'ajoute que dans les derniers temps il traitait mieux sa femme, et à de cette dernière, une fille, d'une de ses concubines morte l'année dernière, il a un garçon, et la seconde concubine restée sans enfants est retournée à Madras depuis son décès.—

D. La découverte de ce testament inattendu a dû causer beaucoup de trouble dans la famille?—

Dites vous si personne dans les vingt jours qui ont précédé cette invention tous les membres de la famille étaient

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Reunes quelqu'une d'eux a parlé sous comme l'existence du testament?

R. Non, Monsieur aucune d'eux n'en a parlé.

D. Dans la supposition de l'absence d'un testament les parties ont du chercher à transiger entre elles si leurs interêts eventuel dans cette succession?

R. Oui Monsieur, la sœur du défunt depuis son arrivée necessait de prendre à parti la veuve pour lui faire consentir par écrit un arrangement, elle supposait qu'elle devait être heritière de tous les biens et ne voulait s'engager vis à vis de Djanabiby qu'à une pension alimentaire cette dernier ne cessant de se plainte des importunités de sa belle sœur, je fus obligé de mettre un frein auprès de Djanabiby pour la delivrer des obsessions de Ramanchabiby et plus encore du gendre de cette dernière. Dans le commencement de son arrivée de Madras Ramanchabiby mangea avec Djanabiby et la traita assez bien. Elle proposa même à Djanabiby de

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vivre de la même manière qu'ils seroient retournées à Madras, ajoutant qu'il faudrait consentir à faire passer sur la tête du garçon qu'il laisse la mutation des biens de Codompacom à grosse Djanabiby dit ne pouvait consentir attendu que cet enfant était naturel tandisque Mahamad Sayer avait laissé une fille.

D. Que s'est-il passé parmi les membres de cette famille après la Découverte du testament.

R. Ramanchabiby comme triomphante se retira aussitôt à Madras avec une copie du testament.

D. Quelle est votre opinion personnelle sur ce testament?

R. Mon opinion est qu'il est supposé parce que avec les sentiments dont il était animé contre sa sœur jamais il n'eut fait un testament en sa faveur, ensuite d'une autre jamais rien dit ni fait entendre, en outre je reconnais par l'écriture de Mahamad Sayer dans le testament que vous me présentez, jamais il n'a eu une écriture aussi longue

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et aussi forme que celle de ce testament prétendu, il ne me paraît pas même qu'il y ait aucun rapport entre la signature et l'écriture de Mahomed Sayer dont je produirai plusieurs pièces et ce testament. J'ajoute que Mahomed Sayer avait plusieurs rames de papier d'Europe, et qu'il ne s'est jamais servi à ma connaissance d'un pareil papier à celui de ce testament. Lorsqu'il écrivait à ses connaissances il employait un papier blanc doré sur tranche, il jamais il ne se fut servi du papier de ce pays. Et de suite nous avons fait signer et parapher le dit testament par le témoin.

D. Avez vous quelqu'autre fait à l'appui de ces présomptions?

R. Oui Monsieur, j'ai été étonné que le maître de persan appelé pour visiter les papiers à l'inventaire, écrit dans cette langue et avec lequel j'avais fait prix d'une roupie par jour j'ai été étonné dès je, de deux choses, la première à de ce que l'inventaire paraissant terminé le grandre de la Cour lui dit

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dit examinez bien de nouveau trouvez pas quelque chose, et secondement de ce qu'après l'apparition terminée ce même individu Salabdaib me dit d'ajouter deux roupies pour son compte à l'appoint personnel deux. Déjà convenus. Je note encore que Salabdaib est maître d'écriture personne, et fait métier de copier des manuscrits.

D. Existait il quelques relations entre ce Salabdaib et ce maître persan?

R. Oui, Monsieur, ils se connaissaient et se fréquentaient. Salabdaib mangeait même avec le maître persan depuis la mort de Mahomed Sayer c'est moi même que les avait mis en rapport environ trois jours avant la découverte du testament et depuis jusqu'au moment du départ de Salabdaib c'est à dire pendant un mois ils ont vécus dans une grande intimité.

D. Savez vous que le fait courir le bruit que Salabdaib s'était jeté aux pieds du maître persan en lui disant vous en m'avez sauvé?

R. Je ne sais pas précisément, mais ce propos

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propos a passé par la Couche d'un des Cavaliers de Mahomed Tayer, celui-là même que est resté depuis son décès dans la Maison les deux autres s'étant retirés avant le décès de Mahomed Tayer.-

D. A quelle époque faudrait il faire remonter la confection de ce testament si on voulait le supposer véritable?-

R. Pas fort, haut, car l'écriture en est fraiche et récente, il ne porte d'ailleurs aucune date ni indication de lieu.-

D. Reconnaissez-vous la marque de Djanabely?-

R. Non, Monsieur, ce n'est pas la sa marque je la connais. Djanabely elle-même loin de la reconnaître quand elle m'en a entendu parler est restée stupéfaite et s'est mise à pleurer et à se lamenter elle s'est roulée par terre de désespoir.-

D. Quelle est la fortune que laisse Mahomed Tayer?-

R. Elle est peu considérable, elle ne consiste guère que dans ses Dépouilles Roupies et mon on vente les meubles rendus ici de haut en

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vendus au prix de quatorze Cent Vingt Huit Roupies. Mais cette somme a été presque entièrement absorbée par ses créanciers et les frais de voyage que ses héritiers ont prélevé pour retour-ner à Madras.-

Je laisse entre les mains de Mons. le Juge d'Instruction pour être mis de com-parution un papier plié deux formant quatre pages et contenant huit lignes dont sept horizontales et une perpendiculaire de la main de Mahomed Tayer, laquelle a été numérotée, signée et paraphée par le dit témoin par nous, notre Greffier et l'In-terprète.-

Lecture faite au témoin de sa déposition, il a déclaré y persister et a signé avec nous notre Greffier et l'Interprète tous les signatures.-

5e Janvier Viraperoumal

Le Nre Viraperoumal nous ayant représenté la citation à lui donnée de comparaître à prêté serment de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité, et a répondu aux questions d'usages ainsi que suit.-

Je me nomme Viraperoumal, fils de Jan-nadeiri de Caste parias, âgé de cinquante ans,

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Aus, Couly, demeurant a Poudichery, ci devant Cavalère de Mahomed Sayer.

D. Combien de temps êtes vous resté au service de Mahomed Sayer?

R. Je suis entré à son service quatre ou cinq mois avant sa mort, et je suis resté trois mois après dans la Maison au service de la veuve.

D. Avez vous été attaché au service du jeune de la sœur de Mahomed Sayer?

R. Non, Monsieur, mais comme cavalère de la maison je l'ai suivie dans plusieurs sorties et ventes au Dehars.

D. Chez qui venait elle à Poudichery avant la découverte du testament?

R. Chez un Musulman dont j'ignore le nom, mais dont je connais la personne et la Demeure. Je lui ai vu trois ou quatre fois avec lui douceur et droiture et j'en ai conservé le souvenir parceque chaque fois il me recommandait de n'en prendre à Djanabiby, et m'a menacé même de me cathe si j'étais indiscrète. Un jour que la veuve me pressait instamment de lui dire ce qu'avait été Salabdeb après

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après lui avoir fait des réponses évasives je me décidai à lui dire ce, en la priant de ne pas m'attirer les mauvais traitements dont j'avais été menacé par Salabdeb. Ce jour même j'avais vu Salabdeb écrire avec ce Musulman au dans le payal de la Maison. Une autre fois qu'il n'avait pas trouvé ce Musulman chez lui il avait demandé de l'encre et lui avait laissé un billet secret ou fin c'est deux ou trois jours après toutes ces allés et venus que le testament a été découvert.

D. Que savez vous d'avantage sur le sujet

R. Je sais qu'après la découverte du testament j'ai accompagné Salabdeb trois fois chez ce Musulman et la troisième fois il sont été dans un cimetière Musulman.

D. Avez vous surpris un jour Salabdeb se jeter au pied de ce Musulman et avez vous entendu ce qu'il lui disait

R. Non, Monsieur.

D. Avez vous été témoin de quelques querelles dans l'intérieur de la Maison

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après la découverte du testament.-

R. Oui, Monsieur, j'ai vu et entendu Djanabiby dire à la belle sœur que ce testament avait été fabriqué par des paussaires, à quoi la belle sœur répondait que ce n'était pas elle qui l'avait fait fabriquer, mais qu'il avait été trouvé parmi les papiers de son mari.-

D. Avez vous vu le testament?-

R. Non, Monsieur, j'en ai seulement entendu parler.-

Lecture faite au témoin de sa Déposition, il a déclaré y persister, interpellé de la signer il a déclaré ne le savoir, et nous signé avec notre Greffier et l'Interprète suivant les signatures.-

L'an mil huit cent quatorze cinq le lundi neuf Juin à dix heures du matin, par devant nous Emmanuel Bronsdin, Lieutenant de Juge, Juge d'instruction près le tribunal de première instance de Pondichery en notre Cabinet dit dans le local du dit tribunal, assisté de Maître de telle

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Est donné connaissance au Greffier et de l'Interprète Pommaussamy, en conséquence de notre cédule en date du 7e Juin présent mois, et notifié le même jour par l'Huissier Filatreau aux témoins ci-après, nous avons procédé à leur audition séparément les uns des autres ainsi qu'il suit.-

Le nommé Dayrenada Mooda-liar nous ayant représenté la citation à lui donnée pour déposer, a prêté serment de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité et a répondu aux questions d'usage ainsi qu'il suit.-

Je me nomme Cayalé Dayrenada Mudeliar, fils de feu Saverinada Mudeliar de Caste Vellaja, âgé de 46 ans, commerçant, demeurant à Pondichery.-

D. Savez vous nous donner quelque renseignement touchant Mahomed Sayer et la nature de ses relations de famille, notamment entre sa sœur et lui, entre sa femme et sa sœur?

R. Oui, Monsieur, lorsque Mahomed Sayer est venu à Pondichery il m'a été adressé par un de mes parents de Madras,

1e Témoin

Dayrenada Mudeliar.

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Madras. Il résulte de la lettre de ce docteur qu'il quittait Madras en partie à cause de ses démêlés avec sa Sœur. Il est venu ici il y a à peu près Sept ans, je l'ai spécialement recommandé ici à Adam Sait qui s'est mis en rapport intime avec lui et connait toutes ses affaires. Je le donne pour un témoin à qui la Justice peut se fier. Je n'ai point été moi même chez Mahomed Sayer, mais je l'ai vu de temps en temps chez moi jusqu'à ses derniers temps.

D. Pouvons-nous dit par rapport à sa Sœur.

R. Il m'a dit qu'il avait fait tout pour éviter les dépenses exhorbitantes que pouvaient occasionner les procès qu'il avait avec sa Sœur, ses dissensions avec sa Sœur n'avaient pas cessés.

D. Mahomed Sayer est il marié, et savez vous s'il se plaignait de sa femme, vous a-t-il dit quelque chose de relatif à la réponse qu'il lui eut déjà répondu?

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Je ne lui ai jamais entendu dire rien de pareils ni n'en ai eu parler à d'autre, mais en définite il n'était point notairement séparé de sa femme, tandis qu'il était notairement mal avec sa Sœur.

D. Vous a-t-il fait quelque confidence relativement à ses dispositions testamentaires?

R. Il ne m'a jamais parlé de ses dernières intentions ni de son testament.

Exhibition faite au témoin du prétendu testament, il a déclaré ne point le reconnaître ni entendre la langue dans laquelle il est écrit.

D. Dans quel état mental et physique avez vous vu Mahomed Sayer dans les derniers temps?

R. Dans les derniers temps il ne pouvait pas sortir de chez lui, mais auparavant il était d'une vivacité habituel d'hébétude et d'assoupissement.

Lecture faite au témoin de sa déposition, il a déclaré y persister et signé avec nous notre Greffier et l'Interprète suivent les signatures.

Le Mr. Saffaraz nous ayant représenté la citation à lui donnée pour déposer a prêté serment de dire toute la vérité

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et rien que la vérité et a répondu aux questions d'usages ainsi qu'il suit.—

7e Témoin Saffarcan. Je me nomme Saffarcan, fils de Rafaja Alichat, de Caste Musulman, âgé de 30 ans, Lapidaire, demeurant à Pondichery.—

D. Connaissez-vous Mahomed Sayor et le fréquentiez vous?—

R. Oui, nous nous fesions visite l'un l'autre depuis les premiers temps de son séjour ici jusqu'à la fin.—

D. Savez-vous s'il était bien ou mal avec sa femme?—

R. Oui, il m'a souvent dit que sa femme était une méchante femme qui lui avait causé beaucoup de chagrin, que lui avait fait des procès ruineux, que l'avait même fait détenir en prison à Madras à qui lui avait fait en quelque sorte tourner la tête. Pendant les sept ans qu'il a demeuré ici, sa femme n'y est jamais venue une seule fois.—

D. Lui, avez vous entendu manifester l'intention de répudier sa femme?—

R. Non, Monsieur, il me faisait cependant ses plus intimes confidences, mais

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mais il ne m'a jamais rien dit de pareil, s'il avait eu quelques mauvais soupçons contre sa femme il m'en eut parlé, et s'il eut eu quelques preuves il eut sur le champ la répudier pardevant le Cazy Catifet le Moulak.—Il avait néanmoins chez lui deux Concubines l'une morte il y a environ un an et qui a laissé un garçon, cette Concubine s'appelle Boulkan la seconde s'appelle Zarah et a quitté sa maison pour retourner à Madras quelques jours après sa mort.—ces deux Concubines étaient des Cafrédères et l'enfant de Boulkan ne peut hériter suivant les lois Mahométanes.

D. Lui avez vous entendu parler de son dessein de faire un testament, ou de ses dispositions testamentaires?—

R. Non Monsieur, il ne m'a jamais parlé de faire un testament. Je ne l'ai pas vu les tout derniers jours de sa vie, parceque j'ai été détaché à Pondichery, mais je puis assurer qu'immédiatement avant sa mort il avait la main assez ferme pour me faire écrire quelques affectionnement et dans les derniers jours fesait de tout.—

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D. Savez-vous quelque chose de plus relativement aux auteurs supposés de ce testament, et à la maniere dont il aurait été introduit dans les papiers du Defunt?

R. Non, Monsieur.

Exhibition faite du pretendu testament, le temoin déclare ne point le reconnaitre n'avoir jamais vu chez Mahomed Sayer de pareil papier ne point d'ailleurs entendre la langue ni les caracteres ainsi industrieux traduction a lui faite du contenu, il declare impossible que Mahomed Sayer parce qu'il était à se couteau tirer avec sa Sœur. Plus d'un mois avant sa mort il avait le bras et la main enflés au point de ne pouvoir pas du tout écrire. quant à ses sentiments à le gard de sa Sœur ils étaient tels qu'étant déjà alité il disait que sa cadavre même ne pouvait supporter l'ombre de sa Sœur.

Lecture faite au temoin de sa deposition il a declaré y persister et a signé avec nous, notre Greffier et les

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Interprete. Suivant les Signatures.

Le Nr. Gaundan nous ayant représenté la citation a lui donnée pour deposer a prete serment de dire toute la verité et rien que la verité, et a repondu aux questions d'usages ainsi qu'il suit.

Je me nomme Ganan, fils de Sheik Imam, de Caste Musulman, âgé de 20 Ans, sans profession, demeurant à Pondichery, et suis au service de Mahomed Sayer.

D. Combien de temps avez vous été au service de Mahomed Sayer?

R. Environ un an et je ne suis sorti de la maison qu'à la mort ou plutôt trois mois après sa mort.

D. Avez vous entendu dire à Mahomed Sayer étant chez lui qu'il eut repudié sa femme?

R. Jamais nous n'avons entendu rien de pareil, il n'eut pu le faire sans un certaine solemnité par devant le Cazy et le Moutah, ce qui n'eut pu rester ignoré dans la maison. Depuis que je suis resté dans la maison j'ai constamment entendu dire que ce

Mahomed

Sheik Ganan

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Mahomed-Tayer était l'ennemi declaré de sa saur, et quand celle ci vint à marier sa fille à Salabi saib et en fit part a son père, ce dernier ne témoigna que du mépris et de l'aversion, et ne lui répondit même pas. après le décès de Mahomed. Tayer cette saur est veuve avec son gendre. Il s'est élevé entre eux et la veuve de vives querelles. Salabi saib voulait faire dresser, à Djanabiby un acte par lequel elle cedait à Salabi saib l'abandon de tous les biens de la succession de Mahomed. Tayer à la charge par Salabi saib de loger et nourrir Djanabiby et Ramanchabiby; mais Djanabiby rejetta cette proposition pretendant qu'elle n'avait aucun droit à la succession de son mari. Comme la saur et son gendre ne cessaient de harceler Djanabiby celle ci implora la decours de Monsr Magny qui envoya un peon pour faire cesser les importunités de Salabi saib, et finalement Djanabiby se retira à Pondichéry en domicile de son defunt mari. Plusieurs jours avant la decouverte du pretendu testament, Salabi saib

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se mit en rapport avec Goulamkader et avec le Cavalère de la Maison, il fit à ce dernier plusieurs visites à Poudichery à son domicile. Un jour que Salabi saib laissa à Goulamkader un papier ecrit de sa main et recommanda au Cavalère de n'en rien dire à la Maison devant Djanabiby. Cependant le Cavalère en parle à Djanabiby, alors Salabi saib mena ce la Cavalère de Coups de cravachy s'il en parlait encore. J'étais présent à l'inventaire, d'etat Goulamkader qui visitait les papiers et tout etait presque fini et on avait presque tout ramassé lorsque Goulamkader montra le testament. alors Monsr le Juge de Paix procéda à la constatation, mais lorsque tout le monde fut retiré et qu'il ne restait plus que Goulamkader, Jaru Salabi saib se jeter à ses pieds et lui dire vous êtes mon sauveur. Ensuite il se releva et vint à moi avec vivacité en demandant de me retirer. J'observe que lorsque on lut à Djanabiby le pretendu testament qu'on venait de decouvrir, elle se recria en disant que c'était par ce que

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elle n'avait pas voulu sans crainte d'acte proposé qu'on avait fabriqué ce testament l'usage n'est pas parmi les Musulmans de faire un testament de cette manière, mais on appelle le Cazyyat le Moullah.—

D. Quel rôle Ka. Nauna jouait elle dans la Maison.

R. Il n'était pas grand, elle faisait la cuisine et recevait pour cela de Mahomed Tayer deux Roupies d'était une ancienne Concubine de son poète défunt.—

D. D'janabeby n'était donc pas son exclusive.

R. Comment peut on dire une chose aussi odieuse puis que D'janabeby était la femme legitime de Mahomed Tayer. Seulement il est repris de dire que les concubines de Mahomed Tayer attiraient a D'janabeby quelques jours de mauvais traitements, à cause surtout de ses excès de boissons et de debauche auxquels se livrait Mahomed Tayer.—

Exhibition faite au temoin du pretendu testament, il a declaré le reconnaitre pour celui qui a été trouvé au moment de l'inventaire, quoique ne sachant pas lire, ni écrire.— Il declare qu'il n'a jamais

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jamais vu de pareil papier sur le Bureau de son maitre, mais des cachets et des rames de papier blanc.— Il déclare en outre que depuis huit mois Mahomed Tayer était hors d'état d'écrire.—

Lecture faite au temoin de sa déposition il a déclaré y persister, interpellé de la signer il a declaré ne le savoir, et avons signé avec notre Greffier et l'Interprete.— Suivent les signatures.—

Après la deposition du temoin precedent, et avant la continuation de l'information.—

Nous ordonnons qu'il en soit donné communication à Monsieur le Procureur du Roi pour requérir ce qu'il appartiendra.—

Pondichery, le neuf Juin 1845.

Le Lieutenant du Juge

(Signé) A. Bronsdon.

L'an mil huit cent quarante cinq le samedi quatorze Juin a dix heures du matin, par devant nous, Emile Bronsdon, Lieutenant de Juge d'Instruction pres le tribunal de premiere Instance de Pondichery, en notre

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Cabinet sis dans le local du dit tribunal, a
siste de Mons.r Achille Isidore, Commis Gre
fier et de l'Interprete Pounausamy, en ve
de notre cédule du treize du courant, et no
fice le même jour par l'Huissier Telatieu
aux témoin ci après, avons procedé à leur
audition separement l'uns des autres ainsi
qu'il suit.-

Sheikbadé vous ayant représenté
la citation a lui donnée pour deposer a pre
serment de dire toute le verite et rien que l
vérité, et a répondu aux questions D'usage

Je me nomme Sheikbadé, fils de feu
Sheik Madar, de Caste Musulman, âgé de 50
ans, Loubidar demeurant à Pondichéry.-

D. Avez-vous en quelque intimité avec
Mahomed Sayer, et pouvez-vous nous donn
quelques renseignements sur ses relations
de famille et ses affaires privées?

R. Non, Monsieur, je n'ai connu
Mahomed Sayer que dans des rapports de ser
fice publique, parce qu'il était fils d'un Loubida
de même rang que moi. Mais je ne me mêle
infame d'aucune de ses affaires privées
domestiques.-

Vous

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D. Vous avez cependant su qu'il avait
avec lui une femme legitime nommée -
D'janabiby?-

R. Oui, Monsieur-

D. Avez-vous ouï dire à lui ou à d'autres
qu'il l'eut repudiée?-

R. Non, Monsieur-

D. Savez-vous de quelle nature étaient
ses relations avec sa sœur s'ils étaient bien en
mal ensemble?-

R. Non, Monsieur-

D. Lui avez-vous entendu parler de
son testament fait ou à faire?-

R. Non, Monsieur.-

Lecture faite au témoin de sa dépo-
sition il a declaré y persister et a signé
avec nous, notre Greffier et l'Interprete.
Suivent les signatures.-

La Nle Sayerambiby nous ayant
representée la citation à elle donnée pour
deposer a prêté serment de dire toute la
verité et rien que la vérité, et a répondu
aux questions d'usages sur quoi il fut.-

Je me nomme Sayerambiby,
fille de feu Mirmamandar, de Caste
Musulmane

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Musulman, âgé de 40 ans, ex. domestique chez Mahomed. Tayer, demeurant à Pondichéry.—

D. Puisque vous connaissez l'intérieur de la maison de Mahomed. Tayer, dites-nous en votre âme et conscience si Djanabiby a répudié par Mahomed. Tayer ?—

R. Non, Monsieur, avant la découverte de ce prétendu testament on avait jamais entendu parler dans la maison d'une pareille répudiation.—

D. Est ce que Djanabiby a été traitée comme épouse légitime dans la maison ?—

R. Oui Monsieur, elle en avait le rang les distinctions.—

D. Avez vous entendu parler avant la mort de Mahomed. Tayer qu'il avait fait un testament ?—

R. Non, Monsieur, pas un mot sur ce sujet n'a circulé dans la maison.—

D. Est il vrai que Kâ. Kama entretenait de mauvais rapports avec Djanabiby et qu'elle y eut accueilli Djanabiby à titre d'esclave ?—

R. Non, Monsieur, cela est contre la vérité

Mahomed

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Mahomed. Tayer avait fait venir Kâ. Kama de Madras pour faire la cuisine, et elle servait également Mahomed. Tayer et sa femme.—

D. Etes vous resté dans la maison depuis la mort de Mahomed. Tayer ?—

R. Oui, Monsieur j'en suis sortie que depuis environ un mois. J'ai été témoin pendant ce temps de plusieurs contestations entre le vieux et Salahi saib, ce dernier a tenté à plusieurs reprises avec beaucoup d'instance de leur faire signer un papier. Je l'ai vu jurer sur le Koran et faire tout pour la déterminer à ce qu'il voulait, mais Djanabiby s'est constamment refusée à tout faire. Cependant à la fin de ces importunités elle se fit mettre Monsr. Magny qui envoya d'abord un peon pour la protéger, et ensuite deux voitures pour la ramener à Pondichéry, l'une de ces voitures étant pour Djanabiby et l'autre a ses ustensiles de ménage. Salahi. Djanabiby s'opposa longtemps à son départ, mais en fin il y consentit. Il y eut à ce sujet de très vives disputes auxquelles j'ai pris part moi même

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cherchant à deliverer ma mais tresde.-

D. Avez-vous vu Gantan Kada dans la maison ?-

R. Je ne l'ai vu que le jour de la découverte de ce testament.-

D. Avez-vous été temoin de ce que votre fils a rapporté, c'est-à-dire de ce que Salali Saib s'est jeté aux pieds de Gantan Kader ?-

R. Non, Monsieur, j'ai seulement vu mon fils rapporter la part a Djanabiby, il s'est mis à pleurer et à se lamenter, en disant qu'on avait fait un testament faux, et que jamais son mere n'avait eu l'intention ni de la repudier ni de deshériter.-

Lecture faite au temoin de sa déposition, il a déclaré y persister, interpellé de la signer il a declaré ne le savoir, a avec signé avec notre Greffier et l'Interprete. Suivent les signature.-

Le Nr Vengadassalam nous a représenté la citation à lui donnée pour déposer, a prêté serment de dire tout la vérité et rien que la vérité, et a répondu aux

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aux questions d'usage ainsi qu'il suit.-

Je me nomme Vengadassalam, fils de feu Séchassalamaikar, de Caste, Cavere âgé de quarante ans, Peon de police, demeurant à Pondichéry.-

D. Avez-vous pas été chargé dans la maison de Mahamed Sayer de la grande des Scellés ?-

R. J'étais présent à l'examen des papiers du défunt et au moment ou le testament a été trouvé par Gantan Kader. Vues dans quelles circonstances j'étais pour placer les papiers dans un cartable et n'en restait plus que quelques uns par terre, lorsque tout d'un coup Gantan Kader saisissant un de ce dernier déclara que c'était un testament.-

Personne ne s'y attendait plus et n'avait plus son attention portée du côté des papiers. Moi même j'étais tout entier au replacement de ces papiers déjà examinés.-

D. Aviez-vous pas été chargé auparavant de vous rendre auprès de Salali Saib et de vous faire des remontrances

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et des menaces s'il continuait de fatig
D'jonabiby de ses importunités ?—

R. Au, Monsieur, j'ai en cette co
-mission, Salali Saib s'est fâché et empar
protestant qu'il n'était pas capable
faire cette violence à une femme qu
de la contraindre à signer une tran
tion qu'elle repoussait.—

Exhibition faite au témoin de la
-dite testament, il a declaré le reconnai
mais ne savoir signer. Il ajoute que
lorsqu'il a été découvert Monsieur
a observé à Gautam Rudor qu'il était étran
qu'il ne l'eut pas trouvé plus tôt.—

Lecture faite au temoin de sa dépo
tion, il a declaré y persister, interpell
de le la signer, il a declaré ne le savoir, e
avons signé avec notre Greffier et l'Inte
prête — suivent les signatures.—

L'an Mil Huit Cent Quarante Cinq
le lundi Vingt Sept à dix heures du matin
par devant nous, Emile Braudois, Scanton
de Juger Juge d'Instruction pour ce tribun
de premiere instance de Pondichery
en notre Cabinet, sis dans la cour d

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dit tribunal, assisté de Maître Manuel
Bisch auquel nous avons fait prêter serment
adhoc pour remplir les fonctions de Commis
Greffier, et de l'Interprete Pounassamy en vertu
de notre cedule délivrée en date du quatorze
de ce mois, et notifiée le 15 du dit mois par
l'huissier aux témoins ci après avons
procédé à leur audition séparément ainsi
qu'il suit.—

Le nommé Sangouvardanada Moodaly,
fils de feu Savarnada Moodeliar, de Caste,
Saneda Vellaja, agent de l'Inspection de la
Régie du sol, domicilié à Pondichery
d'Affaire pauté, nous ayant représenté
la citation à lui donnée pour déposer, a
prêté serment, de dire toute la vérité et rien
que la vérité, et a répondu aux questions
d'usages ainsi qu'il suit.—

Question, Avez-vous connu le défunt Atha-
med Sayer ? L'avez-vous fréquenté et savez
vous quelque chose de ses relations de famille
et domestiques ?—

Re Au, Monsieur, je l'ai connu et fréquenté.

Q Savez-vous entendu parler de sa
dam. Dans quel terme et dans quels

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sentiments?—

R. Je l'ai entendu en parler avec dain et mépris. Je lui ai ouï dire que était à cause de ses differens avec sa qu'il avoit quitté Madras et qu'il étoit venu s'établir à Pondichery—

D. Avez-vous entendu dire à Mahomed Sayer qu'il avoit repudié sa femme Djamb ou qu'il en avoit l'intention?—

R. Non, Monsieur, je n'ai rien entendu de lui de pareil sur ce sujet.—

D Avez-vous entendu parler de testament fait ou à faire?—

R Jamais un seul mot sur ce sujet

Lecture faite au témoin de sa déposition, il a déclaré y persister et a signé avec nous, notre Commis Greffier ad hoc et l'Interprète Juré les dépositaires.—

Le nommé Tamanja Moodelly fils de Royalan Moodelly, ayant été représenté la citation à lui donnée pour déposer à serment de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité et a répondu aux questions d'usage ainsi qu'il suit.—

Je me nomme Tamanja Moodelly fils de

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de Royalan Moodelly, de Caste, Vellaya, âgé de quarante et un ans, sans profession, demeurant à Pondichery.—

D. Avez-vous connaissance quelque intimité Mahomed Sayer?—

R Oui, Monsieur.—

D Vous a-t-il parlé de sa sœur.—

R. Oui, Monsieur, Mais avec mépris en comme ayant deshonoré sa famille et était la cause de ce qu'il a quitté Madras, il m'a parlé de deux heures à lui mais l'une de elle était morte, sa haine pour sa sœur restait était telle qu'il disait que le mort même ne lui ferait pas un pardon de ses torts.—

D. Vous a-t-il parlé de sa femme Djamb beby en termes que puissiez faire supposer qu'il avait l'intention de la répudier?—

R. Au contraire, je ne lui ai entendu que de l'estime et de l'amitié pour sa femme et beaucoup d'affection pour l'enfant qu'il avait d'elle, deux jours avant son mort j'ai rencontré un grand hazard, et il me m'a parlé que de ses affaires en tête à tête—je l'avais ne revu huit jours auparavant à la Campagne et il ne m'a point parlé de testament, quoique

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rencontré dans la Ville nous nous sommes
salués mutuellement, mais je ne l'ai
point fréquenté.

D. Vous connaissez Salary Sahib, gendre
de sa sœur, il a été chez vous avant l'inven-
taire de papiers de Mahomed Sayer, Com-
bien de fois ?

R. Non, Monsieur, il n'est jamais venu
chez moi, et je ne l'ai pas connu avant le
jour de l'inventaire on j'ai été appelé par lon
tome dernière d'Adam Sahib, après la vérification
des papiers à l'inventaire j'ai été appelé pour
servir d'Interprète entre Salary Sahib et Messrs
Magry, pour cela Salary Sahib est venu deux
fois ou trois fois me prendre chez moi.

D. Pour quel motif le jour d'inventaire
et après la découverte du testament après le
départ du Juge de Paix et de tous ceux que l'ac-
compagnait, pourquoi Salary Sahib s'est il jeté
à vos pieds disant que vous étiez son souverain.

R. Ce fait est faux.

D. Pourquoi après la vérification des papiers
et lorsque le Juge de Paix avait ordonné de les
replacer dans le Coffre, dans le moment
même on le prie en répétant mes
bras

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je fus son procureur, mais seulement de
l'état fâcheux de sa santé.

Exhibition faite du testament en tamoul
il a déclaré ne point entendre la langue
dans laquelle il est écrit, ne point reconnaî-
tre la signature mais pouvoir en produire
une signature que servira de comparaison,
n'avoir jamais vu le défunt se servir
de pareil papier.

Lecture faite en tamoul de sa déposi-
tion, il a déclaré y persister et a signé avec
nous, notre Commis Greffier et deux Indi
prêts lesquels ont signé avec nous.

Le Nommé Seydan Ibrahim Cader en
Bagissaire, nous ayant représenté la solution a
lui donné pour dépenses a prêté serment
de dire tout la vérité et rien que la vérité,
et a répondu aux questions d'usages en
nous ayant été lues.

Je me Nommé Seydan Ibrahim Cader Bagis
saire fils de feu Seydan Ismael Bagissaire de Cast
Musulman, âgé de trente deux ans, marchand de
Linge Musulman, demeurant à Pondichery.

D. Avez vous connu Mahomed Sayer de son vivant ?

R. Non, Monsieur je l'ai [illegible] jamais

brassée dans le Coffre et derriere lui, avez vous été chercher le testament dans ces derniers papiers?

R. La verification des papiers n'étant pas épuisée, il y en avoit encore une derniere portion à examiner, Mons.r le Juge de Paix, attendu l'heure avancée avait donné l'ordre de replacer tout dans le Coffre; c'est dans cette derniere partie que j'ai trouvé le testament.

D. Cette explication n'est pas suffisante de Jante de temps Mons.r le Juge de Paix avait remis à un autre jour l'examen des papiers restant, pourquoi avez vous été y chercher le testament?

R. Je ne le cherchais pas, je remarquais un dernier papier écrit de sauntes et il s'est trouvé par hazard que c'était le testament. après la decouverte du testament Mons.r le Juge de Paix ayant accordé de chercher encore dans ces papiers restants, j'ai trouvé une obligation d'un Salah au profit du père de Mahomed Sayer de la nation de Vieille Rampes au Pegados.

Il

D. Il résulte de la déposition du Cipaye de la maison de Mahomed Sayer, que Salah Sahb est venu avec lui trois fois chez vous. Les deux premieres fois il vous a trouvé et le Cipaye vous a vu comment ensemble sur le pagal, et la troisieme fois Salary Sahb ne vous ayant pas trouvé vous a laissé un ecrit de sa main?

R. Non, Monsieur, tous ces faits sont faux, et Salary Sahb est venu chez moi que après la decouverte de ce testament, et c'est alors qu'une fois ne m'ayant pas trouvé, il m'a laissé quelque mots écrits au crayon.

D. Le Contraire de ce que vous dites est attesté par plusieurs témoins, quel interet auraient ils de leur côté à traiter la vérité contre vous?

R. Je n'entends rien, mais les domestiques de Djinnaliby pourraient avoir quelque interêt à parler contre moi.

D. C'est ce que dans les papiers que vous avez enlevés vous ne avez vu de l'ecriture de celui là?

R. Oui, Monsieur, je crois en avoir vu de cette

Salah

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D. Jalale. Saib n'a pas pu vous cacher son étonnement de voir sa mère gratifié au préjudice de la veuve de défunt?

R. Il ne m'a jamais parlé ses affaires de famille.-

D. Dès. t. il donné été faire chez vous après la découverte du prétendu testament et pendant tout le temps qu'il est resté à Pondichery?-

R. Il ne m'a parlé que des frais et dépenses qu'il avait à prélever sur les derniers restants de la succession, et de la difficulté qu'il éprouvait à retirer des mains de Mons. Magry l'argent nécessaire à ces dépenses journalières.-

D. Je reviens sur le moment où le testament a été découvert, et j'oppose à vos assertions ce fait rapporté par un témoin digne de foi que Mons. Becquet vous a observé à vous même qu'il était étrange que vous ne l'eussiez pas retrouvé plutôt?-

R. Mons. Becquet m'a fait lire ce papier, il s'est contenté de lire et de traduire ce testament.-

Exhibition

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Exhibition faite au témoin de ce testament, il a déclaré la reconnaître y également par signature.-

Lecture faite au témoin de sa déposition, il a déclaré y persister et a signé avec nous notre Greffier & Interprète. Suivent les signatures.-

Le nommé Cheek Ibram nous ayant représenté la citation à lui donné pour déposer, a prêté serment, de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité, et a répondu aux questions d'usages ainsi qu'il suit.-

Je me nomme Cheek Ibram, fils de feu Rayanamandan, de Caste Mahomedan, âgé de trente ans, maréchal ferrand, demeurant à Pondichéry.-

D. Avez-vous connu Mahomed Sayer de son vivant?-

R Non, Monsieur, j'ai seulement été appelé chez lui quatre fois pour ferrer ses Chevaux, j'ai fait mon travail à la porte extérieure, et je me suis retiré après avoir reçu ma tâche. Je ne sais rien de ce qui regarde cette famille.-

D Avez vous eu quelques rapports

avec

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avec Djanaby, l'avez-vous ou en rencontré avec Gaulam Cader?—

R. Non, Monsieur, je ne connais pas la personne dont vous me parlez, je ne sais rien.—

Lecture faite au témoin de sa déposition, il a declaré y persister, interpellé de la signer il a declaré ne savoir, et avons signé avec notre Commis Greffier ad hoc et l'Interprète suivant les signatures.—

Vu le testament dont sujet en la présente information et les dépositions des témoins que précèdent.—

Attendu qu'il resulte forte présomption contre le dit testament qu'il est faux et supposé.—

Nous ordonnons que par les trois experts en langue et écriture Indoustane dont les noms suivent. S.S. Mesnet, Eugène Surat Gaulam Mustapha Khan, il sera procédé à une confrontation de l'écriture en la quelle il est écrit, sur comparaison, 1° avec celle de Gaulam Cader, 2° avec celle de Mahomed Sayer, 3° avec celle de nommé Djalaludeen

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Djalaludeen intéressé à l'existence et à la suppression du dit testament, et 3° avec celle de Gaulam Kader le complice du faux, s'il existe, parce que lui seul a pu l'introduire parmi les papiers du défunt lors de l'inventoire auquel il avait été appélé en qualité d'expert.—

Disons qu'il sera choisi parmi les papiers de Mahomed-Sayer et partout ailleurs ou faire se pourra, un corps d'écriture et une signature émanés de sa main propre et authentique ou sur toute autre pièce non contestée des parties à ce intéressées disons en outre que deux corps d'écritures émanés l'un de Djalaludeen et l'autre de Gaulam Kader seront également produits à l'effet d'être comparés avec l'écriture du dit testament et la fausseté en tout inférée ce que de droit.—

Disons que les pièces devant être produites au Greffe de notre tribunal par le sieur Magry et les nommés Abdoul Cauder et Samapa Moodelly et leurs autres pièces à ce utiles pouvant se trouver dans la succession de Mahomed-Sayer, seront mis

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a la disposition des dits experts a l'effet de constater si le testament est de la main et de l'écriture de quelqu'un des trois individus dont s'agit savoir. Mahomed. Sayer, Djalaldeen et Gantandar ou de quelque autre.-

Fait à Pondichéry le 16e Juin 1845. en notre Cabinet.-

Le Lieutenant de Juge, Juge d'

Instruction.-

/Signé/ Le Rousdaés.-

L'an mil huit cent quarante cinq. le Jeudi dix neuf Juin a deux heures de l'après midi par devant nous Emile Blaussais, Lieutenant de Juge, Juge d'Instruction près le tribunal de première instance de Pondichéry en notre Cabinet ses dans le local du dit tribunal, assisté de Maitre Mahmed Bissek, Commis Greffier, auquel nous avons fait prêter le serment ordinaire pour remplir les fonctions de Commis Greffier, et de l'Interprète Parumeny en vertu de la cedule de renvoi en date de ce jourd'hui nous est adressé

de

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le lendemain dix sept, par le Procureur Impérial, aux témoins ci après avons procédé a leur audition ainsi qu'il suit et est procédé: le nommé Gantam Moydine nous ayant représenté la citation à lui donné pour déposer a prêté serment de dire toute la vérité et rien que la vérité en la manière que comportent les prescriptions de sa religion en levant la main droite devant Dieu, et a répondu aux questions suivantes ainsi qu'il suit.-

Je me nomme Gantam Moydine, fils de feu Mamoudou Saif, de Caste Musulman, âgé de vingt huit ans, Maullah, demeurant a Pondichéry.-

D Etes-vous le Maullah devant lequel Mahomed. Sayer devait faire la répudiation de sa femme dit on entr'autres

R. Oui, Monsieur.-

D Mahomed Sayer vous a-t-il requis pour être present a une répudiation de sa femme Djanabeby.

R. Non, Monsieur, et il n'est point a ma connaissance qu'il en ait eu l'intention.-

Lecture faite en témoin de sa déposition a déclaré y persister et a signé avec nous

notre

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notre Commis Greffier adhoc et Interprete
Suivant les Signatures—

Le nommé Cadermeydine Cadiffe ayant représenté la cédule à lui donnée pour
déposer a prêté le serment de dire toute la vérité
et rien que la vérité et a répondu aux questions
d'usages ainsi qu'il suit—

Je me nomme Cadermeydine fils de feu
Abdul Kader, de Caste Musulmane âgé de trente
huit ans, Cadiffe, demeurant à Pondichery—

D. Est-il à notre connaissance que
Mahomed Tayer ait répudié sa femme
Djanabey et le Cadi Mahomed Ibrahim
Son Mauvais Mariage est-il parvenu à votre
connaissance qu'il ait répudié sa femme
Je l'ai connu—

Lecture faite au témoin de sa déposition
a déclaré y persister et a signé avec nous
notre Commis Greffier adhoc et l'Interprete
Suivant les Signatures—
Fait Communiqué à Monsieur le
Procureur du Roi—
Pondichery, le Vingt huit Juin 1845

Le Lieutenant de Juge

Juge d'Instruction

Signé

True Copy
John E. Maltby
Acting Collector

Ordered,

10954 Fort St. George 21st August 1846.

Ordered that the foregoing letter and the previous communication on the subject be submitted with the following addns.

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

Sir,

(46-47)

To the Chief Secty to Government

Submitting with reference to the order of Government dated 19th April 1846 a correspondence with the Acting Collector of Chingleput & suppporting his recommendation that the Saghire of Codumbaukum be continued to Hunnifa a daughter of the last incumbent

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of an order of Government No 504 - 19th April 1845 transmitting to them for report an Extract Minutes Consultation Military Department 28th March 1845 with its enclosure on the subject of the succession to the Saghire of Codumbaukum in the Chingleput District.

2 This Saghire was granted to Sabadar Major Mahomed Ghose Shaick Tada for three lives, of which the Saghinedar lately deceased Mahomed Tahir Sheick Tada was the second. The question for consideration is the succession to the third or last life—

3 From the correspondence which has passed on the subject between the Acting Collector of Chingleput and this Office it will be seen that this succession is disputed by two parties, Viz^t by Reyman Bee sister and son account of her daughter Hunnifa a child of 6 years old & by Samubee alias Fatima the widow of the last incumbent Mahomed Tahir. The former of them

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them claims the Jaghire in virtue of a will said to have been executed by her brother directing her to take charge of the Village on behalf of his illegitimate son / since dead / Mahomed Ghose and stating that he had divorced Jania bebee. It has however been proved that Mahomed Tahir was on the worst terms with his Sister and it was therefore very unlikely that he would make a Will in her favor. The will has also been pronounced a Forgery by the French authorities at Pondicherry where Mahomed Tahir died and where he resided some years before his decease and Jalal O Deen Vakeel and relation of Rehia Bee has been sentenced by the Cour Royal of that Settlement to 3 years imprisonment and a fine of 100 Francs as an accessary to the fraud. On the other hand the marriage of Jania bee and Mahomed Tahir has been proved before the acting Collector and the assertion in the pretended Will that a divorce had taken place is supported by no evidence but on the contrary in the enquiry held by the French authorities, the particulars of which have been communicated by them to the acting Collector, it was clearly shown that Jania bee continued to live with her husband till his decease and that she and her daughter were always treated by him as his Wife and child.

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6. Under these circumstances the Board beg to support the Collectors recommendation that the Jaghire be continued to Huneefa daughter of the late incumbent and of Jania bee, as the third life and that it may be released from attachment and made over with the proceeds which have accrued during amanie Management to Jania bee as the mother and legal Guardian of Huneefa during her Minority. The Jaghire being held on rent free tenure does not fall within the jurisdiction of the Court of Wards.

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Fort St. George
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(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

Read the following letter

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

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From Sr. Collr of Chingleput
Reporting on Petitions Nos. 1, 3, 4, 8, 9 of 1846 presented by Narrana Pillay and Krishna Pillay Moorasey Cummums of 6 Villages in the Carangooly Talook.
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Perlecarador
Veenamalay

Sir,

Para 1. In reference to your letters of the 6th April and 25th Ultimo, I have the honor to offer the following remarks on the Petitions presented by Narrana Pillay and Krishna Pillay regarding the Cummumship of 6 Villages in the Carangooly Talook.

2. It appears from the Proceedings on which Mr. Freese's order was passed that

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the burnum Meraſs was divided into 6 shares
Four of these the Petitioners hold without dispute,
not as hereditary proprietors, but on deeds unite
by the Widows of the late incumbents—

3. The present dispute relates to the
remaining 2/16 shares which belonged to Mootia
Pilla, and Sawmy Pilla, whose widows are
now alive and in whose favor Mr. Freeses
decision was given—

4. Mootia Pilla died without—
male issue about 27 years ago and during this period
the Petitioners being resident in the Village,
and holding the other 4/16 shares of the Meraſs
performed the duty of burnum— In this
period the widow of Mootia Pilla was
entitled to an enjoyment of the Meraſs in
rotation for 4 years and as the Petitioners
failed to acknowledge her right and pay her
Swamy bogum she applied to be put in posſeſsion
of her 1/16 share— The Petitioners pleaded that as
cousins of the deceased they had a preferable
right but this claim was considered inadmiſsible they being only distant relations and
a division of family property having taken
place— The widow as legal heir of the deceased
was therefore put in poſsſsion of her share
and allowed to perform her portion of the
duties

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duties by a Goomastah of her selection—

5. Sawmy Pilla also died without
children and his widow Tylummall wished to
allot her 1/16 share to her Nieces husband, viz
Linga Pilla— In order to prevent opposition to
this arrangement by the Petitioners, who were
in poſsſsion of 4/16 shares and were perform-
ing the duties of Curnam, she made a
nominal transfer of her share to Rasa Pillay
a deceased elder brother of the Petitioners
and he executed a deed of gift for it in the
name of Linga Pilla— Rasa Pilla at the same
time kept poſsſsion of the share but signed
an agreement to pay a third of the income
as Swamy bogum to Linga Pillay— These
transactions were not positively denied by the
Petitioners and were proved by evidence and the
production of the original documents Linga Pilla
was therefore considered the rightful owner and
was placed in poſsſsion of the 1/16 share formerly
held by Sawmy Pillay—

In 1820.

6. The investigation did not show that
the Petitioners have any hereditary title to the
Meraſs in question. On the contrary they obtained
their 4/16 shares from the Widows of deceased share-
holders by written transfers, as admitted
by themselves— Had they poſsſsed a hereditary
right

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right these written transfers were unnecessary and it appears that because they have been unable to make similar arrangements with the widow of the remaining 2/16th share holders, they now unjustly prefer a claim to those shares. They have unquestionably performed the duties of the Office since the deaths of Mootea Pilla and Sawmy Pillay, but the consent of their Widows, and legal heirs could alone make this enjoyment a rightful one.

The Petitions Nos 139 and 809 of 1846 with their enclosures are herewith returned.

Chingleput District Collectors Cutcherry Pullecarney 25th July 1846 } (Signed) Co. Maltby Acting Collector

Resolution thereon. (48-49) Under the circumstances represented, the Board sanction the continuance of the arrangements ordered by the Collector Mr Freese during the lifetime of the widow of Mootea Pillay and Sawmy Pillay but on the deaths of these females their shares in the Meerasy Emoluments should revert to the Petitioners as the parties by whom the duties of the Office have for many years been performed. The alienations of such Emoluments from the office for which they were conferred being opposed to the provisions of Regulation VI of 1831.

Endorsement on Petitions 139 & 809 of 1846 Petitions

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"Petitioners are referred to the acting Collector of Chingleput, to whom instructions have been sent in their case."

Read the following letters

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

(50)

From the Actg Collr of Chingleput

Submitting information regarding the preparation of Quarterly list of Price Currents furnished to the Commanding Officer of the Division

Sir,

In acknowledging your letters of the 30th April and 23d Instant on the subject of the Quarterly price lists furnished to the Commanding Officer of the Division I have the honor to state, that the lists which are furnished from this Office are framed by calculating the average prices of the different Commissariat articles during each 3 Months at the principal towns of the Zillah distinguishing under separate heads the wholesale and the retail prices. The Returns supplied by the Superintendents of Police at Military stations appear on the contrary to be framed by shewing the average Monthly price in the Bazars of the Military station and to those different modes of preparing the lists the difference noticed in your letter appears ascribable.

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2. It appears to me that the present incongruity might be obviated, and the object of the Government attained if the price lists furnished by the Civil authorities were prepared in the manner followed by the Superintendents of Military Police. For this purpose they might be made to exhibit the average monthly prices at the principal town of the District or at the largest bazars which happen to be contiguous to the Military station - care being taken that the grain and other articles are classed according to their quality in the manner which is adopted at the Military station.

Chingleput 28th July 1846. (Signed) C. Maltby

Collector

To

H. B.

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To,

J. Sycroft Esq.re

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

(51)

From the Collector of Malabar.

Sir,

Submitting with reference to the Board's Circular of the 30th April last. Copy of a letter from his Sub Collector on the subject of the Quarterly Price Currents furnished to the Officer Commanding the Division and stating the measures he has suggested to Mr. Chatfield with the view of supplying more Correct information in those statements.

In their Circular under date the 30th April last, the Board desire me to explain the mode in which the Quarterly Price Currents furnished to the Officers Commanding the Division in which my District is situated pursuants to the Boards Circular dated 31st March 1831 are framed, and the data upon which the wholesale and retail prices of the several Articles enumerated in the list communicated for guidance are regulated.-

The price currents herein referred to are always prepared by my Sub Collector who resides at Tellicherry within 4 Miles of the Commanding Officer's Station - Cannanore and whose letter on the subject of 10th Instant I beg to forward.-

The rates at Cutiat 60 Miles off would be of little service.

It would appear from Mr. Chatfield's remarks that the preparation of these documents has been considered too much

much a matter of course and that little faith can be placed on their accuracy - I think, as I have told him, that a stricter supervision should take place, and that from time to time he should satisfy himself by personal communication with the principal Merchants that they understand and content to what they are signing - The Sea Custom Managers and Tahsildars I have further remarked, may also be made to interest themselves in the preparation and Correctness of these Statements -

I can think of no other suggestion which more correct information can be supplied - We have no market days in any of our principal towns, so that the plan suggested in the latter para of the Board's Circular is unsuitable for Malabar -

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/Signed/ H. V. Conolly
Collector.

To,
H. V. Conolly Esqre
Collector of Malabar.

Sir,

I have the honor to state in reply to your letter of the 5th Instant, that the Quarterly

herewith returned.

Quarterly price Currents alluded to in the Board's letter of the 30th April are regularly furnished at the beginning of every Quarter to the Officer Commanding this Division - One of the Price Currents is forwarded to this Office for translation and transmission from the Cutwall of the Town of Cannanore, and the other from the Cutwall of the Town of Tellicherry, and the Merchants affix their Signatures to the original papers to prevent subsposts as far as possible any collusion between the Registered Merchants of the Cantonments - But as the System of Nerricks in popular Towns where the supply would always equal the demand is altogether primitive and injurious to the free trade, it is not surprising that irregularities of price always in favor of the registered Bazar man should attract the attention of the Military Authorities -

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/Signed/ R. Chaitfield
Sub Collector.

Order on the 2 foregoing letters - Ordered to lie on the table -

Read.

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Read the following Letter.-

To,

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

(53)

From the Collector of Salem.

Sir,

With reference to Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date 3rd April 1840 received with the Board's Proceedings dated 16th of the same Month directing me to take measures in Concert with the Civil Engineer of the Division for the judicious expenditure of the amount of Bandy Tax Rupees 12,691-3-6, and to furnish particulars when the works are complete for exposition in the Fort St. George Gazette, I have the honor to state that the sum of Rupees 7506-11-3 have been expended on the repaird of roads from 1839 to 1845 from the amount sanctioned by Government for a yearly outlay Viz.t Rupees 3360 and bills submitted for the same. I therefore request you will have the goodness to inform me whether the full amount carried to account since 1839 Rupees 12691-3-6 is to be laid out or only the balance remaining after deducting the sum already expended Viz.t Rupees 7506-11-3 as shewn in the subjoined statement:-

Amount

* dated 2nd July 1838.

Amount of Bandy Tax collected in 1836-37 and 38		39698 "
Amount expended in 1836-37- and 38	4295104	
Excess Expenditure	32624	
Amount collected from 1839 to 1845		" " " 13017 6 "
Deduct Excess Expenditure in 1836-37 & 38		" " " 32624
Balance		" " " 12691 3 6
Add Collections made from the balance due for 1845 after the Statement dated 31st January 1840 was forwarded to the Board		" " " 13 " 4
Total		" " " 12704 3 6
Deduct amount expended from 1839 to 1845		" " " 7506 11 3
Balance Remaining Rupees		" " 5197 4 5

Salem Gillah Office
Collectors Cutcherry
10th July 1840---

Signed W.m C.n Lockhart
Collector

Ordered

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Ordered that the following
letter be sent in reply.-

To

The Collector of Salem.

(53-54)

To the Collr. of Salem

Sir,

Directing him to apply so much of the Amount of Bandy Tax Collected since 1839 to the repair of Roads as has not yet been appropriated to that purpose & to report to the Board in the D. P. W. the Amount and the mode in which it has been disposed of for publication in the Fort St. George Gazette.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th Ultimo bringing to their notice that of the amount Rupees 12691-3-8 of Bandy tax Collected since 1839 the sum of Rupees 7506-11-3 has already been expended upon the Salem Roads, and requesting instructions whether the whole of the first named sum or only that portion of it remaining unexpended should be applied to the repair of the roads of your District under the sanction of Government Conveyed in Extract Minutes Consultation 3rd April last.-

Ext. 29th Oct. 1840

2nd In your letter of 31st January 1840 Para. 3 you stated that whilst Mr. Orr was in the District the Collections of the Bandy Tax were fairly applied to the object for which they had been made but that subsequently Mr. Gleig had carried these Contributions to the Credit of Government as public Revenue and that much discontent had in Consequence been occasioned. It now however appears that Mr. Gleig devoted a Considerable portion of these Collections to the

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the repair of the Salem Roads and that that part only of the proceeds of the Tax which remained unexpended was carried to the account of Government. It is to be regretted that you were not more explicit upon this point in your communication of the 31st January last, as for want of this explanation both the Board and Government have been led to form an erroneous opinion in regard to the proceedings of your predecessor upon the Subject. As a Considerable portion of the Bandy Tax realized since 1839 has been already expended you can now deal only with the remainder. In modification therefore of their Orders of 16th April last the Board direct that you will immediately in concert with the Civil Engineer of the Division apply to the repair of the Salem Roads so much of the amount of Bandy Tax Collected since 1839 as has not yet been appropriated to that purpose reporting to the Board in the Department of Public Works the amount and the mode in which it has been disposed of for publication in the Fort St. George Gazette. You will further cause it to be made generally known throughout your District that the larger proportion of the Bandy Tax levied since 1839 has already been applied to the object intended by the Contributors, and that the residue will be so applied in full as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made.-

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(signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

Read

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Read the following Letter.-

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

(55)

From the Collr of Salem

Venkatahma Chetty 1
Soobbaroya Chetty 1

Sir,

I have the honor to state that a fine of one Rupee Collected by the Police Amee of Salem from two persons named in the Margin in a case of Assault in March last has been ordered by the Joint Magistrate to be returned to the parties as the decision of the Police Amee was found wrong when his proceedings were reviewed on an appeal being made. As the fine was carried to account in April last I request that the necessary sanction may be obtained for the disbursement of the sum in question to the parties.-

Salem Killah
Oct 3rd
Collectors Cutcherry
3d August 1846

I have &c
Signed W. Cu Lockhart
Collector

Order thereon-

(55-56)

Ordered that Copy of the foregoing letter be submitted for the Orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council with the Boards recommendation that sanction may be granted for the refund of the sum of one Rupee as requested by the Collector.-

Read

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Read the following letters.

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

(57)

From the Coll. of South. Dist.

Informing that Venkatachary as presented a petition claiming his share Rs. 1 per annum in the Yeomiah continued in the name of his brother Vobee Madavachary and recommending it be complied with a condition of his keeping a superior school at Cuddalore

Sir,

Venkata Chary the younger brother of one Vobee Madavachary a School Yeomiahdar, referred to in the correspondence noted in the margin presented a Petition to me, claiming his share of the Rupees two — Annum, in the Yeomiah, continued in the name of his brother, by virtue of an agreement entered into by the two brothers — when they divided the family property — between them, and now withheld from the Petitioner by Madavachary his elder brother in consequence of the Board not having thought proper to interfere with the Petitioners claim on a former occasion.-

2 The object of the yeomiah grant was to provide a suitable education for Bramin youths, and as the Petitioner appears to be equally qualified with his brother for the duty of teacher, and the tenor of the yeomiah falling under the provision of Regulation VII of 1817, I am of opinion that the Petitioner has

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a just claim to a share in the Grant. Were the matter referred to a Civil Court I suspect he (the Petitioner) would obtain a decree in his favor tho' such a proceeding would involve not only a tedious litigation, but entail a ruinous expense on either party and might also interfere with their present usefulness as Teachers. I would strongly recommend that the Amount of Rupees 140 a sum agreed to by both the parties be deducted from the Yeomiah, and paid to the Petitioner on condition of his keeping a Sanscrit School either at Cuddalore or Munnargoody where instruction in that language is sought often with anxiety by a large portion of the people.

See B. Proceedings 18th August 1846 authorizing these persons to enjoy an equal share in Rhoot Yeomiah

3. When it is considered that by increasing the number of these schools we are only carrying out the charitable intentions of the original grant to a fuller extent, I recommend that two Schools instead of one be established. This will incur neither expense nor inconvenience to the parties, the grant itself being so liberal, amounting to no less

less a sum than 384 Rupees per Annum, the moiety being amply sufficient to enable the parties to give their individual attention to their respective Schools.

South Arcot
Cuddalore Circuit Cutcherry
Collaconpum
8th July 1846

Signed W. D. Davis
Collector

Resolution thereon (57-58)

The entire yeomiah referred to in the above letter was confirmed to Medavacharry under the authority of Government noted in the Margin on the condition of his residing in the District and performing the service for which the grant was made, and as it appears from Mr. Davis's present report that these specifications have been complied with, the Board see no occasion to interfere in the manner proposed between the Yeomiahdar and his brother Venkatachary.

Order of Govt 19th Oct. 1840.

To

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Fort St. George 21th August 1846

To

J. Pycroft Esqre

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

Sir,

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From the Collr of South Arcot

Submitting an application from Inorage pay to the Tahsildar of Cuddalore for the employment of 6 additional Peons and requesting Sanction for the same

In reference to my letter reporting the sale of the Vanamadavy & Mootlah, and the temporary measure I had adopted for its management, I beg now to submit an application for an addition of pay to the Tahsildar of Cuddalore and for the Employment of 6 additional Peons.

2d It appears by the records of my office, that 6 Mootlah Villages the Bareeg of which was Rupees 6184-15-0 reverted to Government in Fasly 1235 the then Principal Collector Mr. Cunliffe applied to the Board for an increase of pay to the Tahsildar in consideration of the additional duty he had to perform. This was duly forwarded with the Board's recommendation, but the Government did not then consider the increase to be called for.

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23d June 1846

3d Ten other Villages the Bareeg of which is Rupees 11380-11-0 reverted to Government

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Government in Fasly 1238 - 1232 and 1264 and in the Fasly now closed 4 more Villages the Bareeg of which is Rupees 7273-10-6 have reverted.

4- The total Amount therefore of additional Bareeg to be Collected by the Tahsildar is Rupees 24,839-4-5 As per accompanying Statement, which as will be observed hereo a considerable proportion towards the whole Amount of lands revenue realized in the Taluk.

5th I am of opinion therefore that that it is absolutely necessary that the present pay of the Tahsildar should be increased to Rupees 70 to ensure the services of a respectable and trust worthy man

6th The Employment of at least Six Peons is necessary for the Collection of the additional Revenue, and particularly for watching the Anniout by Vanamadavy. I trust therefore that the Board will submit the present application for the favorable consideration of the Government.

7- I beg to bring to the Board's notice that the Sum of Rs 26-, out of the Rs 137-8-0 Amount of the salary of the Kamoky Shereshtadar lately abolished

Amount of the salary of the Kamoky Shereshtadar lately abolished — 137-8-0

Deduct

Proposed pay of the Tahsildar on Establishment — 90-0-0

Increase of Pay to the Head Gumastah — 13-8-0

Dr Do to the Revenues Head Sava been incee — 8-0-0

111-8-0

Balance Rupees 26-0-0

Still remains unappropriated and the extra expense to Government now applied for will therefore be inconsiderable.

[Signed] W. D. Davis

Collector

Application

South Arcot Collectory Chittoor 20th July 1846

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No. 1.

Application for Increase of Establishment.

Receipts	Charges	Total	N.B.

about 22000 Rupees a year considering therefore the many duties and extensive labor attached to this office the Collector is of opinion that the present pay of 100 Rupees is very inadequate and insufficient to secure the services of a man of respectability and trust. He has therefore thought it necessary to propose an increase of Rupees 30 which he hopes the Board will consider to be on a fair and moderate remuneration for the duties performed and submit the same for the sanction of Government.

Bareej of Fasly 1236.

Land Revenue Dept.

Villages under Amany to be Collected by Tahsildar from each individual	39316 4 1	
Dist. Rent. Dr. by Dr. from Dr.	1060 2 11	40426 7 11
Shotcums Peishcush	7197 5 3	
Mootah Dr.	12110 7 11	
Cawelly Mowcasah	875 11 11	60611 3 3
Motuspha Renumeru Amani to be Collected by Tahsildars from each individual	3612 3 11	
Small Farms Rent	1019 6 10	
Abkary Rent	23763 11 11	39010 13 1
Salt (Superintending)		2114 25 5 7
		101436 2 5 8

2d. The Service of 6 Peons to assist in the Collection of Revenue and other various duties as well as to watch the Omiat in the Estate of Pannamadavy which has recently reverted to Government being found absolutely necessary the Collector trusts the Board will obtain the sanction of Govt. for their Establishment.

South Divn. Collr. Cutcherry
Cottacoopum, 20th July 1826

Signed W. D. Davis
Collector

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Resolution thereon.

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With respect to the 6 additional Peons applied for in the above letter it is observed that the Amaumie land Revenue of Cuddalore is within 40000 Rupees annually and that there are already in that Talook 67 Peons (including Duffadars and Taliars) exclusive of Police, but available for both duties, whereas the Talooks of Tinderamum and Trevandy each with a land revenue basis of 1½ lac have only 64 and 73 Peons respectively, and Villapooram with a land revenue settlement of more

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more than two lacs has only 95 Peons. Under these circumstances the Board could not recommend the entertainment of any additional Peons for the Cuddalore Talook - but they will not object to submit for the favorable consideration of Government the proposal for an increase of pay to the Tahsildar if made the subject of a separate communication.

Read the following Statement.

Quarterly

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D.r Quarterly Salt Account Current C.r

1st April to 30th June 1846 in Fusly 1255 A.D. 1845/6

in the Southern Division of Ducot from

		G m m	G m m	m d s	P f
To Balance of Salt on hand on the 1st July 1845	" "		372135	" 44680	20 "
To quantity manufactured to the end of last Quarter			2512	20 "	
To D.o D.o in this D.o			243	37 "	
			2755	57 " 330617	4 "
To D.o seized from smugglers to the end of last D.o				" 83	1¾
To D.o D.o in this D.o				" 4	3¾
				" 87	5/8 2612 20
Total Salt			312	2793/8	37532336 20

Errors Excepted

		G m m	G m m	m d s	P f
By Sales to the end of last Quarter	Inland consumption		149	8 26 "	
	Home D.o		13	7 1	1¾
	Export by Sea		9	8 20 "	
			173	4 13	1¾ 20812010 50
By D.o in this D.o	Inland consumption		20	1 33 "	
	Home D.o		4	2 43	3¾
			34	3 37	3¾ 4127390 50
By Loss by measurement to the end of last Quarter				112	80 "
By D.o D.o in this D.o				30	161 "
				142	231 " 17109 12 "
By supply to the French Government to the end of last D.o				" "	205 5 " 24601 20 "
By Loss sustained in transporting Salt to D.o to the end of last D.o				" "	14 395 " 1798 20 "
			21	40	3428/8 2929032 20
By Balance of Salt on hand				" "	6863 37 " 82421 4 "
Total Salt			312	2793/8	37532336 20

Signed W. D. Davis
Collector

D.o

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Dr. Quarterly Money Account Current in Italy

			Cr^s	a	Cr^s	a
To Sales to the end of last Quarter	Inland Consumption	179833	14	8		
	Home Do	16461	6	1		
	Export by Sea	4187	.	.		
					200487	4 6
To Do Do in this Do	Inland Consumption	36220	3	4		
	Home Do	6053	.	8		
					41273	4 .
To Recoveries from the Advances for the Manufacture of Salt to the end of last Quarter		450	.	.		
To Do Do in this Quarter		54	8	.		
					504	8 .
To Recoveries from the French Government to the end of last Quarter on account of Salt supplied from 1st January to 30th June 1846		"	"	"	3465	10 8
To Charges Collection refunded to the end of last Quarter		"	"	"	18	13 4
Total Company's Rupees					245639	8 6

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Cr. of Salt from 1st April to 30th June 1846.

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No 1825/46

		Cr^s	a	Cr^s	a
By Servants wages to the end of last Quarter		3484	9	2	
By Do Do in this Do		1162	15	1	
				1647	8 3
By Roosfowms and Manufacturers commuted share to the end of last Do		35578	1	6	
By Do Do in this Do		950	5	3	
				36528	6 9
By Extra charges including Saunders owned to the end of last Do		2997	7	2	
By Do Do in this Do		102	15	3	
				3100	6 5
By One half of the Shipping charges incurred on account of the Salt supplied to the French Government to the end of last Do		"	"	"	1721 14 10
By Cash paid to the French Government as an indemnification to the Proprietors of Salt Pans for the 1st 2d 3d and 4th Instalments for the year 1846 to the end of last Do		"	"	"	14000 . .
By Shipping charges for Evaporating Salt to Malaga Coast to the end of last Do		"	"	"	541 12 .
				69540	. 3
By Salt Revenue To the end of last Quarter		145987	15	10	
In this Do		39114	8	5	
				185099	8 3
Total Company's Rupees				245639	8 6

Signed W. D. Davis
Collector

Dr.

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Dr. Quarterly Salt Account Current in the District of Cuddalore from 1st April to 30th June 1846 in Fasly 1255 A.D. 1845/46

		G	m	m	m^do	p^s	f
To Balance of Salt on hand on the 1st July 1846		98	23	"	11406	36	"
To Quantity Manufactured to the end of last Quarter		217	313	"			
To Do Do in this Do		134	25	"			
		351	343	"	42222	36	"
To Do Seized from Smugglers to Do		"	13	7	1	6	20
Total Salt		446	379	7	53633	38	40

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		G	m	m	G	m	m	m^do	p^s	f
By Sales to the end of last Quarter	In land Consumption	7	275	"						
	Home Do	129	62	3						
		136	337	3				16421	8	40
By Do Do in this Do	In land Consumption	3	100	"						
	Home Do	31	58	"						
		34	158	"				4127	16	"
By loss by measurement to the end of last Quarter		13	46	4						
By Do Do in this Do		3	103	"						
		21	154	4				2566	14	"
By supply to the French Government to the end of last Do		"	"	38	277	"		1643	4	"
By loss sustained in transporting Salt to Do to the end of last Do		"	"	1	123	"		186	36	"
		"	"	232	249	7		27914	38	40
By Balance of Salt on hand		"	"	214	130	"		25719	"	"
Total Salt		446	379	7				53633	38	40

Signed W. L. Davis
Collector

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Dr. Quarterly Money Account Current in Pagoda

			Ch.	a/c	Ch.	a/c
To Sales to the end of last Quarter	Inland Consumption		922	8		
	Home Do		15498	11 10		
					16421	3 10
To Do Do in this Do	Inland Consumption		390	"		
	Home Do		3737	6 5		
					4127	6 5
To recoveries from the advances for the Manufacture of Salt to the end of last Quarter			345	" "		
To Do Do in this Quarter			8	4 "		
					353	4 "
To recoveries from the French Government to the end of last Quarter on account of Salt supplied from 1st January to 31st December 1846			"	" "	383	2 3
To Charges Collection refunded to the end of last Quarter			"	" "	6	10 3
Total Company's Rupees					21290	10 9

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Cr.

of Salt from 1st April to 30th June 1846

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S.P. 1845 46

	Ch.	a/c	Ch.	a/c
By Servants wages to the end of last Quarter	820	11 "		
By Do Do in this Do	279	10 "		
			1100	5 "
By Manufacturers share to the end of last Do	1904	13 4		
By Do Do in this Do	812	12 1		
			2717	9 5
By Extra Charges including Sawderwared to the end of last Quarter	96	6 4		
By Do Do in this Do	8	" "		
			104	6 4
			3922	4 9
By Nett Revenue To the end of last Quarter	14333	1 8		
In this Do	3035	4 4		
			17368	6 "
Total Company's Rupees			21290	10 9

(Signed) W. D. Davis
Collector

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Fort St. George 24th. August 1846 –

No 1 –

Statement Shewing the Quantity of Salt stored in each heap the actual Outturn thereof and excess or Loss of the several Pans in the Southern Division of Sreet and Cuddalore for the Quarter ending 30th June 1846 –

No of Heaps	Pans or Colours	Quantity stored in each heap	Actual Outturn of each heap	Gain by Measurement or excess	Loss by measurement or wastage	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	South Sreet	G m m	G m m	G m m	G m m	
1	Mur Kanum	10 " "	9 166 "	" " "	" 234 "	
2	D°	10 " "	9 50 "	" " "	" 350 "	
3	D°	10 " "	9 48 "	" " "	" 352 "	
4	D°	10 " "	9 55 "	" " "	" 345 "	
5	D°	10 " "	9 75 "	" " "	" 325 "	
6	D°	10 " "	9 153 "	" " "	" 247 "	
7	D°	10 " "	9 149 "	" " "	" 251 "	
8	D°	10 " "	9 143 "	" " "	" 257 "	
9	D°	10 " "	9 107 "	" " "	" 293 "	
10	D°	10 " "	9 103 "	" " "	" 297 "	
11	D°	10 " "	9 147 "	" " "	" 253 "	
12	D°	10 " "	9 71 "	" " "	" 329 "	
13	D°	10 " "	9 58 "	" " "	" 342 "	
14	D°	10 " "	7 162 "	" " "	2 238 "	
15	D°	10 " "	9 130 "	" " "	" 270 "	
16	D°	10 " "	8 98 "	" " "	1 302 "	
17	D°	10 " "	9 260 "	" " "	" 140 "	
18	D°	10 " "	9 182 "	" " "	" 218 "	
19	D°	10 " "	9 204 "	" " "	" 196 "	
20	D°	10 " "	9 107 "	" " "	" 293 "	
21	D°	10 " "	9 39 "	" " "	" 361 "	
22	D°	10 " "	9 121 "	" " "	" 279 "	
23	D°	10 " "	9 37 "	" " "	" 363 "	
24	D°	10 " "	9 120 "	" " "	" 280 "	
25	D°	10 " "	9 225 "	" " "	" 175 "	
26	D°	10 " "	9 47 "	" " "	" 353 "	
27	D°	10 " "	9 20 "	" " "	" 380 "	
28	D°	10 " "	9 106 "	" " "	" 294 "	
29	D°	10 " "	9 94 "	" " "	" 306 "	
30	D°	10 " "	8 330 "	" " "	1 70 "	
		300 " "	275 7 "	" " "	21 393 "	

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No. of Pagodas	Land or Colaries	Quantity Stored in each heap	Actual Outturn of each heap	Gain by measure: mesh or excess	Loss by measure: mesh or wastage	Remarks.
		G Pa Ps	G Pa Ps	G Pa Ps	G Pa Ps	
1	Seagunilly	10 " "	9 116 "	" " "	284 "	
2	Do:	10 " "	9 74 "	" " "	326 "	
3	Do:	10 " "	9 113 "	" " "	287 "	
4	Do:	10 " "	9 333 "	" " "	67 "	
5	Do:	9 257 "	8 264 "	" " "	293 "	
		49 257 "	46 200 "	" " "	3 57 "	
1	Killay	10 " "	9 73 "	" " "	327 "	
2	Do:	10 " "	9 171 "	" " "	229 "	
3	Do:	10 " "	9 377 "	" " "	23 "	
4	Do:	8 187 "	7 309 "	" " "	278 "	
5	Do:	3 131 "	3 87 "	" " "	14 "	
		41 318 "	39 217 "	" " "	2 101 "	
	Total South Arcot	391 175 "	361 24 "	" " "	30 151 "	
1	Cuddalore	10 " "	9 37 "	" " "	363 "	
2	Do:	10 " "	8 333 "	" " "	1 67 "	
3	Do:	10 " "	8 322 "	" " "	1 78 "	
	Total Cuddalore	30 " "	26 292 "	" " "	3 108 "	
	Grand Total	421 175 "	387 316 "	" " "	33 259 "	

South Arcot
Collectors Cutcherry
Cuddalore - - - - -
18th August 1816.

E. E. J.

Signed S. D. Davis
Collector

Ordered.

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Order thereon. Ordered to be recorded.

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Read the following letter

To

The Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

(63)

Sir,

From the Collr. of Tanjore ___ } I have the honor to submit

the Statement called for in your letter of the 21st May last as per form thereto annexed.

Tanjore ___,
Tranquebar ___,
19th August 1846. } (Signed) H. C. Moultgomery
Collector

Statement

10985 Fort St. George 21th August 1846.

No. 1.

Statement shewing the Number of Christians, Heathens and Mahomedans respectively in the Revenue Magisterial and Marahmut, Marine, Sea Customs, and Salt, Peranikuine Boat Establishment and Sayer, Stamp, Resident's Office and Jail, Post Office, Village Servants and Travellers Bungalow Servants in the District of Tanjore distinguishing between Huzzoor Talook and Village Servants, and between Protestant & Christians and other denominations. ___

	Huzzoor Servants	Talook Servants	Village Servants	Total
1 No. of Protestant Christians ___	10	15	.	25
2 No. of Christians of other Sects ___	3	48	.	51
3 No. of Heathens ___	262	3390	1374	5026
4 No. of Mahomedans.	45	162	.	207
Total ___	320	3615	1374	5309

Tanjore,
Tranquebar ___,
19th August 1846. } (Signed) H. C. Moultgomery
Collector.

Ordered.

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Order thereon.

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Ordered to lie on the Table

Read the following letter

To J. Sycroft Esqr.

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

Sir,

From the Collector of Trichinopoly

I have the honor to transmit

(65) a List of the names of 17 Meanees who have lately come to the Talooke of Oodiarpollam in this District and are desirous of settling there provided they can obtain land on which to build.—

2. Each of these individuals will pay a Poon tax of 1/4 Annas and as there is no land in the Villages in which they wish to settle (Callathoor) available except that which is liable to assessment I request that I may be allowed to make over land to them according to the accompanying list to the extent of Canney 1—82—13 and to remit the assessment which amounts altogether to Rupees 6—3—9 per Annum. The Meanees already settled in the Village for a number of years pay no tax on the ground which their houses

Trichinopoly, 20th July 1816

Signed J. A. Anstruther

Collector

Trichinopoly Collectorate Cutcherry 24th July 1816

Received and Entered

Signed J. Sycroft

Secretary

10987. Fort St. George 21th August 1816

No. 1

Statement shewing the Extent of land required for dwelling houses by 17 persons newly come from Pondicherry on the Village of Collattoor in the Oodiarpollam Talooke.

No.	Names	Extent of land required for building houses	Extent required for back yard	Total
		Ca. Grs	Ca. Grs	Ca. Grs
1	Chidambara padiachy	4 11	7 13	12 8
2	Letchoomana padiachy	4 11	7 13	12 8
3	Sriachilla padiachy	4 11	7 13	12 8
4	Ramasawmy padiachy	3 2	9 6	12 8
5	Muttasawmy	4 11	7 13	12 8
6	Pullapadiachy	4 11	7 13	12 8
7	Chinnacoolly Moodely	4 11	4 11	9 6
8	Chidambara Moodely	4 11	6 4	10 15
9	Sooberamany Moodely	4 11	6 4	10 15
10	Oydhee Moodily	4 11	4 11	9 6
11	Vadoovala Moodily	4 11	4 11	9 6
12	Annamalay of Mundoor	4 11	4 11	9 6
13	Conda Moodely	4 11	4 11	9 6
14	Sholaur Collundavala Moodly	4 11	4 11	9 6
15	Sholaur Ruba Moodely	6 4	4 11	10 15
16	Sholaur Konaka Moodily	6 4	4 11	10 15
17	Oboor Soobarayen	4 11	3 2	7 13
	Total	81 4	119	1 82 13

Recapitulation as per Margin

Rs. 6-3-9

Trichinopoly 24th July 1816

Signed J. A. Anstruther

Collector

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Resolution thereon— The Board of Revenue
(65-66) authorize the Collector under the circumstances
stated to make over Land to the extent of
Cawny 1 82 13 assessed at Rupees 6 3 9 from
the houses of the 17 weavers who are desirous of
settling in the Collathoor Village of the
Oodiarpollium Talook of his District—
The land will be free of tax so long as it
is appropriated to the purpose for which
it has been allotted, and will be entered
under the proper head in the accounts
furnished annually with the Settlement
reports.—

To J. Pycroft Esqre
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue.

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From the Collr Ser.
of Trichinopoly Dated 1. Fort St. George,
Forwarding
Advertisements I have the honor to forward
in English and herewith an advertisement in English and
Tamil setting Tamil in the form received from the
forth Sale of certain Board under date the 7th October 1815
Lands for a for the sale of certain Lands in satis-
Arrears faction of a balance of Land Revenue
Defaulters due by Annapee Rao for fasly 1225
Adengee— Rupees 6 3 9—

2nd— The individual who owes the
balance

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balance in question is a Sahukar in the
District of Madura. It was still great-
difficulty that I collected a balance due
by him on a former occasion as will
be seen from the correspondence noted
in the Margin† his land
consisting of 13 Cawnies
is still situated, being
under a water course &
supplied from the Cawny
and the Office he holds
precludes the plea of
poverty— He was duly warned that he would
be liable to the full demand of Government
unless he relinquished his land by Nazeeu-
nah according to the Hookumnamah pre-
vailing in the District and he omitted to do
so. Under these circumstances I have no course
left but to request permission to sell the land
and Inam, herein a case which I hope called
for indulgence—

3 With this exception the whole
demand on account of Land Revenue for the sea-
son just expired was realized within the fasly—

Trichinopoly District } Signed A. D. Anderson
Head Collectorate } Collector
Cutcherry 30th July 1816 }

† To Board 8th August 1816
From 1 D. 19th D.
To D. 17th D.
From D. 10th October
To D. 23d D.
From 19 D. 29th D.
To 10 D. 3d December
From D. 16th D.

Notice

10990 For 8th George

Advertisement

Notice is hereby given that the undermentioned lands the Office of the Collector of Trichenopoly in Liquidation of named. The sale will commence on the 31st August 1826 have been sold. The purchasers will not be put in by the Board of Revenue but in the mean money must be made on the spot and the remain Hozoor or Taloocks Treasury within 20 Days after will be resold at the risk of the first purchaser.

Taluk	Defaulter	Total Amount of Arrears	Villages in which the Lands for sale to be sold are situated
Conaud	Punjai Mac 3506		Collagoody

Trichenopoly District.
Collector's Cutcherry,
30th July 1826.

24th August 1826.

will be sold at public Auction to the highest bidder at the Arrears of Revenue due by the defaulter hereunder and will continue until the whole of the lands shall possessions of the lands till the sale has been sanctioned three a deposit of 15 per Cent of the purchase under of the purchase money should be paid into the the day of sale. In failure whereof the Lands

Particulars of Land proposed to be sold

Number of Cutchy	Extent Punjay	Poonjay Rs	Amount of Government Tax
6	Ga 6	Ga 00	10
8	21	74 11	213 09

(Signed) A. D. Onslow
Collector

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10991 — Fort St. George 24th August 1826

Resolution thereon — The Board of Revenue — sanction the publication in their Office of the Advertisement which accompanied the above Letter. Monday the 28th of September having been fixed for the day of Sale. The Collector will be pleased to make a correcting alteration in the advertisement published in his Cutcherry. He is observed that the place of sale has not been specified, but the Board presume that the Auction will take place at Trichinopoly, and they have made an entry to that effect in the Advertisement filed in their Office —

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Ordered that the following Endorsement be passed on Petition No. 1112 of 1826 —

Petitioner is informed that the Board of Revenue have removed the sale of his Lands on the 28th September next unless the public Revenue due upon them for Fasly 1235 be paid on the interim —

Read

10992 Fort St. George 24th August 1826.

Read the following Letters.

To

T. Pycroft Esqr.

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George —

Sir

69

From the Distr. Collr. of Madura — } I have the honor to forward to the Board Cowle Proceedings respecting the succession of Rooderapatten to certain Inamsin Nellé held by his father Gooroonadha Patten deceased —

Cowle of the 22d May and 29 September last —

I have the honor to submit the claim of Rooderapatten for succession to an hereditary Poojaremuneration of 28 2/16 Cawnies of Kunjah and Poonjah land, tuned at Rupees 56 7 — and Fayang a Quit rents of Rupees 10 — 6 — to Government in the Village of Nattum, in Meylore Nellore held by his father Gooroonadha Patten deceased —

2. The land claimed was entered in the Survey accounts of Fusles 1212 and 1216 in the name Sorpenachary grand Father of the claimant as hereditary remuneration for charges of the Pagoda of Gooroonadhaswamy in that Village and for services rendered

rendered to it. On his death, date not known, it fell in succession to his Son, the father of the claimant, who held it till his death on the 15th Iye of Viswavasu with pattah in his name.
January 1846

3. The manium is said to have been granted by a former zemindar, previous to the Company's Rule, to the Applicant's great grand father, under a deed of gift so worn out, from age, that it is impossible to gather its contents. The claimant is aged 22 years, has four dependants and has no other visible means of livelihood. I beg therefore to recommend succession to the manium as his hereditary right.

Madura
Ad[illegible]
11th July 1846 } I Signed J. Blackburne
Principal Collector.

Resolution thereon. The Board of Revenue presume that the services for which the Pongamanium was granted are still duly performed on the Pagoda, and with that understanding they sanction the continuance to Poosapatten of the manium held by his father Goomy, recently Cutton lately deceased.

To A Pogson Esqre Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Fort St George
from the Pt Collr } 31 } 71 As required by your Letter

of the 16th October last, I have the honor to forward a List of Pensions drawn disposed in July 1252 as per form thereon enclosed and request the sanction of Government may be obtained for them to enable me to satisfy the Retrenchment of the Civil Auditor.

Madura
23d July 1846 } I Signed J. Blackburne
Principal Collector.

List

rendered to it. On his death, date not known, it fell in succession to his Son, the father of the claimant, who held it till his death on the 15th Jyeof Visvanadoo with puttah in his names.
January 1846

3. The manium is said to have been granted by a former zemindar, previous to the Company's Rule, to the Applicant's great grand father, under a deed of gift so worn out, from age, that it is impossible to gather its contents. The claimant is aged 22 years, has four defendants and has no other visible means of livelihood. They therefore recommend succession to the manium as his hereditary right.

Madura
Acting Deputy
11th July 1846 } I Signed J. Blackburne
Principal Collector.

Resolution thereon (69-70) The Board of Revenue presume that the services for which the Pongamanium was granted are still duly performed on the Pagoda, and with that understanding they sanction the continuance to Ramasuttee of the manium held by his father Gruma nenty Sittee lately deceased.

To J. Bycroft Esq. Secretary to the Board of Revenue.

Sir, From the Collector of Madura I am required by your letter of the 16th October last, I have the honor to forward an List of Pensions &c. &c. defrayed in fasly 1252 as per form thereto enclosed, and request the sanction of Government may be obtained for them to enable me to satisfy the Retrenchment of the Civil Auditor.

Madura
23d July 1846 } I Signed J. Blackburne
Principal Collector.

List

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Fort St. George

A. List of Pensioners Yearly defrayed for Fasly 1252 and

Names of the present Incumbents or of the Institutions	Sallary or annual Allowance now paid to each	Amount actually paid in Fasly 1252	Difference Increase	Difference Decrease	Causes of the Difference	Explanation of the Principal Collector as entered in List which accompanied his letter of the 30th May 1846
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P	Rs A P		
Madura and Ramnad						
No 105.						
Mullum mah wife widow of Lingama Naick of Nattam	702 7 0	702 7 0	- - -	- - -		No 1. The order of Government dated 30th August 1800 for Grant of Pension in the name of Mullummah the present Incumbent was furnished to the Collector according to his requisitions in the referred reply and it appears the order in question was not satisfactory to him & by of the above orders accompanies ———

24th August 1846.

requiring the sanction of Government —

Remarks of the Board as per their letter dated 16th October 1846.

Further Explanation

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No 1 Under date 23d August 1800 Government authorized a Pension of Gopaul Chuckrums 700 per annum for the support of the family of the late Poligar of Nattam vide letter from the Board to the Collector of Dindigul dated 30th August 1800. The pension is stated to be now paid to Mullummal widow of Lingama Naick of Nattam. The Principal Collector will be pleased to state whether Lingama Naick was the Poligar for the support of whose family the Pension was granted, and if not what relationship he bore to the late Poligar of Nattam and what is the age of the present incumbent and under what authority the Pension was continued to her ———

No 1 Under date of Gopaul Chuckrums mensed for subsist family, their names Statement B which recommendation Naick was Poligar no subsequent order Records or the Satya the present incumb

	n of the Principal Collector	Further remarks of the Board -	Orders of Government
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	the 28th June 1809, a pension of 70 Pr annum was recommended in favor of the late Polgaro Pursee not shewn in the accompanied the above mentioned list dated the 23d August 1809 the continuance of which was accordingly sanctioned in favor of the widow of Lingama Nack son of Tomaan Lingam of Pattoom Lingam after his father's death, as set forth in the said list. The age of the widow is stated 74 years -	2) Under the explanation of the Principal Collector in Column 10, the Board recommend that sanction be granted for the continuance of the Pension to Pallomah widow of Lingama Nack for life, and also for the amount disbursed in July 1252 Rds 62 -	

24th August 1846.

Further Explanation of the Principal Collector -	Further remarks of the Board	Orders of Government
10	11	12
No 2. In the List of the family of the deceased Chokyas Naick of Pattoom, submitted on the 2d June 1814, the name of Luchummah as widow of the deceased is erroneously entered instead of Channummah who is the lawful widow of Chokyas Naick as the whole of the family lived together the amount has always been disbursed in her favor. It appears by the accounts from the Sabaldar of Mayloor dated the 31st December 1846 that Luchummah daughter of the deceased died two years ago Comaan Lingam Naick who was an infant when the List was submitted in June 1814 died 12 years ago, and Poonnumal and Allagammal died 20 years ago as the whole amount of Rs 29 7 4 has been paid to Channumal up to June of the Current year the Principal Collector is of opinion the amount so charged should receive the sanction of Government and from July the pensions of the deceased members Rs 19 Rupees 14 only should be continued to the surviving Channumal viz	No 2. It is observed that of the persons who originally stood in the Pension List 4 have died one of them a male viz that of the widow of Chokya Naick and that the entire pension of Rs 29 7 4 per annum was paid to her up to June last instead of Rs 14 - - per annum as per the accounts now which the payment was made are fully explained in the Collectors letter dated 19th Novr 1846 letter from the Principl Collector dated 15th August 1846 and the Board recommend that the disbursement up to June last at the rate of Rs 29 7 4 per annum be sanctioned and that from the 1st July 1846 Rupees 14 - - per annum only be continued to Channumal Female for life -	

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Fort St George 24th August 1816.

1	2	3	4	Difference Increase	Difference Decrease	5	6	7	8
Names of the present Incumbents or of the Institutions		Authorized amount annually payable to each	Amount actually paid in July 1252					Cause of the Difference	Explanations of the Principal Collector as entered in List which accompanied his letter of the 30th May 1845
		Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				
Names as per accounts of distribution of 1200 Rupees to the family of the late Poolitta Ramalinguen Sastrapaty of Ramnad Submitted on the 23rd June 1814		Amount per Month							No. 3. Copy of an order of Government dated 9th June 1795 quoted in my accounts in support of payment of Pensions continued to the family of the deceased Polygar of Ramnad required by the Civil Auditor with reply to the remarks of my accounts for Fasly 1252 is not forthcoming but a letter from Mr. A. Falconer Deputy Secretary to Government under date the 30th May 1795 annexed to the remarks of my accounts of Mr. G. Powell Acting Collector of Tinnevelly for Fasly 1212 has been found & herewith forwarded. The Principal Collector requests the sanction of Government for the continuance of allowances in the name of the present incumbents amounting to Rupees 6159-13- which includes Rupees 3-5-1 credited to Government on accounts of deductions between periods of Employment and decease.
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Sevvanah Natchear Wife		3	39 - 1	42 - 1	3 - -				
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Sungunmay attal		5	32 12 -	- - -				32 12 -	
Lokpaka attal		6	33 10 -	- - -				33 10 -	
Eurpoya attal		7	43 11 8	- - -				43 11 8	
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Chinna Murdanayam attal		16	22 9 -	- - -				22 9 -	
Pattahonmay attal		17	22 9 -	- - -				22 9 -	
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Do 16th April 1837

Do 21st November 1816

Do March 1826

Do 23d December 1841

Do 15th February 1839

Do 1st & 5th September 1831

rks of the Board on these letters dated October 1845.	Further explanation of the Principal Collector	Further remarks of the Board	Orders of Government	Orders of the Government dated 45.
9	10	11	12	

These pensions amounting in the aggregate to Rs 6159-13-4 per annum are stated to be granted under the authority of Government as in a letter from Falconar dated 30th 1795. In this letter the allowance of 1000 Rupees per annum is granted for the support of the children and relations of Rangaroo the deposed Poligar of Ramnad. The Board wish to know whether Ramnad Tatchear any of the other persons to whom the pensions of Rs 6159-4 per annum are now paid are the children & grantees of Rangaroo. If not related to him they think that towards them under what authority the allowances are continued to them. Also the original grant to her pension has been lost it is presumed among the Principal Collector will be good enough to furnish full information on this point to the Board to be laid before the orders of Government.

No 1. This increase was allowed by the late Principal Collector Mr Peter on the 15th December 1824 from the disbursed amount of Pensions of certain deceased Members of the family.

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Fort St. George

21st August 1846.

1	Names of the present Incumbents or of the Institutions	2	Authorized annual amount payable to each	Amount actually paid in Fasly 1252	Difference Increase	Difference Decrease	Cause of the Differences	Explanation of the Principal Collector as entered in List which accompanied his letter of the 30th May 1845.	Remarks of the Board as per their letter dated 16th October 1845.
			Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.	Rs. As.			
	Barber	41	3 12 0	3 12 0					
	Sweeper	42	1 4 0	1 4 0					
	Ooli	43	14 7 4	4 7 4		10 0 0		Discontinued.	
	Gollah Peon	44	3 6 0						
	Comaun Naig Shroff	45	2 8 0						
	Malabar School Master	46	4 1 5						
	Persian Do	47	7 8 0						
	Sewing Do	48	9 10 10			55 9 7			
	Valoy Lamballay (Doctor)	49	4 8 8						
	Dhoby Women	50	0 12 0						
	Grass for Cows	51	18 2 8						
	Names as per List in Fasly 1252								
	Ordundasawmy Tavee Son of Narrainee Tavee Salopatys 2 Son	52	0 0 0	40 7	40 7	0 0			No 52 Ramasawmy in lieu of Narrainee
	Parvaty Attat widow of Moottoo Ramalingee Tavee Salopatys 3rd Son	53	0 0 0	39 14 5	39 14 5	0 0			No 53 Coreanna Ramasawmy Tavee Son
	Coleanna Ramasawmy Tavee Son	54	0 0 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	0 0			No 54 Coreanna Ramasawmy Tavee Son
	Puttalee Ramasawmy Tavee Do	55	0 0 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	0 0			
	Malavadaroon Caulthaly Natchear Daughter	56	0 0 0	13 0 0	13 0 0	0 0			
				573 5 1					
	Total	1200	0 0	Peramanum 1331 5 0	820 9 11				
				6159 13 0	Net Decrease	636 10 11			

Further Explanations of the Principal Collector.	Further Remarks of the Board	Orders of Government.
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Rupees 21-10-7 was allowed by the late Dubash Collector (Mr Peter) on the 4th July 1816 from to Rs 13-6-= continued to his father in law Tanore No 26.

3 Rupees 21-10-6 was allowed by Govt on the 1st 1820 on application to Rs 13-3-11 continued to her 2d Brother Ramalinga Tanore No 27.

- to 56. Sons and Daughter by heirs who accompanied the Satoo: to Madras and to the allowances granted by Govt on the 8 August

24th August 1846.

Further Explanation of the Principal Collector.	Further Remarks of the Board	Orders of Government.
10	11	12

No 3. The allowance of 1 Cully fanam per diem is continued to Golam Gows from the date of his father's death (Original incumbent) as per order of the late Principal Collector Mr Peter dated 17th June 1821, for the performance of the Poosh Emam duty in the Mosque of Shawsaheer deen as per Purwanah granted on the 21st Jamadaawwy 1175. No sanction from the Board.

No 3. This Yeomiah was renewed without authority by the late Dubash Collector Mr Peter, but it appears to be for the performance of the duty of Poosh Eroms in the Mosque of Shawsaheer deen the Board recommend that its continuance in the name of the present incumbent Golam Gows be sanctioned. The Original Purwanah referred to by the Dubash Collr (with translation) is herewith sent.

No 35. 39. 42. 62. 63. 70. 75. 89. In the Mogazalitah submitted by Mr Peter on the 31st October 1818 and sanctioned by Government on the 23rd April 1819 the names of the present Incumbents are entered.

No 35. This Yeomiah was renewed in the name of Sullah Rayanar of Gopalakistna Chayaratty (late Yeomiah) on the decease for day by the late Principal Collector Mr Peter dated 31st October 1818 for praying for the performance of duty of Purgee in the Mosque at Pursuant granted on the 21st Shawaul 1130.

No 39. This Yeomiah was renewed in the name of Shawdeen Cheste son of the late Yeomiah dar at 2 Cs per day together with the free Emam Village of Cully-goody as per order of the late Principal Collector (Mr Peter) dated 11th June 1821 for charges of the Mosque at Madura and for Maintenance of the parties as per Purwanah of the Nabob Wallajah. No sanction from the Board.

No 62. 70. 75. 89. The payments of these Yeomiahs are recommended for sanction under the explanations of the Principal Collector No 57. The allowances though stated by the Principal Collector to be for performing the duty of Purgee in the Mosque at Pooroor appears from the Purwanahs here with submitted to have been granted for

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Names of the present Incumbents or of the Institutions	Authorized amount annually payable in Fasly 1252.	Amount actually paid in each	Difference. Increase	Difference. Decrease	Cause of the difference	Explanation of the Principal Collector as entered in List which accompanied his letter of the 30th May 1845.	Remarks of the Board as per their letter dated 16th October 1845.	Fur.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.				
Mr. William Clarke son of the late Lieutenant & Adjutant Samuel Clarke	1008 9 4	1008 9 4				Accompanying is an Extract Pension to Lieutenant of a letter from Mr. G. Garrow and Adjutant Samuel Deputy Secretary to Government Clarke's family dated the 11th April 1800 for Pension of Rupees 1008 9 4 per Annum allowed to Mr. William Clarke son of the late Lieutenant and Adjutant Samuel Corchy Pollum. The Board Clarke, it is requested the sanction of Government may be obtained as required by the Genl Auditor.	The order of the Board dated 11th April 1800 quoted by the Principal Collector authorized the payment of the arrears of the Pension from the Revenue of the Pandalum Pollum. The Board presume that this pension is now paid from the Government Treasury. The Principal Collector will be pleased to state whether sanction was ever obtained for the disbursement of the Pension from the Public Treasury and if so the date of sanction should be given and also what Members of the family are now in the receipt of the allowance.	She annu Jem date 1836 Pens ab C order Clar San of

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pension of Rupees 1008 9 4 for which was paid thro' the Collector of Madura, there appears no other on the subject. Mr William Lee, son of Lieutenant and Adjutant Clarke is now on sole receipt of it.—

for the maintenance of the Grantee in remuneration for his prayers for the welfare of the Grantee.—

The Board therefore are of opinion that it should be discontinued at the death of the present Incumbent.

They recommend that sanction be granted for the disbursement on this account in Fasly 1252 / 1842-43 A.D.

No 69 The circumstances of the Yeomiah of Cully Gramums referred to by Lieut. and the subject will be specially reported to Government.—

No 41 The circumstance under which the Board authorizes the grant of an annual Pension of Rupees 77-6-9 to Mootummah and Meenammah the two daughters of the late Yeomiah Sastry was reported to Government under date 6th July 1827. on the Charge being retrenched by the Civil Auditor in the Audit of the Principal Collector's Accounts for Fasly 1235 and A.D. 1825-26 the pension received the sanction of Government on the 27th July 1827. Renewed sanction for the payment of Mootummah's pension of Rs 38-4-6 per Annum is solicited the pension of Meenamah having lapsed to Government by the death of—

The amounts entered in the Statements A and No 1 submitted on the 3rd July and 6th October 1841 are correct as per Jusdick, but the receipts for the differences not being furnished in due time, or within Fasly 1252 by the Managers of Danastanums and Vedans of Chultrums they were charged in the following Fasly 1253. The sanction is now sought for the Accounts according to Jusdick.—

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Names of the present Incumbents or of the Institutions.	Authorized Amount annually payable to each	Amount actually paid in Fasly 1252	Rs.	Orders of Government	Amount actually paid in Fasly 1252	Increase	Decrease	Orders of Government.
1	2	3	4	12	4	5	6	12
		Rs. A P	Rs. A P		Rs. A P	Rs. A P	Rs. A P	
Iravadaswarasawmys Pagoda ab Annjoor	506 12 2	506 12 2			1,812 13 5		26 6 11	
Gopaulasawmys D° at Shedejin	211 1 5	211 1 5						
Kylasanaadasawmys D° ab D°	574 13 7	574 13 7						
Soobramanyasawmys D° at Poolloor	276 2 11	276 2 11			954 8 9			
Vencatachellaputysawmys D° ab Sindoosulty	563 13 1	563 13 1			901 8 3			
Caredumalaghursawmys D° ab Allecondom	105 10 2	105 10 2			421 3 10			
Kylasanadasawmys D° ab Coil: sulty	615 2 5	600 15 11			582 1 1			
Agnaswamerasawmys Ditto ab Sheroochany	428 7 9	417 12 1			918 2 11			
Sheroocoadynauthasawmys Ditto ab Saracody	78 7 9	76 3 7			246 1			
Chuttrum allowances								
Sambrem Chuttrum ab Madura	2,450 8 6	2,450 8 6			1060 9 9		1	
Mangammals D° ab Sholavandan	315 9 8 9	315 9 8 9			600 9 11			
Soondarasa at Sheroomungalum	2912 11 1	2939 2 1			458 2 11		71 1 6	
Chuttrum and Waterfundal ab Mey. Coor	1350 1 11	1312 1 6			6981 6 2			
					3181 13 1			
					59753 13 7		1 17 11 2	

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Ordered that the follow-
ing letter be sent in reply.

To

The Principal Collector of
Madura.

To the Pl. Coll.r of Madura. } Sir

Referring to the list of
Pensions &c.a which accompanied your letter
of the 23d. July last, I am directed by the Board
of Revenue to request that you will transmit
to this Office as early as practicable the Original
Puraanahs mentioned in your remarks
on items Nos. 3-51 and 69. with translation in
English. If the originals are not forthcom-
ing Copies with translation should be
furnished.

you will also be pleased
to explain in regard to the charge of Rupees
71-7-8 incurred "for repairing a Pent-roof in
front of the Palace," to what Palace the
charge has reference, and the necessity of the
charge being defrayed by Government.

Revenue Board Office,
Fort St. George,
24th August 1846. } /Signed/ S. Pycroft
Secretary.

To. S. Pycroft Esq.re
Secretary to the
Board of Revenue
Fort St. George

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From the Pl. Collector
of Madura —
26th June 1846

Re. With reference to your letter
of the 29th June, in answer to mine of the 2d. Inst.
Communicating

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the authority of Government
communicating for writing off in the accounts Rupees 17-9-5,
improperly entered in the Settlement of Congum-
putty for fasly 1256. I am sorry to inform you
that the above said sum was erroneously entered
instead of Rupees 17-9-3, as also that annas
2 and pice 9. charged as due on account of
fish rent of the Village in question, was
inadvertently admitted to be included in
my former suggestion, and I therefore beg a
revised sanction may be obtained for all
Viz.t Rupees 17-12-0.

Madura
1st August 1846 } /Signed/ J. Blackburne
Pl. Collector.

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

To

The Chief Secretary to
Government

Sir.

To the Chief Sec.y to Government } With reference to Extract
Minutes of Consultation under date the 26th June
last authorizing the Principal Collector of
Madura to write off the sum of Rupees 17-9-5.
from the accounts of his Collectorate, I am
directed by the Board of Revenue to forward
for submission to the Right Noble the Governor
in Council the accompanying letter from
that Officer noticing the accidental entry
of the above sum, in applying for sanction,
instead of Rupees 17-9-3 as also the omission
on his part to request authority simultane-
ously for writing off the further sum of " 2 9,
and

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and soliciting revised sanction for the whole amount of 17-12-0.

2. Under the circumstances stated the Board beg to recommend that Mr. Blackburne may receive authority for Striking off the above sum of Rupees 17 12-0 from the accounts of his District.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
24th. August 1846

/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary.

Read the following Letter.

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

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From the Pt. Collector of Madura

Sir

I have the honor to request you will procure me the Boards orders on my two last quarterly Statements of Estimates proposed for disbursement on account of Devastations and Contingencies submitted respectively on the 3d. May and on the 24th. July.

Madura 5th. August 1846

/ Signed / T. Blackburne
Pt. Collector.

Order thereon
Ordered to be Recorded.
Read the following letters

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

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From the Collector of Canara

Sir,

With reference to an Extract from the proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 11th. forwarding Copy of a communication from Dr. Gibson to the Bombay Government on the subject of a supply of Teak timber for the use of H. M. Navy. I have the honor to state that most of the points referred to there in appear to have been noticed in the letter which I dispatched to your address on the 20th. Instant and that no other observations occur to me at present as being necessary to

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to be made on the subject:-

Dr. Gibson refers to a report which had been drawn out by him sometime during this year which as it probably contains much valuable information respecting the Canara forests it would be desirable that I should be furnished with a copy of should no objection exist to this being done.

Collectors Cutcherry
Mangalore
24th June 1846.

/Signed/ J. L. Blane
Collector

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Order thereon-
(Vide letter to Govt. 29th Aug. 46)

Ordered to be recorded

Read

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Read the following letter

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

Sir,

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From the Collr. of Canara. } Para 1.

With reference to an Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue under date the 25th Ultimo, I have the honor to forward a Statement prepared in the prescribed form, of the Establishment which I propose to entertain at the new Salt depôts referred to in my letter of the 8th June last.

+ Rs. 152 per Month.

2 As considerable loss would be sustained by these depôts not being opened early in the Season I propose in the event of Sanction not having been received when the buildings may have been erected to employ the Establishment at once and commence the sales on anticipation of the sanction of Government.

Collectors Cutchery
Mangalore,
5th August 1846.

/Signed/ J. L. Blane
Collector

Statement

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No. 1.

Statement shewing the Additions proposed in the Establishment of the Salt Monopoly of Canara from 1st October 1836.

Mundse in Ditto	One new Monegar	10	"	"
	One ditto Shanbogue	5	"	"
	One ditto Measurer	4	"	"
	Five ditto Kolkars at 4 Rs each	20	"	"
Bijjay in the Ankola Talook:	As per establishment &c. recommended for the Mundse Sandy	39	"	"
Gurcoopa in the Honore Talook	Addition to the pay of the Shanbogue to be raised from Rs. 6 to 7 per Month	1	"	"
	One new Measurer	1	"	"
	Two new Kolkars @ 4 Rs each	8	"	"
		13	"	"
	Total per Month	153	"	"
	Per Annum	1836	"	"
	Present sanctioned Establishment for the Hoogoorand District Rs. 1155-4 per Month	13863	"	"
		15699	"	"

The increased expenditure will be fully covered and it is expected that a net surplus revenue will be derived [illegible]

Mangalore 5th August 1836.

/Signed/ J. L. Blane.
Col.

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Proceedings thereon.— Resolved that the foregoing lett
(79-81) be submitted for the consideration and orders of the
Most Noble the Governor in Council, with reference t
extract minutes Consultation dated 13th July last.

From the Collector of Canara. Read abstract Statement of
(81) persons charged with offences under Regulation IX
1822 for the half year ending 30th June 1846.—

Order thereon.— Ordered to lie over until the receip
(81-82) of the returns from other districts, when an abstract of th
whole will be prepared and submitted for the orders of
Government.—

Read the following letter.—

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

From the Collr of Malabar, Sir, the 28th May last on the subject of the lease applied for
(83) by the late Mr. Conolly for certain lands in Wynaad Taluc
the honor to forward an Extract from a letter from Messrs
Richmond & Co. requesting that the names of Mr. H.B.
Herrick and Mr. J.R. Richmond be entered in the Lea
The marks desired in the 8th para of yo
letter to indicate the Compartments within which the lan
to be leased are situated having been supplied in the
accompanying Sketch it is herewith returned.—

Calicut 11th July 1846. (Signed) H. V. Conolly
Collr.

Extract from a Letter from Messrs. Richmond &
to H V Conolly Esqr Collector of Malabar dated Colaba 27th
June 1846.—

"We have the honor to receive your No. 7
under date 6th June in answer to the letter you favor u
with a Copy of, we beg to state that we wish the estate of a
Peryeob to have the lease made out to Mr. H.B. Herrick
and Mr. J.R. Richmond, for themselves, and their he
and not as Trustees for any one, we agreeing to all the
clauses as to Cultivation &c. as agreed to for the late
Conolly on 16th October 1845." (True Extract)
(Signed) H.V. Conolly
Collr.

Orde

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Ordered that the following
letter be sent in Consequence.—

To The Honorable Company's Solicitor
Madras

(83-84)

To the Hon'ble Company's Solicitor.— Sir,

Desiring I am directed by the
Board of Revenue under instructions from
Government to request that you will be so
good as to prepare a Lease of a tract of
land in the Malabar District which is to
be granted to certain parties for the Culti-
vation of Coffee the particulars are as under

Malabar.—

2 The Lease is to be granted
by the Collector of Malabar on behalf of
the Government of Madras.

3 The parties to whom the
Lease is to be granted are Messrs Thomas
Potts Richmond of Bombay Merchant
Henry Baldwin Herrick of Bombay
Barrister and their heirs.— The land to be
leased consists of six tracts of Jungle in
the Eddanada Desom Tenthom of the
Tirrupatta Tarah in the Wynaad division
of the Malabar District.— The tracts are
named severally as under.

1 Coottapilana Mullah
Bawandy

Note. Terms corresponding to 2nd Division 1st Division.

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2 Ramanathy Mullah alias Chayadan Mullah

3 Candangolo Valia Mullah

4 Kally Madakoo Mullah

5 Narry Coody Mullah

6 Cherroo Mullah.

N.B. These boundaries are for Jungle Trade belonging to different parties. Note for example

Their boundaries are on the North- Madawalom Vettoo Chella Government and Paral Nairs Jenmi property- Paroomandal Coonah Coroo Paral Nairs Jenmi property- Nellikah Coroo Paral Nairs Jenmi property and the Poonjah Tyly Mullah- on the East Edapayah Mullah Thayatal Nairs Jenmi Property- Orpully Coroo the Jenmi property of Thayattoo Nair- On the South the Jenmi property of Thayattoo Nair- On the West Narry Coody Thanah- Thamoto Nairs Jenmi property- Cheiro Mullah Tarrah- Panangottoo Mullah Vengata Atty Mullah and High Kolan Coroo Mullah and Poonjah Tyly Mullah the Jenmi property of Thayatto Nair- The whole content which is to be granted is roughly calculated at 600 acres.

4 The whole tract to be leased and the Country surrounding it are dense forest,

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forest, rock and hills- It is therefore difficult to describe the land with any close approach to accuracy- It is hoped that what has been stated in the preceding Para may suffice to designate it for the purposes of the Lease- The Board beg however to forward for your inspection a rough sketch of the tract in question which it may perhaps be advisable to insert in or append to the Lease.-

5 The Lease is to be granted on a present payment of Rupees 3,000- and is to run for 21 years on a Pepper corn rent- at the end of that time it is to be renewable at the option of the Lessee for a further period of 14 years also at a Pepper corn rent and without any fine or payment for renewal- at the expiration of the full term of 35 years the land will be subject to the ordinary land tax of the District.-

6 The following conditions are also to be inserted in the Lease.

1. That one third of the lands granted shall be cleared within the first five years and the whole of the Cultivable lands cleared and brought under

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under Cultivation within the first ten years of the tenure and that on failure the lands not cleared and Cultivated shall revert to Government.-

2. That the right to take any portion of the land for Highways or other public purposes- To all Mineral products- To all Streams and to the distribution of water for irrigation as well as the right of way to the Community both for Men and Cattle be reserved to Government.-

3. That the Grantee erect Boundary marks and keep them in order.-

4. That no part of the land not brought under actual Cultivation shall be subject to Sale or transfer.-

5 That the Lease be subject to the eventual confirmation of the Honble the Court of Directors.-

7 The Board trust that the particulars above Stated may be found to furnish sufficient information on all points necessary for the preparation of the Lease but should any further explanation be requisite it will give them much pleasure to afford it.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
25th August 1840

Signed J. Dycroft
Secretary

South

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East-
Mysoor and Salem Sts.

West.

de Chorum (absent)

Carried
Member

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Read the following letters.

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

(85)

From the Collr of Malabar — Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 16th Instant, forwarding Translations of the Notification adverted to in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of Government of the same date for Circulation in this District, I have the honor to request that if they can be spared, I may be supplied with about thirty Copies more of the translations in Malialum.—

Calicut — 27th July 1846

(Signed) H. V. Conolly Esqre
Collector

Resolution thereon (85-86)

As no more printed Copies of the Translations referred to in the foregoing letter are at present available, the Board authorize the Collector to have 50 Manuscript Copies of them prepared, and to include the charge of transcription in the Quarterly Statements of Contingent Charges within 20 Rupees each.—

To

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

(87)

From the Collr of Malabar — Sir,

With reference to the Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated 16th Ultimo, I have the honor to report that I have received tenders as shewn in the Margin for the lease of the Cardamom Farm for a period of five years and accepted that of Kannoor Joomjoo Soomar and Mookatoomporatha Coonhy Pucky two of the principal

Names of the Tenders	Date of Tender	Share proposed to be paid to Government annually.	Rate per Candy proposed to be paid to the Ryots.
1 Mr. J. C. Grant	28th July 1846	Rs. 11500 —	Rupees 300 —
2 Cotalayatoolah	30th Ditto	" 21,000	Payable by Government
Venkummetil Conhaly		" — 12300	Rupees 250
3 and Moolathany Cheekooly	2nd August	" — 11,300	" — 275
		" — 10,300	" — 300
4 Coongaratha Assoem Moolandayem Oomur Coolty and Kunsoparil Coonha Meyen	2nd Ditto	" — 10200	" — 300
5 Arcot Varabudreen Moodeliar	2nd Ditto	" — 8500	" — 260
6 Meeran Joomoos Soomar and Mooka tomporatha Coonhy Pucky	2nd Ditto	" — 15000	" — 250
		" — 14000	" — 275
		" — 13005	" — 300
7 Cyloote Kuttoan Coolty Kajee	2nd Ditto	" — 8,000	" — 250
		" — 16750	Payable by Government
8 Mookatomporatha Coonhy Pucky and Palikandy Comhoosa	3rd Ditto	" — 25005	— Ditto
9 Kurrydassa Nayjee	3rd Ditto	" — 10,250	Rupees 250
10 Toolsedass Maudeenjee & Cotalay Popee	3rd Ditto	" — 12250	" — 265

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principal Merchants of Tellicherry to pay Government Rupees 13,005 per annum, and the Ryots Rupees 300 per Candy for their half share of the produce. This 300 is 50 in excess of what was paid them during the last five years. But they have a just claim to share in the improvement of the Cardamom Market, and from the enquiry I have made, I believe the addition now granted is no more than is fair - in other words the Market price of Cardamoms which was only 500 when the last lease was granted may now be assumed at 600. - Sufficient security for the fulfilment of the Contract has been taken. -

Calicut - - - }
6th August 1840 - } (Signed) H. V. Conolly
Collector. -

Resolution thereon - The Board approve the
(87-88) acceptance of the offer of Nemanjoonjs Soonar and Mootatamboorathe Coonhy Packy for the lease of the Cardamom Farm of Wynaad &c. for five years, on the terms specified in the foregoing letter. They presume that Mr. Conolly has not lost sight of the point required to in the concluding part of the Board

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Proceedings dated 10th Ultimo -

Read the following letter.

To, The Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

(89)

From the Commissary General - - - - - }
6th April 1846. Gentlemen,

With reference to your Secretarys letter, I have the honor to forward 19 Tin Boxes in addition to
4th May 1846. the one sent with letter from this Office. -

Commissary Generals Office }
Madras 17th August 1840 } (Signed) A. Tulloch.
Commissary General

(89-90)

Order thereon. Ordered to be recorded. -

(Vide letter to Govt. 27th August)

Read the following letter.

To, The Board of Revenue

(91)

Gentlemen,

From Mr. A. James - - - - - }
Cotacamund - - - - - }

Complaining of certain exactions demanded made upon him for some lands held on Cowle in the neighbourhood of Segoor.

I beg leave most respectfully to draw your attention to the following circumstance - In 1840 Mr. H. V. Conolly being the Collector, I obtained a grant of land contiguous to Segoor for the purpose of planting Coffee Sugar &c. &c. -

As an encouragement to attempts of this nature Mr. Conolly granted me a Cowle in which the rent was remitted entirely for five years, after which time, for the three ensuing years

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one quarter of the regular tax used to be required / I have the honor to annex a fair Copy of this Cowle / notwithstanding the clear and explicit terms of this Document the Tahsildar at Cotacamund, acting, as he states, by order of the Principal Collector demands the full tax instead of one fourth as the agreement states, for this year - In addition to demanding the full tax, the amount for the whole year is required though the ground has been formally abandoned by me for the present time - On this property I have spent two thousand Rupees, but owing to the dreadful fevers to which the place is subjected and from which myself and my Assistants, European and native, have had narrow escapes I have been compelled to give up any further prosecution of the experiment -

I am at present subjected to the repeated annoyances and summonses from the Tahsildar. I am threatened with the seizure of my property - I therefore beg to request Gentlemen that

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that you will kindly interfere to put a stop to these annoyances -

Cotacamund
5th August 1846 } Signed A. James

To Mr. James
Bellikul

Sir,

With reference to my letter of the 29th October last, I beg to state that the terms that the Acting Principal Collector will recommend to the Board of Revenue for the Grant of one Cowle of 50 Cawnies of land at Legon for cultivating Coffee or Sugarcane are free 6th - 7th and 8th years quarter - 9th and 10th years half 11th and 12 years three quarter and subsequently the full tax or 3 - 2 - 1 per Cawney for 30 Cawnies and 3 - 10 - 7 per Cawney for the rest as part of the land is of a little soil than the rest -

If you feel disposed to agree to these terms I will forward the necessary document for your signature -

Malabar Sub Coll.rs office
Tellicherry 29th January 1846 } Signed T. H. Gordayn
Acting Sub Coll.r

ordered

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Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.

To the Principal Collector of Coimbatore

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward to you the accompanying Communication from Thos. James a resident on the Neilgherry Hills Complaining of certain exctra demands having been made upon him for some land held on Coule in the neighbourhood of Segoor by the Tahsildar of Ootacamund and to request that you will be good enough to report upon the subject of complaint for their information.

Revenue Board office
Fort St. George
25th August 1846.

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

The Board proceed to take into consideration the Statements noted below and to record their remarks thereon.

From the Collector of Masulipatam — Estimate of advances proposed to be made for Cultivation and the Manufacture of Salt for Fasly 1256.

93

From the Collector of South Arcot — Statement of sums proposed to be advanced for cultivation in Fasly 1254.

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Ordered that

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Order on the 2 abovementioned Statements

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Ordered that the necessary remarks of the Board be inserted in the proper Columns of the above mentioned Statements and submitted for the Sanction of Government.

Read the undermentioned Statements.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry — Statement of contingent charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

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From the Collector of Masulipatam — Statement of Contingent Charges not exceeding 20 Rs. each incurred for the Quarter ending 31st March last.

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From the Collector of Masulipatam — Statement of Contingent Charges not exceeding 20 Rs. each incurred in the Magistrate's Department for the Quarter ending 31st March last.

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From the Collector of South Arcot — Statement of Contingent Charges not exceeding 20 Rs. each incurred for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

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From the Collector of Trichinopoly — Statement of Contingent charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

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Statement

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Ordered that the following letter be sent in Consequence.

To The Principal Collector of Coimbatore

Sir

To the Pl. Coll.r of Coimbatore } I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward to you the accompanying Communication from Mr. James a resident in the Neilgherry Hills Complaining of certain extra demands having been made upon him for some land held on Cowle in the neighbourhood of Segoor by the Tahsildar of Ootacamund and to request that you will be good enough to report upon the subject of complaint for their information.

(91-92)

Revenue Board office Fort St. George 24th August 1846. } I am Sir Your most obedient Servant Signed T. Pycroft Secretary

The Board proceed to take into consideration the Statements noted below and to record their remarks thereon.

From the Collector of Masulipatam (93) — Estimate of advances proposed to be made for Cultivation and the Manufacture of Salt for Fasly 1256.

From the Collector of South Arcot (94) — Statement of sums proposed to be advanced for cultivation for Fasly 1256.

Ordered that

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Ordered that the 2 abovementioned Statements

(93-95) Ordered that the necessary Returns of the Board be inserted in the proper Columns of the abovementioned Statements and submitted for the Sanction of Government.

Read the undermentioned Statements.

From the Collector of Rajahmundry (96) — Statement of Contingent Charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

From the Collector of Masulipatam (97) — Statement of Contingent Charges not exceeding 20 Rs. each incurred for the Quarter ending 31st March last.

From the Collector of Masulipatam (98) — Statement of Contingent Charges not exceeding 20 Rs. each incurred in the Magistrate's Department for the Quarter ending 31st March last.

From the Collector of South Arcot (99) — Statement of Contingent Charges not exceeding 20 Rs. each incurred for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

From the Collector of Trichinopoly (100) — Statement of Contingent charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

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169 From the Pr. Collector of Madura. Statement of
(101) Contingent Charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred for the Quarter ending 30th June last.

From the 2d Collector of Tinnevelly. Statement of Contingent charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred for the Quarter ending 30th June last.
(102)

Order on the 2 abovementioned Statements. . . . } Resolved that the
(96-103) necessary orders be passed.

Read the undermentioned Statements.

From the Coll.r of Rajahmundry. Statement Shewing the prices of the principal Kinds
(104) of grain upto 31st July 1846.

From the Collector of Nellore. Statement shewing the prices of the principal Kinds of grain
(105) upto 10th August 1846.

From the 2d Coll.r of North Arcot. } Statement shewing the prices
(106) of the principal Kinds of grain up to 31st July 1846.

From the Collector of South Arcot. } List shewing the prices of
(107) the principal Kinds of grain upto 11th August 1846.

From the Principal Collector of Madura Average bazar wholesale
(108)

that

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wholesale prices of grain and salt upto 31st July 1846.

From the Collector of Tinnevelly. } Statement shewing
(109) the prices of the principal Kinds of grain upto 31st July 1846.

Order on the 6 abovementioned Statements . . . } Ordered to be
(104-110) recorded.

Read the undermentioned Statements.

From the Collector of Ganjam. Statement shewing the quantity of Salt Sold for
(111) Home and Inland Consumption for the Quarter ending 31st July last.

From the Collector of Malabar. Statement shewing the quantity of Salt sold for
(112) Home and Inland Consumption for the Quarter ending 31st July last.

Order on the 2 abovementioned Statements . . . } Ordered to be
(111-113) lodged in the Office.

From the Collector of Nellore. } Read register of
(114) Endorsements passed by him on Bonds DESTROYED
petitions referred by the Board during

during the month of July last.

Ordered thereon

(114-115) Ordered to be lodged in the Office.

Resolved that the following letter be dispatched.

To

The Collector in the Zillah of Guntoor.

Sir,

To the Collector in the Zillah of Guntoor. } I am directed by the

(116) Board of Revenue to forward for your report the accompanying Petition from the Ex Zemindar of the Vajaradey Estate Ramanadha Baboo, and to request that you will state what is the amount now invested in public securities on account of the Zemindary; in which manner the interest is appropriated, what allowances are at present made to the widows of the former Zemindars and from what source those allowances are defrayed with any further information which it may be in your power to furnish on the

the subject of the Petition.

Revenue Board Office, Fort St. George. } [Signed] S. Pycroft Secretary.
24th August 1846.

Received the under-mentioned miscellaneous letters and Statements.

From the Dy. accountant General. . . } Forwarding an Indent
(117) for green cloth required for the use of the Military Department

Ordered that the
(117-118) original Indent accompanying the above-mentioned letter be passed and returned.

From the Collector of South Arcot. } Acknowledging the
(119) receipt of certain printed papers.

From the Principal Collector of Madura . . . } Average bazar
(120) wholesale prices of grain and salt for the month of July last.

From the Collector of Nellore. } Statement of Salt
(121) for exportation on account of the Chittagong Indent for 1845/46 up to 8th August 1846.

Statement

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From the Collector of Nellore. (122)

Statement of Salt for exportation on account of the Chittygong Investment for 1845/46 upto 15th August 1846.

From the Collector of Nellore. (123)

Stating that no persons were either suspended or dismissed under Regulation VII of 1831 during the month of July last.

" J. D. Drury

" J. Maclean

"

" J. Goldingham

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Diary.

At a Meeting Present.

Thursday 27th August 1846.

G. D. Drury Esqre Senior Member
J. Maclean Esqre Jr. Second Member
Walter Elliot Esqre Third Member
and
J. Goldingham Esqre Officiating Member

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

(1)

Read the following Extract

From the Secy to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation Under date the 28th July 1846.

Approving of the instructions issued to the Acting Collector of Cuddapah for completing the 4th Copy of the Pymash Chittas and Jarwary Accounts & desiring to have a report on the present state of the Pymash and Jarwary Accounts of the Bellary District also directing that in future a separate application be Submitted for the charge.—

Read the following letter from the Board of Revenue:

Submitting with reference to Para 3 Extract Minutes Consultation 13th March 1846 a report from the Acting Collr of Cuddapah Shewing the period from which the Establishment maintained for recopying the Pymash Chittas and Jarwary Accounts of that District was entertained, the Amount of Charges incurred to July 1st the progress of the work and the probable period at which it will be Completed, and transmitting Copies of the Correspondence which has passed on the subject between the Board and the District Authorities.—

Para 1. It is doubtful whether the Government in originally sanctioning the measures

(Here enter 25th June 1846 No. 319)

measures proposed by the Board of Revenue for rendering the records of the Survey complete contemplated that the preparation of the Accounts would have occupied so much time and entailed so heavy an expense as that now brought to notice in the foregoing letter. During a period of nearly 20 years that has elapsed since the date of Sanction scarcely three fourths of the work have been completed while a Charge of Rupees 42,764- has been incurred and it is Estimated that it will cost an additional Sum of 6000 Rupees and occupy a further period of nearly three years to Completes the unfinished portion of the 3d Copy of the a Pymash Chittahs and a Sarwary Accounts making an aggregate Charge of Rupees 48736- for three Copies of these Accounts as shewn below-

a Accounts of measurements Register of fields

1st Copy for the use of the Talook Cutcherries- Rupees- 15446-5-11.
2d ---------- the Board of Revenue ---- 1916-0-1
3d ---------- the Huzzoor Cutcherry ---- 11130-3-3.
Total Rupees ---- 48736-9-3.

2- It is now proposed to dispense with the 1st Copy of the above Accounts which was intended for the use of the Curnums the records of their respective Villages being Completed by themselves from the Talook

Copy.

Copy of the Accounts without any expense to Government and it is also suggested that the transcription of the other two Accounts the Selasela Bariz and Sarum Summabundi should not be undertaken as being of no minor importance-

c Statement of Demand and collections for 20 years.

3- The Most Noble the Governor in Council while he approves of the Arrangement above referred to and of the instructions issued to the Acting Collector on the subject regrets to observe that during a period of 20 years the work has been progressing no special report should have been submitted by the Board shewing the Actual Charge of what had been done and the probable expenditure of Completing the whole work and he is glad to find now that he has interfered in time to save a further outlay of about 20,000 Rupees on this account-

4- His Lordship in Council desires to have a report on the present state of the Pymash and Sarwary Accounts of the Bellary District for the preparation of which an Establishment was authorized at a Monthly Charge of Rupees 420- at the same time the measures recommended for Completing the survey records of the Cuddapah

District

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District received the Sanction of Government. The Board will State when the work was completed the period it occupied and the total charge incurred on that account.-

5. The Board will be pleased to see that the charge of the Establishment employed in Copying the Accounts in Cuddapah is not included in future in the annual Statements of Extra Establishments ordinarily employed in the Provinces. A separate application should be submitted to Government for the requisite sanction for the yearly disbursement on this account accompanied by a Statement of the work done during the year similar in form to that furnished by the Acting Collector

/ A true Extract /
/ Signed / C. P. Thompson
Secretary to Govt.

To
The President & Members
of the
Board of Revenue.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in consequence.

1-2

To the Acting Collector of Cuddapah

Sir,

To the Actg Collr of Cuddapah
From Actg Collr 5th May inclos.
To D. 25th June 1846.

With reference to the Correspondence noted in the margin I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that the charge

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charge of the Establishment employed in Copying the survey Accounts in your District be not included in future in the Statement of Extra Establishment annually submitted to this Office but you will be pleased to submit a separate application for the requisite Sanction for the yearly disbursements on this account with a Statement of the work done during the year Similar in form to that which accompanied your letter of the 5th May 1846 No. 39.-

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
27th August 1846

/ Signed / C. Pycroft
Secretary

Read the following Extracts.-

From the Secy to Government

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
10th August 1846.

Read the following.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation in the Military Department 6th Augt 1846.

Extract Minutes of Consultation
17th February 1846 No. 813.

Requesting the Board of Revenue to ascertain from Subadar Major Sheer Ally Beg the situation of the land which he would select and to report the same to Government stating the rents at present received therefrom-

Resolved that the attention of the Board of Revenue be called through the Revenue Department

11026 Fort St. George 27th August 1846.

Department to the paper noted in the
Margin and that they be requested to
furnish an early reply thereto

(Signed) C. A. Brown Lieut. Col.
Secretary to Govert

Referred to the Board of
Revenue with reference to the order of
Government dated 3d March last No. 956.

(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secy to Government

From the Secy. to Government (4)

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 28th August 1846.

Read again.

Extract Mins: Cons: in the Military Department
dated 17th February and entered in Cons: 3d March 1846 No. 977

Extract Mins: Cons: in the Military Department
dated 4th and entered in Dy. to Cons: 11th Augt 1846 No. 847

Resolved with reference
to the orders of Government in this Depart:
-ment dated 3d March and 10th August 1846
No. 956 and 824, that the Board of Revenue be
called upon to explain the Cause of the delay in
furnishing the required information respecting
the lands to be assigned to Subadar Major
Sheer Ally Beg on Shrotriem tenure.

(True Extract)
(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secy to Govt

Ordered that the following letter
be submitted in reply.

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To

The Chief Secretary to
Government

To the Chief Secy to Government (3-5)

Sir,

I am directed by the Board
of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt
of the orders of Government dated 10th and
26th Instant, calling upon them to
explain the cause of the delay in
furnishing the required information
respecting the lands to be assigned
to Subadar Major Sheer ally Beg
on Shrotriem tenure.

2. In reply the Board
beg to state that the delay in the
disposal of this matter arises from
the Subadar Major having only
recently specified the locality in
which he wishes the land to be
assigned to him. The Village
which he has selected is situated in the

Tungabut

† 21st July 1846.

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thingleput district and a reference re=
=garding it has been made to the Acting
Collector whose answer has not yet been
received - On the receipt of his reply the
Board will lose no time in addressing
the Government upon the
subject.-

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Fort St. George
27th August 1846

Signed I. Pycroft.
Secretary

Read the following Resolution

From the Chief Secy. to Govt. (6)

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 6th August 1846.

(From B. 27th July)

The Government grant=
authority for writing off in the Accounts
of North Arcot the Amount of the
3 Items reported in the foregoing Proceed=
=ings, Viz. Rupees (57- 7- 11) Fifty seven
Annas seven and Pice eleven.-

(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secretary to Govt.

Resolution thereon. (6-7)

Resolved that a Copy of
the foregoing order and of the Board
Proceedings

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Proceedings to which it relates be trans=
=mitted for the information and guid=
=ance of the Acting Collector of North
Arcot with reference to his letter dated
26th June last.-

From the Chief Secy. to Govt. (8)

Extract from the Minutes of Consul=
=tation dated 10th August 1846

(From B. 30th July.)

The Military Board will be
pleased to order the supply of the Scales and
Weights required for the Sayer and Sea
Custom Departments of Guntoor.-

(Signed) E. P. Thompson
Secy. to Government

Resolution thereon. (8-9)

Resolved that a Copy of the
foregoing Order of Government and of the Boards
Proceedings to which it refers be transmitted
for the information and guidance of
the Collector of Guntoor with reference
to his letter dated 10th July last.-

Read the following Statements

Statement.

11030 (10) Fort St. George

Statement Shewing the actual Charges incurred for 27th August 1816.

on account of additional Establishment employed fusly 1255.

Number	Description of Servants	Estimate for fusly 1255. Number of Servants	Rate of Pay	Amount of Pay	Period of Employment	Estimated Charges	Actual Charges for fusly 1255	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7: Increase	Decrease	Date of Sanction of Estimate	Remarks
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
1.	Additional Goomastahs	10	10	100	2	200 " "					
		4	10	40	3	120 " "					
						320 " "					
2.	Fuft Goomastahs	6	10	60	4	240 " "					
		2	10	20	3	60 " "					
		4	10	40	2	80 " "					
						380 " "					
3.	Masoolders	28	3	84	3	252 " "					
		20	2½	50	3	150 " "					
						402 " "					
	Total	"	"	"	"	1102 " "	863 9 "	33 9 1	272 " 1		
							353 9 1	33 9 1	" " "		
							116 " "	" " "	264 " "	13th March 1816.	
							393 15 11	" " "	8 " 1		

Net decrease ..... 238 7 .

Vizagapatam, August 1816. E. E. ?/?

(Signed) P. B. Smollett. Collector

Estimate

11031. (11) Fort St. George 27th August 1846

Estimate of Charges proposed to be incurred Fusly

on account of additional Establishment for

1256.

Estimate for Fusly 1256.

Number	Description of Servants.	Number of Servants	Rates of Pay.	Amount of Pay.	Proposed period of employment.	Estimated Charges.	Actual Charges in the preceding Fusly 1255.	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7. Increase.	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7. Decrease.	Date of previous correspondence in which the employment of similar Establishment has been authorized	Remarks.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		
1.	Additional Goomastahs	5	10	50	3	150 " "	353 9 1	" " "	203 9 1	23rd Septr 1838.	This decrease may be attributed to the leasing out of the Pallicondah Government Estates.
2.	Huft Goomastahs	4	10	40	2	80 " "	116 " "	" " "	36 " "		
3.	Massoldars	8	3	24	3	72 " "					
		20	2½	50	3	150 " "	393 15 11	" " "	171 15 11		
						222 " "					
		4	"	"	"	452 " "	863 9 "	" " "	411 9 "		

Vizagapatam
8th August 1846.

E. E. excepted.

(Signed) P. B. Smollett.
Collector.

Statement.

11032. (12) Fort St. George 27th August 1846

Statement exhibiting the actual Charges incurred in Fusly 1255 on account of additional Establishment employed in the Bellary District.

Description of Servants	Number of Servants	Estimated for Fusly 1255: Rates of Pay	Amount of Pay	Proposed period of employment	Estimated Charges	Actual Charges in the preceding Fusly 1255	Comparison between Column 6 and 7: Increase	Decrease	Date of previous correspondence in which the employment of similar establishment has been authorized	Remarks
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		₹ Rs. a p	₹ Rs. a p	Months	₹ Rs. a p	₹ Rs. a p	₹ Rs. a p	₹ Rs. a p		
Extra Goomastahs	8	18 " "	144 " "	6	864 " "	864 " "	" " "	" " "	Sanctioned by Government under date the 27th January 1832.	The Establishment was entertained for preparing Ryotwar accounts at the time of Summahbundy.
Extra Sweeper	1	174	174	12	178 "	178 "	" " "	" " "	Sanctioned by the Board of Revenue on the 22nd February 1836	The Sweeper was employed for cleaning the Hoozoor Treasury of the Collector. The services of this servant being indispensably necessary application was made to the Board of Revenue in June last to bring him on the permanent Establishment.
Sugar Manufacturers	2	15 " "	30 " "	m. D. 2 23	82 11 10	82 11 10	" " "	" " "	The Employment of 2 Competent Sugar Manufacturers for 2 years at 25 Rupees per mensem was sanctioned by the Government of India on the 14th June 1845.	These two Persons were procured from Cuddapah and entertained from 16th September to 8th December 1846.

Bellary Collector's Office
20th August 1846.

E. E. excepted.

(Signed) A. Mellor
Collector

Estimate

11033. (13) Fort St. George

27th August 1846.

Estimate of charges proposed to be incurred Fusly 1256 in the Bellary District —

Description of Servants.	Estimate for Fusly 1256.					Actual Charges in the preceding Fusly 1255.	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7.		Date of previous correspondence in which the employment of similar establishment has been authorized.	Remarks.
	Number of Servants.	Rate of Pay.	Amount of Pay.	Proposed period of Employment.	Estimated Charges.		Increase.	Decrease.		
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
		£ Rs. a p	£ Rs. a p	month	£ Rs. a p	£ Rs. a p	£ Rs. a p	£ Rs. a p		
Extra Goomastahs	8	18 --	144 --	6	864 --	864 -- --	-- -- --	-- -- --	Sanctioned by Government under date the 27th January 1832.	The Establishment is indispensably required for preparing Rystwar accounts at the time of Summabundy for which sanction is requested.

Bellary Collector's Office
20th August 1846 } E. E. 7th.

(Signed) A. Mellor
Collector.

Statement.

Fort St. George

...tual Charges incurred on account of Additional Establishment

27th August 1846.

Employed in Fusly 1255.

...t Fusly 1255.

Actual Charges for Fusly 1255.

Period of Employment.	Estimate of Charges.	Number of Servants.	Rates of Pay.	Amount of Pay.	Period of Employment.	Actual Charges.	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7: Increase.	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7: Decrease.	Date of previous Correspondence in which the employment of similar Establishment has been authorized.	Remarks.
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	Rs. a p		Rs.	Rs. a p		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p		
... From 1st April to 30th June 1846	600 " "	"	"	" " "	"	" " "	" " "	600 " "	Vide Estimate of Extra Sibbendy Charges dated 2d September 1845 and letter from the Board of Revenue dated 2nd April 1846 conveying the Sanction of Government.	Employed for assisting the fixed Establishment in the preparation of the accounts Connected with Land and Motorpha Revenue Settlement and ascertaining the individual Seerwah for the same as also Maneums individually during Fusly 1255.
... From 16th April to 30th June 1846	475 " "	20	10	200 " "	From 16th April to 30th June 1846	500 " "	425 " "	" " "		
... From 1st April to 31st May 1846	160 " "	"	"	" " "	"	" " "	" " "	160 " "		
"	" " "	3	10	30 " "	From 1st May to 30th June 1846	60 " "	60 " "	" " "		
... From 1st May to 15th June 1846	15 " "	8	10	80 " "	From 1st May to 15th June 1846	120 " "	105 " "	" " "		
"	" " "	4	10	40 " "	From 1st May to 12th June 1846	56 " "	56 " "	" " "		
"	" " "	1	"	10 " "	From 1st May to 9th June 1846	13 " "	13 " "	" " "		
"	" " "	3	10	30 " "	From 1st May to 6th June 1846	36 " "	36 " "	" " "		
From 1st to 30th April 1846	50 " "	"	"	" " "	"	" " "	" " "	50 " "		
"	" " "	10	10	100 " "	From 1st to 30th June 1846	100 " "	100 " "	" " "		
"	" " "	3	10	30 " "	From 16th to 30th Do.	15 " "	15 " "	" " "		
	900 " "	52	"	" " "		900 " "	810 " "	810 " "		
From 1st March to 30th April 1846	160 " "	8	10	80 " "	From 1st March to 30th April 1846	160 " "	" " "	" " "	Ditto.	Employed during the harvest of Wet Grain in the Sunamee Villages in the Talooks of Sunkarnimarcoil and Tencausy in Conjunction with the Talook Servants for ascertaining the Mailwarum thereof. for Fusly 1255.
Do.	70 " "	10	3½	35 " "	Do.	70 " "	" " "	" " "	Ditto.	
	230 " "	18	"	" " "		230 " "	" " "	" " "		
	1130 " "	70	"	" " "		1130 " "	810 " "	810 " "		

Tinnevelly Tencausy 18th August 1846

E. E.

(Signed) R. D. Parker.

Estimate

11035. — (15) Fort St. George 27th. August 1846.

Estimate of Charges proposed to be incurred on account of Additional Establishment in Fusly 1256.—

Description of Servants.	Estimate for Fusly 1256. Number of Servants.	Rate of Pay.	Amount of Pay.	Proposed period of Employment.	Estimated Charges.	Actual Charges in the preceding Fusly 1255.	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7. Increase	Comparison between Columns 6 and 7. Decrease	Date of previous Correspondence in which the Employment of similar establishment has been authorized.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11.
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p		
Marattah Goomastahs	20	10	200	From 1st. April to 30th. June 1847	600 " "	600 " "			Vide Estimate of Extra Sibbendy Charges dated 30th. August 1845 and letter from the Board of Revenue dated 2d. April 1846 conveying the Sanction of Government.	Required to be employed for the preparation of the details of Summahbundy accounts of Land and Motarpha Revenue of the different Talooks for Fusly 1256 in conjunction with the fixed Establishment.
Ditto	3	10	30	From 16th. April to 30th. June 1847	75 " "					
Dillo	8	10	80	From 1st. May to 30th. June 1847	160					
Ditto	1	"	10	From 1st. May to 15th. June 1847.	15 " "					
Ditto	5	10	50	From 1st. to 30th. June 1847	50 " "					
	37	"	"		900 " "	900 " "	" "	" "		
Nisinthas or Monegars	8	10	80	From 1st. March to 30th. April 1847	160 " "	160 " "	" "	" "	Ditto	Dr. Dr. for inspecting the harvest of Wet grain in the Sunnapie Villages in the Talooks of Sunkerninarcoveil and Tenecausey in conjunction with the Talook Servants for the purpose of ascertaining the Circar dues thereon for Fusly 1256.
Dr. Peons	10	3 1/2	35	Dr.	Dr. 70 " "	70 " "	" "	" "	Ditto.	
	18	"	"		230 " "	230 " "	" "	" "		
Grand Total	55	"	"		1130 " "	1130 " "	" "	" "		

Tinnevelly Tencausey
18th. August 1846

E. E. — Pr.

(Signed) R. D. Parker
Acting Collector
Ordered.

11036. Fort St. George 27th August 1846.

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Order on the five foregoing Statements. Ordered to lie on the table.

Read the following letter.

To,

T. Pycroft Esqre.

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

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Sir,

From A. Meller Esqre. Collr. of Bellary ... } With reference to Mr. Deputy Secretary Porter's letter of the 24th February 1834, I have the honor to report that no Contingent Charges within 20 Rupees have been incurred during the 2nd 2d quarter of the Calendar year 1846 or from 1st April to 30th June 1846.

Vide Bd. Circular letter dated 14th November 1844.

Bellary Collrs. Office 19th August 1846. } (Signed) A. Meller Collector.

Order thereon,

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Ordered to be recorded.

Read

11037 Fort St. George 27th August 1846.

Read the following letter.

To

T. Pycroft Esqre.

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Fort St. George.

19

Sir,

From the Acting Collr. of Cuddalore } Para 1. With reference to the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, dated 26th April 1845. I have the honor to report the following Lapses, of Enams of the classes specified therein and falling under Regulation IV of 1831—

Reporting the Lapses of certain Enams falling under Regulation IV of 1831.

Abdoollapooram Coileoundlah Talook Bhatwar Hers & Dawata Enams Rs 19-7-6

2. From the Proceedings submitted by the Tahsildar of Coileoundlah Talook reporting on the demise on the 27th December 1845 of Bhutwartee Enamdar Sashumbhuttoo a resident of the Village of Abdoollapooram in the same Talook it appears that the following Enam Lands were enjoyed by the deceased.

Bhutwartee Enams, in the Village of Coroomanpully entered both in the Pymash, and Enamaty accounts in the name of Venkatasumbhuttoo the father of the deceased — — — — — — — — — — 7— 15— 9

Ditto in the Village of Sollamadoogoo entered in the same accounts in the name of the abovementioned Person — — — — — — — — — — 6— 9— 7

Ditto in the Village of Chintalyapully in the name of one Manullapully Lutchoomeekah in the above Accounts. — — — — — — — 3— 8— 7

Ditto

Ditto in the Village of Abdoollapooram entered in the Pymash in the name of Camachammmah the wife of the Uncle, deceased and in the Enamaty Accounts in that of her son Tippia Roodroodoo ——— " — 10 — 6

Ditto in the Village of Abdoollapooram entered in the name of Ranoocunchee Dasumbhuttoo the Uncle of the Father of the deceased ——— " — 11 — 1

Total — 19 — 7 — 6

3. As the above Lands Amounting to Rs. 15 — 3 — 10 had been granted as Bhutwartee as Charitable allowances and the remainder 4 — 3 — 8 as Davata or Enam for the support of the Boogammullaswa = =rasawmy Pagoda in the Village of Abdoollapooram The Enam Lands amounting to Rs. 2-8-7 in the Village of Chintalyapully was transferred by a deed of gift by Mamillapully Lutchoomeekal to Tippia Roodroodoo to whom the donor was no relation 1st Cousin of the deceased Seshumbhuttoo, to whom the Enam reverted on the decease of the former and the Enam in the Village of Abdoollapooram Amount = ing to — " — 11 — 1 entered in the name of Ranoo cun = = chee Dasumbhuttoo as above stated was trans = ferred by gift to his Nephews son Ramabuttoo the Brother of the deceased. —

4. It cannot be ascertained by what

what Government and to whom the above Enams were originally granted, no Summuds being forthcoming in support of them — The religious Institution for the support of which Enam Amounting to Rs. 4 — 3 — 8 as above stated was granted is in existence and the proceeds of this Enam are reported to be barely sufficient to defray the expenses attendant thereon.

The deceased has left behind him,

1 Widow Lutchoommmmah.

1 Mother Subbummah

1 Brother's wife

1 Ditto — Daughter or niece

1 Daughter —

5. The above are reported to be in indigent circumstances — The deceased in addition to the above Enam was in the enjoyment of Prohitum Enam in the Village of Abdoollapooram Amounting to Rs. 17 — 10 — 7 The above Enam have been made over to the widow of the deceased sufficient security having been taken from her for the full demand of Government being eventually made good when the pleasure of Government in regard to the future disposal of the Enam shall be known. —

6. From the proceedings submitted by

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Chinna Tippa Samoodrum Muddenpully Talook. Bhatavuttee Enam land amounting to Rs 12-8-11.

+ Dry land Rs 2-9-9 Wet do - 9-15-2 12-8-11

by the Tahsildar of Muddenpully reporting the demise on the 21st July 1845 of Aloor Ramabuttoo Bhutwartee Enamdar in the Village of Chinna Tippasamoodrum in the same Talook, it appears that Enam land, amounting to Rs 12-8-11 was entered in the Pymash and Enamaty account in the name of Lutchoomuppagaree Ramabuttoo the elder Brother of the deceased - the latter of whom succeeded to the Enam on his Brothers death - Of the above Enam Land assessed at Rs 3-8-1 had been sold by the deceased to one Gorla Timmaroydoo for Rs 30 to whom a document or deed of sale was executed on plain paper dated Crodhy year Sravana Sooddha 10th Corresponding to 23d August 1864 Also, another Portion of the Enam amounting to Rs 2-6-11 to one Phanapah for Rs 25 in whose favour a document on Stampt Paper was executed dated Doormookhy year Sravana Bahoola 4th Corresponding to August 1836 - And a third Portion, amounting to Rs 1-16 as well as certain Dasavundum Enams it appears had been purchased from the deceased by one Ramacristapah for Rs 31-8- all of which Individuals are in the enjoyment of the

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the Enams they respectively purchased - Deducting Rs 7-6-4 the assessment of the Enam land thus transferred to others by sale, the remaining portion of the Enam amounting to Rs 5-8-4 was in the enjoyment of the deceased -

7. The above Enam has been held by the Ancestors of the deceased for a considerable time, but it cannot be ascertained who the original Grantee was - The deceased also held Desavundum Enams amounting to Rs 12-8-11 and has left no heirs, but two distinct relations, who have not come forward to assert their claim to succeed to the same - That portion of the Enam enjoyed by the deceased has been ordered to be resumed on behalf of Government and security has been taken from those who have purchased the remaining portions as above detailed pending the orders of Government -

Dasavuttoor in the Poongamoor Talook Illala Enam Rs 30-3-10 Yella Enam Rs 13-4-7 43-4-5

8. From the Proceedings of the Renter submitted by the Ranter of Poonganoor reporting the demise on the 8th April 1846 of Aloonereddy who was in the enjoyment of Illalla, and Yella Enams in the Village of Pasavuttoor a hamlet of Goondrogul in the Poonganoor

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Poonganoor Talook it appears that Stala Enam Amounting to Rs. 30-3-10, and Yella Enam Amounting to Rs. 13-"-7 are entered both in the Pymash, and Enamaty Accounts in the name of Boddareddy the Father of the deceased — The former description of Enam was granted in consideration of the outlay of money made in the Establishment of new Villages thereby causing benifit to the Circar and the latter "Yella Enam" was granted for settling boundary disputes by going thro contain religious forms in walking over the disputed lands pointing out the limits on outh — The original summuds not being forthcoming it cannot be ascertained who was the original grantee, and as regards the Stala Enam there is no evidence now forthcoming to prove, that the Ancestors of the deceased or any others established any Village on which account the Enam is supposed to have been conferred

The deceased has left behind him the following heirs viz.—

1 Mother Wobuckal
1 Widow Lutchee.

One

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1 Son Boddareddy -
Three Brothers
1 Timmareddy - his wife Soobbee
1 Venatapah Do - - Nangee &c
1 Chinna Moonegadoo -

The Tahsildar reports that

9 they have no other means of support beyond what the above Enam afford them and that they are in indigent Circumstances — The above Enams, which are usually considered hereditary in this District, are among the Classes specified in Regulation IV of 1831 having been conferred in Consideration of services rendered to the State — The Enams in question have been made, over to the son of the deceased on sufficient security having been taken from him for the full demand of Government on the lands being made good if required —

Goondoogul Poonganoor Talook Kyratee Enam Rs. 9-14-4

10 From the Proceedings submitted by Rannee of Poonganoor reporting the demise on the 16th December 1845, of Chinna Venatapah Kyratee Enandar and Mejoul Curnum of Goondoogul in the Poonganoor Talook, it appears that land Amounting to Rs 9-14-4 is entered in the Pymash Accounts in the name

of

of the father of the deceased Papunnah as "Curneekum" Enam and as "Kyratee" Enam in the Enamaty accounts prepared in Fusly 1220 in the name of the same individual – There is no Sunnud forthcoming in support of this Enam and it is not known to whom it was originally granted.–

11.– The deceased has left the following heirs viz.t 1 son by name Papunnah 10 years old and three daughters, the latter of whom is a widow, one is married and the third unmarried – The deceased was in the enjoyment of other Curneekum Enam amounting to Pd. 99-5-7- some portion of which is usually overflooded by water leaving land assessed at Pd. 58-5-4 available for cultivation – This description of Enam is usually considered hereditary in this District – The Enam has been made over to the son of the deceased sufficient security being taken from him for the full demand of Government pending their Orders.–

12.– From the Proceedings submitted by the Sheristadar of Doovoor Talook it appears that Seenah Bhutwartee Enamdar in the Village of Mooddereddy pully and Pippereddy pully in the same Talook died in the Month February last –

In

Mooddereddy pully
Pippereddy pully
Doovoor Talook
Bhatavuttee
Enams:
Pd 23-1-"
Pd 94-3-"
Total 117-4-"

In the former Village Enam land amounting to Pd. 23-1-" is entered both in the Pymash and Enamaty Accounts in the name of one Cundalla Vencatacharloo, the great Paternal Uncle of the deceased Seeniah and in the latter Village Enam land assessed at Pd. 94-3-- is entered in the above Accounts in the name of the Same Person – The total of both Items viz.t Pd. 117-4-" had been enjoyed by the deceased up to the time of his death – Independent of this the Ancestors of the deceased are reported to have held certain Bhutwartee Enams lands as hereunder particularized in three Villages in the Zummul = mudgos Talook, viz.t :–

1 Bhutwartee Enam land in the Village of Poddacomerla entered in the name of one Ramacharloo, Uncle of the deceased both in the Pymash and Enamaty accounts– 4– 15– 7

2. Ditto Ditto in the Village of Chinna = Comerlah entered in the name of one Streenevasa = charloo grand father of the deceased in the above accounts– — — — 10–11–3

3 Ditto Ditto in the Village of Boodoo pully entered in the name of Ramacharloo Uncle of the deceased in the above accounts– 2–11–"

Total Pd. 18-4-10

13. The above Enam amounting to Pd. 18-4-10 is in the enjoyment of one Sasha Charloo Cousin

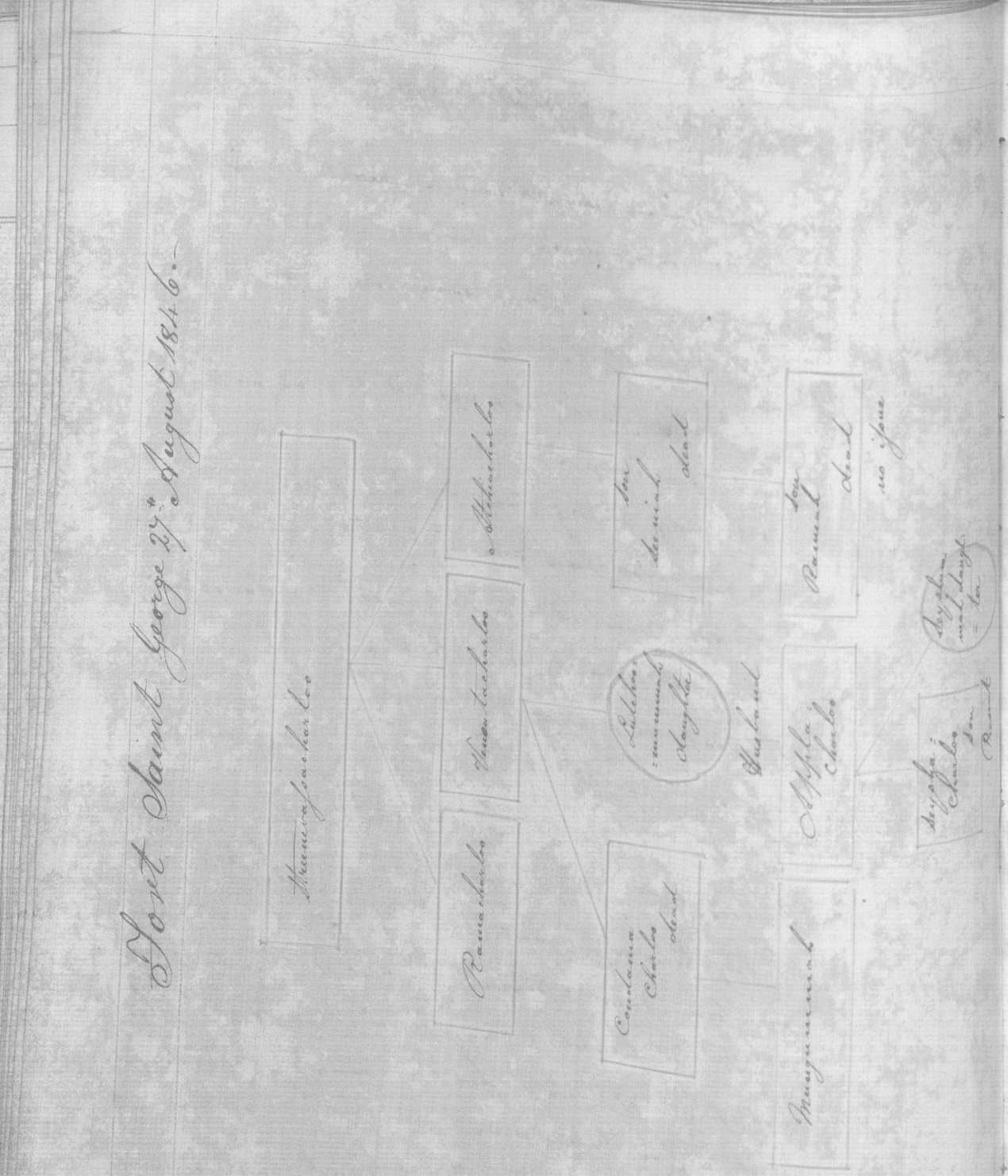
Cousin of the deceased and the 2nd Grandson of one Veneatacharloo Uncle to the deceased — The said Sashucharloo states that this Enam has been made over in a gift to his Father Appala Charloo by Stchiacharloo, the father of the deceased whose niece, her Father the said Veneatacharloo being dead, Stchiacharloo caused to be married to his Sheshacharloo the present incumbents Father 20 years ago and that he, Sheshacharloo has had possession of the Enam since his Fathers death which occurred 18 years ago — It is not known by what Government and to whom these Enams were originally granted nor is any summud forthcoming The nearest of kin to the deceased is one Munn-gumma the widow of his first cousin and daughter in-law to the abovementioned Venatacharloo uncle of the deceased — She said Mungummah claims the Enam lately enjoyed by the deceased amounting to Rupees 117-4 on the plea of her late Husband and the deceased being the sons of two Brothers who up to the time of her late Hus-bands death lived together "an undivided family" equally shewing the Enam which has never been divided among them as would appear from Stchiacharloo the father of the deceased making over the Enam of Rs 18-8-10, as above explained to the daughter of his Brother on her marriage — She said Mungummah since the death of her Husband has been living with her Father — Orders have been issued for realizing the full demand of Government upon the Lands and keeping the same in deposit pending the decision of Government

Vagoolla Goorrumcondah Talook.

Dundaga Enam amounting to Rs 5-5-5

A genealogical tree is herewith submitted

From the Proceedings submitted by 14.— the Tahsildar of Goorrumcondah Talook reporting the demise on the 3rd March 1846 of Kullacondareddy garee Mopoor Reddy Dun-daga Enamdar in the Village of Vogoolla in the Goorrumcondah Talook it appears that Enam land amounting to Rs 5-5-5 was entered in the name of one Pedda Poddareddy in the Pymash Accounts and in that of the deceased Kullacondareddy garee Moopoo-reddy his Nephew in the Enamaty Accounts of the above Enam land amounting to Rs 2-10-10 is enjoyed by another shareholder Yerrum-reddy and the remainder Rs 2-10-7 by the deceased — This Enam was granted to the ancestors of the deceased as compensation for loss sustained by them from heavy and undue exactions being levied from them for the emergencies of the state the original grantee


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Amounting to Pr 11-6-10 was entered in the Dymash accounts in the names of Yerra Obunnah Soobbannah and Caderuppah brothers and others and in that of Enamaty accounts in the name of Yerra Obunnah brothers of the deceased and others and that one third of the Enam viz. Pr 3-13-- was enjoyed by the deceased Naugappah - It is not known who was the original grantee, no sunnud being forthcoming nor can it now be ascertained if the Ancestors of the deceased who in their time were in the enjoyment of the Enam Established any Village, on which account it is supposed to have been conferred.-

18. The deceased has left the following heirs, viz.t

Three sons viz.t

1 Oodla Venkatagandoo

1 Yerrawobadoo - has 2 daughters & 1 son

1 Chinna Venkatagandoo.

1 Widow & 1 daughter in law.

Heirs of Subbannah the Enamdar entered in the Dymash accounts -.

1 Babunnah

1 Cadragandoo

1 Baubogandoo

All of the above live jointly being an undivided family -

The

The deceased had also certain

19. Dasavendum Enam amounting to Pr 4-11-2 and the family of the deceased are reported to be in indigent circumstances - The Tahsildar has been directed to take from Babunnah the eldest son of the deceased in whose possession the Enam is sufficient security for the demand of Government on the Lands being made good if required. -

Cuddapah District
Coll.rs Circuit Cutcherry
11th July 1846

Signed J. H. Cochrane.
Acting Collector

Resolution Thereon. - (19-20)

Mr. Cochrane will be pleased to submit in the Form transmitted with the Board's Proceedings of the 10th Instant the cases reported in the foregoing letter, and if continuance of the Enams is recommended by him the grounds of his recommendation should be fully stated in Column 12 - -

From the Acting Collector Cuddapah - Read letter forwarding Abstract exhibiting the cases disposed of under Regulation IX of 1822 during the half year ending 30 June last. - (21)

ORIGINAL DESTROYED

Order Thereon (21-22)

Ordered that the Acting

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Acting Collector be requested to explain the certain discrepancy observable in the above mentioned Statement.

To

Read the following letter

J. Pycroft Esqre

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Fort St George

(23)

From the Collector of Salem. }

Regarding the concealed Cultivation in the Tripatore & Kistnagherry Talooks

Sir,

I have the honor to submit the information called for regarding the extent of Cultivation which escaped detection in the Tripatore and Kistnagherry Talooks as required in the latter para of the Boards proceedings dated 9th January 1845 with reference to para 6 of the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation 16th December 1844.

From paras 88 and 89 of my predecessor's report dated 25 November 1844 to which I beg to refer the Board, it appears that the amount of Cultivation not brought to account as noticed by me the greater proportion could not properly be called concealed cultivation being land cultivated in Fusly 1252 but not brought to account in December 1842 as the Adengal accounts had not then been made out — Mr Gleig however fully admitted the existence of much irregularity not only in Kistnagherry and Tripatore, but also in Singara

† report dated 31st Oct 1845

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Singaracotta Talooks, chiefly attributable to the imperfect nature of the accounts of survey and the cultivation of other lands than those entered in the Puttas, but these frauds have been carried on for many years, and can now be only legitimately connected by a vigilant supervision on the part of all the public servants as with reference to the orders of the Board 6th May 1844 directing that ryots should not be held answerable for the taxwah of concealed cultivation in any but the year in which the fraud may be discovered, extended in para 5 of the Boards Proceedings 8th September 1845 to enquiries instituted for the purpose of discovering cultivation omitted from the public accounts, pursuing the exposure of them further under existing circumstances would be opposed to these express orders and would entail an invidious and annoying investigation without any comparative advantageous results.

The Village Curnums inspect the lands and prepare accounts of the extent of cultivation once a month and deliver the same to the Talook authorities, from which the

Tahsildars

Tahsildars furnish the Goshwarahs accounts of Cultivation to the Hutzoor

Previous to the commencement of every Settlement instructions are sent for the accurate preparation of the accounts of Cultivation by the Curnums, Karkoons, and other Talook Servants and Goomastahs are sent from the Hutzoor as a check over them. still the inspection is somewhat incomplete and cannot be entirely depended on for the reasons stated in para 84 of Mr. Gleigs report above referred to.

It is sometimes considered necessary to change the Karkoons when there is reason to suspect them of being indirectly engaged in Cultivation on their own account, or otherwise, punish them according to the Regulation if convicted of any fraud, but these changes or punishments are not frequent and do not throw any obstacle in the way of conducting their duties.

Salem Zillah, Sysoor Coll.rs Cutcherry
29th July 1846 - - -

the Goshwarah accounts of cultivation to the Hoozoor. The specific duties required from the Karkoons in respect to these monthly returns and the extent of the checks imposed on the Curnums by their supervission are not mentioned. but the Board presume that the accuracy of the Village accounts have been tested by the Karkoons previous to their transmission to the Tahsildar. The attention of the Collector is particularly requested to the remarks of the Board relative to the appointment of Karkoons in their Proceedings on the settlement of Salem for fusly $\frac{1232}{1822/23}$ in which they point out that not only are the services of these individuals "necessary to an efficient administration of the Revenues. but it is from among them only we can look for men qualified by a practical knowledge of details to succeed to the office of Tahsildar." Mr. Lockhart will be pleased to report specially on the length of service and qualifications of the several Karkoons of the District under his charge and he will prepare for the consideration and approval of the Board a manual of instructions defining the

the duties required from these Officers.

Ordered that Copy of these Proceedings be furnished to the Collector of Salem for his information and guidance.

Read again letter from the Principal Collector of Madura, dated 21st Ultimo and entered in Cons 17th Instant.

Ordered that the above mentioned letter be submitted with the following address.

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To The Chief Secretary to Government.

To The Chief Secretary to Government.

Submitting a letter from the Pl. Coll. of Madura reporting the surrender of the Ramnad Zemindary to Ranee Purvatha Vurdhanee Natchyar and submitting her request that the Promissory Notes of the Supreme Govt. at present in deposition his Treasury forming part of the property of the Estate may also be delivered to her and stating the Board's suggestion on the Subject.

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to submit for the orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council the accompanying letter from the Principal Collector of Madura 21st July 1846 reporting the surrender of the Ramnad Zemindary to Ranee Purvatha Vurdhanee Natchyar and submitting her request that the Promissory Notes of the Supreme Government at present in deposit in his Treasury and forming part of the property of the estate may also be delivered to her. These Notes are the investments of the surplus proceeds of the Zemindary made on various occasions they stand in the name of the Principal Collector of the District for

for the time being and amount in the aggre-
-gate to the sum of Rupees 6.7.4.983—

2. On the best consideration which they can give to the subject the Board are decidedly of opinion that it would not be expedient to authorize the transfer of these Notes to Ranee Purvatha Vurdhanee Natchyar except upon her furnishing ample security to indemnify the Government against all future consequences. In the Extract from the Proceedings of the Court of Sudr Udalut of the 20th April laid before Government with the Boards' Proceedings of 21st May last- that Court in cancelling the orders of the acting Civil Judge of Madura whereby the surrender of the Ramnad Zemindary to Ranee Purvatha Vurdhanee Natchyar had been prohibited have remark-ed that supposing that the Estate were likely to be injured by misappropriation or other-wise on coming into the possession of that individual legal measures were avail-able for its protection— This observation may be perfectly just as regards the landed property of the Estate, but it is evident that it does not equally apply to its funded accumulations, inasmuch as

altho' the civil Court might interpose promptly and with effect to prevent any injury to the landed Estate— the Promissory Notes once made over to Purvatha Vurdhanee Natchyar might be forthwith converted into cash and expended in any manner which she might think fit, and it would clearly be scarcely within the power of the Court or of any other authority either to prevent the expenditure or to recover the sums expended—

3. It is true indeed that in the same Extract the Sudr Udalut have expressed a very decided opinion in favor of Purvatha Vurdahnee Natcheyar's title to the Zemindary but it is to be observed that the Sudr have not the final jurisdiction in the case— The matter is appealable and will very probably be pressed to appeal before the Privy Council, and however weak the pretensions of Mootooveroy Natcheyar may appear if by any possibility the ultimate decision should be in her favor, the circum-stance of so large a sum of money having been made over to her rival without due security

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Security for its refund. cannot but be pro-
ductive of much embarrassment—

4. Under all circumstances therefore the Board would beg to suggest that Ranee Purvatha Vurdhanee Natcheyar should be required in the event of the Promissory Notes being made over to her to give full Security that she will indemnify the Government against any demands which may be hereafter made upon them in consequence of the transfer and that if as may be expected she be unable to furnish such gaurantee that the Principal Collector should move the Civil Court for permission to lodge the Promissory Notes in their charge to remain in deposit in the Court pending the issue of the legal proceedings now in progress—should the Civil Court refuse to receive the notes application should be made to the Court of Sudr Udalut and if that Court should also decline the Board would recommend that the Principal Collector

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Collector be instructed to retain the Securities under his own charge, drawing the interest and reinvesting it from time to time for the benefit of the Estate, until the question in regard to the Succession to the Ramnad Zemindary be finally determined—

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
27th August 1846—

(Signed) J. Pycroft
Secretary.

Read the following Statement

Estimate

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Estimate of ling 30th June 1846.

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Proceedings thereon.

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Referring to the Circular
from this Office in the Department of
Public Works dated 27th July last explana-
tory of the mode in which the surplus of
Devastanum funds are to be appropria-
ted to the Boards are precluded from
authorizing the disbursement Recommen-
ded in the foregoing Estimate of
for Pagodas Nos 1, 3, and 4 but they
sanction the disbursement proposed
for Brass Vessels required for the
use of the Chettrum No 2 amounting
to Rupees 1143-9- Salt

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Dr. Salt Account Current in the Districts of Madura and Dindigal for the Quarter ending 11th July 1846 — 6 1/4

			Garce	M.s	M	Garce	M.s	M
Ramnad and Shevagunga								
1845 July 12	Balance of Salt on hands on the commencement of present Fasly					1356	239	"
1846 March 31st	Amount manufactured in last quarter		2602	28	"			
July 11th	Do — Do — in this Do							
March 31st	Gained by measurement to the end of last Quarter		10-350		"			
July 11th	Do — Do — in this Do		3-106-7					
			14	56	7			
						2616	84	7
	Total Salt					3972	323	7
	on Indian Maunds					17	37	6 1/2 "

			Garce	M.s	M	Garce	M.s	M
Ramnad and Shevagunga								
1846 March 31st	Total Sales in last Quarter	For Inlands Consumption	420	275	"			
		For home Do	1422	87	"	1842	362	"
July 11th	Sales in this Quarter	For Inlands Do	178	55	"			
		For home Do	743	137	7	921	192	7
						2764	154	7
	Deduct Wastage					52	41	"
						2816	195	7
	Balance					1156	128	"
	Total Salt					3972	323	7

Dr. Money Account Current for the Quarter Ending 11th July 1846 — 6 1/4

			cRs	a	P	cRs	a	P
1846 March 31st	Total Sales to the end of last Quarter	For Inland consumption	50482	8	"			
		For Home Do	170666	1	7	221148	9	7
July 11th	Sales in this Quarter	For Inland Do	21376	8	"			
		For Home Do	89201	5	10	110577	13	11
	Aduance Recovered from the Salt Manufacturers					331726	7	5
	to the end of last Quarter					6322	8	"
	Total Company's Rupees					338048	15	5

						cRs	a	P	cRs	a	P
By Servant wages	To the end of last quarter					8899	15	7			
	in this quarter					4449	"	"	13348	15	7
By Rozeenee and Manufacturers com. mutede Share	To the end of last quarter					183	1	8			
	in this quarter					133	3	"	316	4	8
By payments to the Manufacturers	To the end of last quarter					27321	11	7			
	in this quarter					"	"	"	27321	11	7
By charges extraordinary including Sadarwarede	To the end of last quarter					280	4	"			
	in this quarter					250	6	10	530	10	10
									41517	10	8
Net Revenue	To the end of last quarter					100786	"	9			
	in this quarter					105745	4	"	296531	4	9
	Total Company's Rupees								338048	15	5

N. B.

Balance of Rowanals as per last quarter 12728

Received in this Quarter — "

12728

Rowanals issued in this quarter — 3674

Remaining on the 11th July 1846 — 9054

Madura 11th July 1846 — E. E. P. (Signed) J. Blackburne, Collector, Ordered.

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To

The Chief Secretary to
Government

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To the Chief Secy to Government.

Requesting order for the supply of Tin Boxes to the Collectors in the Provinces for the custody of Bank Notes and Post Bills

Sir,

By an order of Government 9th February 1846 No. 177 the Board of Revenue were directed to ascertain what would be the expense of providing the several public Treasuries in the Provinces with Tin Boxes with good locks for the purpose of securing Bank Notes and Bank Post Bills. The Board referred

Board to Commissary General 2nd March 1846

Do. to Do. 6th April "

to the Commissary General for information as to the cost of 20 of such Boxes

From Assistant commissary General 4th May 1846-

and from his report it appeared that the cost of each Box would be Rupees 8 6 a master Box was at the same time furnished from that Department and submitted by the Board for the approval of Government with a recommendation that Boxes of that description should be furnished to all Collectors who might apply for them as the only application then received having been from the Collector of Tanjore The Government in reply directed that the Collector of that District be supplied with a Tin Box of the description which had been submitted for their inspection and the master Box was accordingly forwarded

To the Chief Secy 18th May 1846-

Ord. of Govt 29th May 1846-

to

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to that Officer. It was not the intention of the Board that any more Boxes should be made until applications were received for them, but the Commissariat appear to have been under the impression that the whole number (20) of Boxes respecting which they had been originally consulted were required to be supplied immediately and they have therefore caused 19 more Boxes to be prepared and have recently forwarded them to this Office.

Under these circumstances the Board beg to suggest that they may be allowed to ascertain from the Collectors in the Provinces how far they have in conformity with the instructions of the Accountant General provided themselves with Tin or Iron Boxes for the custody of Bank Notes or Post Bills and to furnish such Collectors as may still require them with Tin Boxes from those lately made up by the Commissariat.

Vide Enclosure in Letter from Coll. Tanjore 30th Dec. in Con. 26th Jan. 1846

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
27th August 1846

/Signed/ J. Pycroft
Secretary

Resolved

Fort St. George 27th August 1846

Resolved that the following letters be dispatched -

(46)

To The Collector of Ganjam

To the Collector of Ganjam ---

Sir

The Statement of contingent charges for the Quarters ending 31st March and 30th June last not having yet been received from your District I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request you will be pleased to cause them to be submitted without delay

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George ---
27th August 1846 ---

I am &c
(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

To

(47)

The Collector of Rajahmundry

To the Collector of Rajahmundry

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will have the goodness to transmit as soon as possible a Duplicate Copy of your letter dated 11th May last reporting on Petition No. 5 of 1846 presented by the Zemindar of Pittapore regarding the balance due by him for the current Fasly.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George ---
27th August 1846 ---

I am &c
(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

To

Fort St. George 27th August 1846

To The Commissioner of Kurnool

(48)

To the Commissioner of Kurnool ---

Sir,

In Cons 8th Sept 1846

Adverting to the proposition contained in the concluding Paragraph of your letter under date 29th August 1845 regarding the allotment of a small portion of land in each Taluk free of demand for the purpose of encouraging the cultivation of Mauritius Sugar Cane on the understanding that it was to be reserved exclusively for cuttings to be sold at a fixed price I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will be good enough to explain more in detail the particulars of your suggestion stating the extent description and assessment of land to be granted in the several Talooks adapted to the culture of the cane, what the liabilities of the grant would be, and generally the price you would propose to establish for regulating the sale of the cuttings by the grower,

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George ---
27th August 1846 ---

I am &c
(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

To

To
The Acting Collector of
North Arcot.

49

To the A.g. Coll.r of North Arcot ----- 1

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request you will submit as early as practicable the information called for in my letters noted in the margin on the subject of furnishing Nerricks.

30th April 1846
23d July

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
27th August 1846 -- 2

Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary.

Received the undermentioned miscellaneous letters and Statements.

From the Collector of Canara — Return of fines imposed and stoppages made from the pay of the Public servants for the Quarter ending 30th June last.
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From the Collector of Canara — Return of alterations that have occurred in the list of fines and stoppages made from the pay of the Public servants for the Quarter ending 30th June last,
51

From the Collector of Canara — Abstract of Demand collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.
52

From the A.g Collector of Cuddapah — Abstract of Demand collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last
53

From

From the Acting Collector of Cuddapah — Abstract of Demand collection and Balance from 12th to 31st July last.
54

From the Collector of Ganjam — Abstract of Demand collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last,
55

From the Collector of Tanjore — Abstract of Demand Collection and Balance for the Month of June last,
56

From the Collector of Trichinopoly — Abstract of Demand collection and Balance from 12th to 31st July last,
57

From the Collector of Trichinopoly — Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt for the Month of July last.
58

From the A.g Coll.r of Cuddapah — Statement shewing the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt for the Month of July last.
59

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60

From the A.g Collector of Chingleput — Return of fines imposed and stoppages made from the pay of Public servants for the Quarter ending 30th June last,
61

From the A.g Collector of Chingleput — Return of Public Servants suspended and dismissed from employment for the Quarter ending 30th June last.
62

From the A.g Coll.r of Chingleput — Stating that certain Returns for the Quarter ending 30th June last are not sent there being no entry to make
63

From the Collector of Guntoor — Acknowledging the receipt of
64

of 200 accountant Generals Bills and 50 letters of advice

From the Collector of Rajahmundry Reporting that no persons
(65) were charged with Offences or confined under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of July last.

From the Collector of Salem Acknowledging the Receipt
(66) by Bangby certain printed forms.

From the Collector of Salem Informing that no persons were
(67) charged with offences or confined under Regulation IX of 1822 for the Month of June last.

From the Collector of Salem Informing that no persons were sus-
(68) pended or dismissed under Regulation VI of 1831 during the Month of June last.

From the Collector of Tanjore Register of the state of the
(69) River Cauvery at the Annicut for the Month of June 1845 and 1846.

From the Collector of Trichinopoly Return of persons suspended
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" J. Dury

" A Maclean

"

" Goldingham

Diary

28th August Sent the following letters.

To,

The Collector of Masulipatam

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(1)

To the Collector of Masulipatam

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to inform you that they propose sending to you by the Steamer Hugh Lindsay which leaves Madras tomorrow a package of Records for the Collector of Guntoor. The Board request that you will be so good as to receive the package on the arrival of the Steamer at Masulipatam and to forward its contents to their destination taking measures to secure them against injury from weather on the road. On the Mat being removed the papers will be found packed in three parcels each of such a size as to form one Cooly load.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
28th August 1846

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Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
28th August 1846

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Secretary.

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The Collector in the Zillah of Guntoor.

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To the Collector in the Zillah of Guntoor

Sir

I am directed by the Board

Fort St. George — August 1846

Board of Revenue to acquaint you that the original Accounts of the Survey and Assessment of the Guntoor Samnah as per the Enclosed English and Telugoo lists which were brought by the Commissioner to Madras for the purpose of being laid before the Board have been Shipped on board the Hugh Lindsay Steamer for Masulipatam and consigned to the care of the Collector of that District, who has been requested to forward them on to you — The Dufters 17 in number are packed in 3 parcels duly secured against the weather, and will be dispatched from Masulipatam by three Coolies accompanying the Survey —

x do per Enclosure marked A

Accounts is a packet containing nine documents received from one Pennala Ramana the claimant of an Enam in Mouza Takellapad, the first five of which as stated in Para 38 of the Commissioners report, there is every reason to consider to be forgeries, together with 11 other genuine papers as per list* obtained from another party for purposes of comparison — The former it is recommended should be kept in deposit pending further inquiry but the latter should be returned to the individual from whom they were received who will furnish a receipt for the same —

* Marked B.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
28th August 1846 —

/ Signed J Pycroft
Secretary

Documents —

Fort St. George — August 1846 —

A

Documents produced by Pennala Ramanmah of Takellapad Enam on the 15th August 1255 —

	From	To	Date	Contents of Packet
1	Vasireddy Venkatadrie Naidoo Kellapad	Curnums of Taccelly	11th day of Chaitra Soodda of Bachaspa year Fusly (1204)	Granting a Moneyum of Coochal to Pennala Parabadasy Somayajooloo and directing to give a Muddoo Patrica or Certificate of limits of the above land — Granting permission to Do
2	Do	Do	5th day of Chaitra Soodda of Pingala year Fusly (1206)	to enjoy the produce of Do Do
3	Do	Do	5th day of Chaitra Soodda of Roudgari year Fusly (1209)	Do Do
4	Do	Do	7th day of Vysakha Soodda of Prabatchy year Fusly (1213)	Do Do
5	Do	Do	3rd day of Magha Soodda of Brodhamaya year Fusly (1215)	Do Do
6	Total Kistnamah Ameen of Guntoor	Do	22nd March 1820 Fusly (1229)	Do Do
7	Vellore Hasanavaya Ameen of Do	Do	14th August 1836 Fusly (1246)	Do Do in favor of Pennalaramanmah adopted son of P. Parabadesi Somayajoolo —
8	Moodoombee Ramasawmy Do of Do	Do	6th December 1842 Fusly (1252)	Do Do
9	Devagooroo Pulchmeeanmah Acting Do of Do	Do	13th September 1844 Fusly 1254	Do Do

* Venkatadrie Naidoo Paulty of Vellore for Pennalaramanmah Pad.

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B List of Documents produced by Vencataswaradhamloo of Vullore on the 21st August 1845.

	From	To	Date	Contents
1	Vaseredy Venkatadri, Naidoo	Curmums of Vemaverampad	8th day of Palyoonga Suddem of Rachaa year Fusly (1235)	Tukeed Granting a Maneyem ½ Coochal to Valoor Mullaradhamloo.
2	Do.	Do. of pad	Do. and Tachella ½ day of Chaitra Suddem of Pingala year Fusly (1206)	Granting permission to Do. to enjoy the produce of ½ Coochal of land.
3	Velagapoorly Podunda ramiah Ameen of Guntoor	Do. of Vemaverampad	15th September 1835 Fusly (1244)	Do. to Vencataswaradhamloo to enjoy Do. of ½ Coochal of land.
4	Vullore Hasana Row Do. of	Do. Do.	5th August 1836 Fusly (1245)	Do. Do. Do.
5	Combaconum Shaanapany Row Meting Ameen of Do.	Do. Do.	19th May 1844 Fusly (1253)	Do. Do. Do.
6	Vaseredy Ramannah	Do. of Tachallapad	11th Saphure Fusly (1183)	Granting to Vullore Mallooluttoo a Maneyem ½ Coochal of land.
7	Do.	Do.	7th Maharanum Fusly (1183)	Granting permission to Valoor Vullooluttoo to enjoy the produce of Do.
8	Do.	Do.	4th day of Vysaka Sukkola of Plava year (Fusly 1190)	Do. Do.
9	Do.	Do.	26th Moharrum (Fusly 1185)	Do. Do.
10	Curmums and Ryots of Tachellapad	Valoor Mullooluttoo	15th day of Pushada Suddah of Suruva dhany Sanka year 1692.	Chucka Kundy Huddu patrica or Documents shewing limits of the above ½ coochal of land.
11	Tolac Kistnamah Ameen of Guntoor	Curmums of Tachellapad	17th March 1820 Fusly (1229)	Granting permission to Vencatlapad Shanboo to enjoy the produce of Do.
12	Vullore T. Casavarow Ameen of Guntoor	Do.	4th August 1836 Fusly (1246)	Do. to Vencataswara wadhamloo brother of Do. to Do. Do. Do.
13	Punganamala Ramaniah Peshcar of Guntoor	Do.	23d March 1842 Fusly (1251)	Do. to Do. Do.
14	Combaconum Shaabrapany Row Ameen of Guntoor	Do.	5th May 1844 Fusly 1253	Do. Do. Do. Do.

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To,

The Acting Collector of
Sea Customs.

(3)

To the Actg Collr of Sea Customs

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to request that you will be so good as to cause the accompanying package to be shipped on Board the Steamer Wedge Lindsay for conveyance to Masulipatam. It contains Official records of the Guntoor Collector's Cutcherry to be landed at Masulipatam and sent on thence by land to Guntoor. The Board have written to the Collector of Masulipatam and directed him to receive the package on the arrival of the Steamer at that Port.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
28th August 1846.

/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary.

Monday
31st Augt
1846

At a Meeting Present

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

Minutes of the last Meeting read and approved.

Read the following Extract.

From the Secty to Government

(4)

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 28th August 1846.

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

(Rec'd 10th August 1846 No 386)

The Government Sanction the

11080 Fort St. George 31st August 1846.

the proceedings of the Board of Revenue in respect of the Cavelnuggur Zemindary reported in the foregoing letter, and approve of the proposals contained in the concluding paragraph.

/ A true Extract /
/ Signed / E. P. Thompson
Secretary to
Government.

To The President & Members
of the
Board of Revenue

Resolution thereon.

(4-5)

Resolved that a copy of the foregoing Extract from the Minutes of Consultation and of the Board's letter of the 10th Instant to which it relates be transmitted for the information and guidance of the Acting Collector of North Arcot.

Read the following Resolution

From the Secty to Government

(1)

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 11th August 1846.

/ From Board 30th July /

Resolved that the Collector of Nellore be authorized to disburse to Saik Kehebe Masahaba the arrears of Allowance due to her late mother Rajah Saheba amounting to Rupees (161-3-1) One hundred and Sixty one Annas three and Pice one.

/ Signed / E. P. Thompson
Secretary to
Government

Ordered

1081 Fort St. George 31st August 1846.

Order thereon — Ordered to be communicated for the
In Cons. 20th July 6-7 information and guidance of the Collector of Kellore
with reference to his letter dated 13th July last.
Read the following Resolution

From the Dy Secy to Government } Extract from the Minutes of Consulta-
tion dated 13th August 1846.
8 (From Board 6th August)

The Governor in Council sanctions
the Account Particulars of Contingent Charges in-
curred in the Department of the Sub Conservator
of Forests in Canara for Fusly 1254 submitted with
the above letter amounting to Rupees (7—10—10)
Seven Annas ten and pice ten.

8-9 / Signed R. G. Clarke
Dy Secy to Govt.

Order thereon — Ordered to be communicated for
In Cons. 6th Augt 10 the information and guidance of the Collector of
Canara with reference to his letter dated 13th June last
Read the undermentioned Statements—

From the Coll.r of Rajahmundry } Comparative Statement of
11 Collections of Ordinary and Extraordinary
Revenue for Fusles 1254 and 1255.

From the Coll.r of Rajahmundry } Comparative Statement of
10-12 Charges of Ordinary and Extraordinary Revenue
for Fusles 1254 and 1255.

Order on the two Above } Ordered to be lodged in the Office
Statements
From the Coll.r } Read Abstract Statement shewing
of Guntoor } the number of Persons charged with offences
13 under Regulation IX of 1822 and VII of 1828 from
1st January to 30th June 1846.

Order thereon — Ordered to lie over until the
13-14 receipt of the Returns from other districts
when an Abstract of the whole will be
prepared and submitted for the orders
of Government.

Read

1082 Fort St. George 31st August 1846

Read the following letter

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

Sir,

15

From A. Moller Esqre Collector of Bellary } Para 1. With reference to the Extract
from the Proceedings of the Board of
Revenue dated 13th Ultimo on my letter of the 17th of the
preceding Month, relative to Ferry Rents of this
District for Fusly 1256 I have the honor to state for the
information of the Board, that a prior reference to them would have
been made had I not thought that the expediency of separating the Col-
lection of the Ferry Tolls from that of the
Frontier Duties and the renting out of the
former would at once meet their approval.

2 As however now required, I
beg to forward the Reway Puttee or Table of Tolls
and a revised Cowle with translations in English
and request early confirmation of the arrangement
submitted.

3 It will be observed that the Cowle
transmitted with my former letter has been re-
vised, omitting Paras 8 & 9 and the alteration of
Para 15 made exactly in the manner expressed
in the 6th Para of the Boards Proceedings under
reference.

4. Regarding the rate of Interest on
arrears of kist, I have already addressed the Board
separately on the 27th Ultimo.

5 Although the Collections of Toll is not
formed on one uniform system or date throughout the
District, yet the same has prevailed without a charge from
time immemorial, and it is upon the same principles, that
this branch of Revenue was rented out for the Current Fusly.

Reway Puttee or Table of Tolls and a revised Cowle with translations in English and requesting early confirmation of the Rents

Bellary Coll.r Office 1st August 1846 } / Signed J. A. Moller
Collector

Table

Fort St George 31st August 1816

No 1.

Table of rates of River Toll for passing across the River Toombadra, Persons, Cattle Merchandize &c. &c. at the several Fords in the Bellary Division of the ceded Destrict—

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government			Conversion into Company's Rs.		
	Bellary Talook Consisting of 7 Fords	Tunkums	Roovahs	Bt	a	p	
	1 Acknanagundy Ford						
1	Per Man	"	9	"	"	1	"
1	Gunny Bag with full contents	"	18	"	"	2	"
1	Bullock or Cow by Swimming	"	3	"	"	"	4
1	Ass on Boat	"	9	"	"	1	"
1	Horse in full height or 1st Class	1	24	"	"	8	"
1	Do 2d Class	"	36	"	"	4	"
1	Do 3d Class	"	18	"	"	2	"
1	Cart	"	36	"	"	4	"
1	Man's load	"	3	"	"	"	4
	2 Coontaymooly Ford						
1	Man						
1	Bullock or Cow	"	9	"	"	1	"
1	Horse in full height or 1st Class	"	18	"	"	2	"
1	Do 2d Do	1	24	"	"	8	"
1	Palanqueen	"	36	"	"	4	"
1	Cart	3	"	"	1	"	"
		"	36	"	"	4	"

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		Tunkums	Roovahs	Bt	a	p	
	3 Hurnhaly Ford						
1	Man	"	1	"	"	"	8
1	Man's load	"	3	"	"	"	4
1	Horse in full height or size 1st Class	1	24	"	"	8	"
1	Do 2d Class	"	36	"	"	4	"
1	Ass	"	12	"	"	1	4
	Gunny Bag with full Contents	"	12	"	"	1	4
	4 Chickahooly Ford for passengers &c. from other Villages Except Dasanoor						
1	Man	"	4½	"	"	"	6
1	Gunny Bag with full Contents	"	9	"	"	1	"
1	Horse 2d Class	"	36	"	"	4	"
1	Do 3d Class	"	18	"	"	2	"
	4 Chickahooly Ford passengers from Dasanoor to Seregoopeak at 5½ Seers of Paddy per Annum for each House						
	5 Hurkul Ford						
1	Man	"	6	"	"	"	8
1	Man's load	"	3	"	"	"	4
1	Gunny Bag with full Contents	"	12	"	"	1	4
1	Horse in full height or Size 1st Class	1	24	"	"	8	"
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1	Gunny Bag with full Contents	″	12	″	″	1	4
1	Mans load	″	3	″	″	″	4
1	Horse in full height or Size 1st Class	1	24	″	″	8	″
1	——— Do 2d Class	″	36	″	″	4	″
1	Ass	″	12	″	″	1	4
1	Palanqueen	3	″	″	1	″	″
1	Cart	″	36	″	″	4	″
	7 Maroor Ford						
1	Man	″	6	″	″	″	8
1	Gunny Bag with full Contents	″	12	″	″	1	4
1	Bullock or Cow by Swimming	″	3	″	″	″	4
1	Ass	″	9	″	″	1	″
1	Horse in full height or Size 1st Class	1	24	″	″	8	″
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1	——— Do 3d Do	″	18	″	″	2	″
1	Cart	″	36	″	″	4	″
1	Mans load	″	3	″	″	″	4

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government			Conversion into Company's Rupees		
	Kumply Talook Consisting 5 Fords thus						
	1 Kumply Ford						
	1 Belagoodahall Do						
	1 Hurlahully Do						
	1 Humpal Do						
	1 Cullaghutta Do						
	5						
	Particulars of toll to be collected in the above 5 Fords at one Standard rate as follows						
1	Man	″	6	″	″	″	8
1	Gunny Bag with full Contents	″	6	″	″	″	8
1	Gunny Bag Empty	″	3	″	″	″	4
1	Bullock or Cow fastened to the Boat	″	6	″	″	″	8
1	Do by Swimming	″	3	″	″	″	4
1	Elephant	3	″	″	1	″	″
1	Camel	1	24	″	″	8	″
1	Horse in full height or Size / Class /	″	36	″	″	4	″
1	——— Do ——— Thattoo	″	12	″	″	1	4
1	Mans load	″	3	″	″	″	4
1	Goat	″	3	″	″	″	4
1	Cart	″	36	″	″	4	″

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government		Conversion into Company's Rs.		
	Hurponhully Talook					
	1 Hurvey Ford					
	2 Coornully Ford					
1	Man	"	6	"	"	8
1	Bullock or Cow without load	"	6	"	"	8
1	Do. loaded	"	12	"	1	4
1	He Buffaloe unloaded	"	12	"	1	4
1	Do. Loaded	"	24	"	2	8
1	Ass	"	12	"	1	4
1	Mans load	"	3	"	"	4
1	Goat	"	3	"	"	4
1	Horse in full height or size 1st class	"	12	"	4	8
1	Do. 2d class	"	24	"	2	8
1	She Buffaloe	"	6	"	"	8
1	Calf	"	3	"	"	4
1	Cart	1	24	"	8	"
	Hoodleghee Talook 1 Fore Ford					
1	Man	"	6	"	"	8
1	Gunny Bag with full Contents	"	6	"	"	8
1	Bullock fastened to the Boat	"	6	"	"	8
1	Do. not fastened to the Boat	"	3	"	"	4
1	Horse	"	12	"	1	4
1	Mans load	"	3	"	"	4
1	Ass	"	6	"	"	8

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government		Conversion into Company's Rs.		
	Hoovenahadagalee Talook 14 Fords	Tunkums	Kovahs	Rs.	a.	P.
1	Magalum					
2	Yannajee					
3	Vullabahpoor					
4	Bunnemutty					
5	Sevanahully					
6	Mootcoor					
7	Bennygolla					
8	Havale					
9	Mylcoor					
10	Ankaly					
11	Ramaswarabundah					
12	Hunpasagar					
13	Coombally					
14	Holeul					

Particulars of Toll to be collected at one Standard rate in the above 14 Fords, Viz.t.

Tax for passing by Boats.

1	Goat Sheep } at 10 cash each	"	"	"	"	2	
1	Man Mans load } at 20 cash each	"	"	"	"	1	
1	Gunny purse Loaded Loaded Cuttum or Gunny Sack Ass } at 40 cash each	"	"	"	"	8	

	Rate in Coinage of the former Government	Conversion into Company's Rs
	Tunkams Roovahs 6 Rs a ₹	
1 Palanqueen 1 Dooly } at 1 fanam each	" " "	1 4
1 Cart 1 Camel } at 3 D° D°	" " "	1 "
1 Hackery		
1 Loaded Cart at 3 D° D°	" " "	6 8
For fastening to the Boat		
1 Cow 1 Bullock } at 40 Cash each	" " "	8
1 Horse 1 He Buffaloe 1 She Buffaloe } at 60 Cash	" " "	1 "

Particulars of Toll peculiar to the following Fords being at variance with the above

Magalum Ford

1 Man	Cash		
	" 48	" "	8

Vellabahapoor Ford

1 Horse			
	" 40	" "	8

	Rate in Coinage of the former Government	Conversion into Company's Rs
Advance 20 Fords	Tunkams Roovahs 6 Rs a ₹	
1 Honnurley Ford		
1 Bullock or Buffaloe loaded	" 9	" 1 "
1 Ass	" 9	" 1 "
1 Bullock	" 9	" 1 "
1 Horse	" 30	" 3 4
1 D° Thuttoo	" 24	" 2 8
1 Dooly	1 12	" 6 8
1 Cart	1 12	" 6 8
1 Goat	" 3	" " 4
1 Man	" 9	" 1 "
1 Mans load	" 9	" 1 "
2 Hacholy Ford		
1 Bullock or Buffaloe loaded	" 9	" 1 "
1 Ass	" 4½	" " 6
1 Bullock	" 9	" 1 "
1 Man	" 9	" 1 "
1 Horse	" 30	3 4
1 D° Thuttoo	" 24	" 2 8
1 Dooly	1 12	" 6 8
1 Goat	" 3	" " 4
1 Buffaloe carrying a load of Toddy	" 9	" 1 "
1 Mans load	" 9	" 1 "
1 Hackery	1 12	" 6 8
1 Camel	2 12	" 12 "
1 Palanqueen	5 "	1 10 8
20 Trafficke Carriage Bullocks	4 24	1 8 "

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government Tunkums	Rate in Coinage of the former Government Roovaks	Conversion into Company's Rupees Fs	Conversion into Company's Rupees as
	3 Chagee Ford				
1	Bullock or Buffaloe loaded	"	9	"	1 "
1	Afs	"	4½	"	" 6
1	Bullock	"	9	"	1 "
1	Man	"	9	"	1 "
1	Horse	"	30	"	3 4
1	Do Thuttoo	"	24	"	2 8
1	Dooly	1	12	"	6 8
1	Goat	"	3	"	" 4
1	Buffaloe loading Toddy	"	9	"	1 "
1	Mans load	"	9	"	1 "
1	Cart	1	12	"	6 8
	1 Halaycoata Ford				
1	Bullock or Buffaloe loaded	"	9	"	1 "
1	Afs	"	4½	"	" 6
1	Bullock	"	9	"	1 "
1	Man	"	9	"	1 "
1	Horse	"	30	"	3 4
1	Do Thuttoo	"	24	"	2 8
1	Dooly	1	12	"	6 8
1	Goat	"	3	"	" 4
1	Buffaloe Carrying a load of Toddy	"	9	"	1 "
1	Mans load	"	9	"	1 "
1	Cart	1	12	"	6 8

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government Tunkums	Rate in Coinage of the former Government Roovaks	Conversion into Company's Rupees Fs	Conversion into Company's Rupees as
	5 Maraly				
1	Bullock loaded	"	18	"	2 "
1	Mans load	"	9	"	1 "
1	Man	"	9	"	1 "
1	Bullock	"	9	"	1 "
1	Afs	"	12	"	1 4
1	Horse Thuttoo	"	21	"	2 4
1	Dooly	1	12	"	6 8
1	Cart	1	12	"	6 8
1	Horse	1	"	"	5 4
20	Lumbanee Bedekee Bullocks	9	"	3	" "
100	Goats	3	"	1	" "
	6 Coombalanoor Talook				
1	Bullock or Buffaloe loaded	"	18	"	2 "
1	Mans loads	"	9	"	1 "
1	Man	"	9	"	1 "
1	Bullock	"	6	"	" 8
1	Afs	"	12	"	1 4
1	Thuttoo Horse	"	21	"	2 4
1	Dooly	"	12	"	6 8
1	Cart	"	12	"	6 8
1	Afs unloaded	"	9	"	1 "
20	Lumbanie Bedkee Bullocks	9	"	3	" "
100	Goats	3	"	1	" "

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		Rate in Coinage of the former Government			Conversion into Company's Rs.		
		Tunkums	Roovahs		Rs	a	℔
	7 Coundookoor Ford						
1	Bullock or Buffaloe loaded		18			2	
1	Ditto unloaded		12			1	4
1	Man's load		12			1	4
1	Man		9			1	
1	Ass		15			1	8
1	Horse	1	12			6	8
1	Ditto Thuttoo		18			2	
1	Goat		3				4
	8 Sattoonoor Ford						
1	Bullock or Buffaloe loaded		18			2	
1	Man's load		12			1	4
1	Man		9			1	
1	Bullock unloaded		12			1	4
1	Horse	1	12			6	8
1	Do Thuttoo		18			2	
1	Ass		15			1	8
1	Goat		3				4

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		Rate in Coinage of the former Government			Conversion into Company's Rupees		
		Tunkums	Roovahs		Rs	a	℔
	9 Toombeganoor Ford						
1	Bullock or Buffaloe loaded		18			2	
1	Man's load		12			1	4
1	Man		9			1	
1	Bullock unloaded		12			1	4
1	Horse	1	12			6	8
1	Do Thuttoo		18			2	
1	Ass		15			1	8
1	Goat		3				4
	10 Rampoor Ford						
1	Man		9			1	
1	Man's load		9			1	
1	Thuttoo Horse		36			4	
1	Hackery	2	24			13	4
1	Bullock		9			1	
1	Lumbana Bedekee Bullock		27			3	
1	Ass		9			1	
1	Goat		3				4

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government Tunkums Roovahs			Conversion into Company's Rs. Rs		a	p
	11 Maduarum Ford							
1	Man	"	15		"	1	8	
1	Bullock unloaded	"	18		"	2	"	
1	Thuttoo Horse	"	36		"	4	"	
1	Traffic carriage Bullock or Buffaloe	"	27		"	3	"	
1	Bullock or Buffaloe loaded	"	27		"	3	"	
1	Camel	2	12		"	12	"	
1	Cart	2	24		"	13	4	
1	Palanqueen	6	"		"	2	"	"
1	Dooly	2	24		"	13	4	
1	Lumbances Bullock or washermans Ass	"	25½		"	2	10	
1	Ass	"	12		"	1	4	
1	Goat	"	3		"	"	4	
	12 Munchaly Ford							
1	Man	"	12		1	4	"	
1	Bullock	"	24		"	2	8	
1	Horse	"	36		"	4	"	
1	Mans load	"	12		"	1	4	
1	Dooly	1	24		"	8	"	
1	Hackery	3	"		1	"	"	
1	Palanqueen	6	"		2	"	"	
1	Camel	6	"		2	"	"	
1	Cart	3	"		1	"	"	
1	Ass	"	9		"	1	"	
1	Goat	"	3		"	"	4	
1	Traffick Carriage Bullock or Buffaloe	"	27		"	3	"	
1	Do Ass	"	21		"	2	4	

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government Tunkums Roovahs			Conversion into Company's Rs. Rs		a	p
	13 Gungavaram Ford							
1	Man	"	9		"	1	"	
1	Traffick carriage Bullock	"	18		"	2	"	
1	Mans load	"	3		"	"	4	
1	Camel	2	24		1	13	4	
1	Bullock	"	18		"	2	"	
1	Palanqueen	4	24		1	8	"	
1	Horse Thuttoo	"	27		"	3	"	
1	Bullock put in Boat with legs tied	"	24		"	2	8	
1	Bullock	"	6		"	"	8	
1	Dooly	2	24		"	13	4	
1	Cart	1	24		"	8	"	
1	Hackery	3	"		1	"	"	
1	Ass	"	9		"	1	"	
100	Goats	3	"		1	"	"	
	14 Heray Cattalakey Ford							
1	Man	"	12		"	1	4	
1	Bullock	"	6		"	"	8	
1	Horse Thuttoo	"	36		"	4	"	
1	Bullock put in the Boat with legs tied	"	18		"	2	"	
1	Ass	"	12		"	1	4	
100	Goats	3	"		1	"	"	
1	Traffic carriage Bullock or Buffaloe	"	21		"	2	4	

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government Tunkum Roovahs	conversion into Company's Rs. b Rs	a	p
	15 Naguldunnay Ford				
1	Man	" 12	"	1	4
1	Man's load	" 12	"	1	4
1	Bullock	" 12	"	1	4
1	Horse	" 36	"	4	"
1	Palanqueen	6 "	2	"	"
1	Camel	5 "	1	10	8
1	Hackery	2 24	"	13	4
1	Cart	1 12	"	6	8
1	Dooly	2 24	"	13	4
1	Ass	" 12	"	1	4
1	Goat	" 3	"	"	4
1	Bullock or Buffaloe loaded	" 21	"	2	4
	16 Kauloholy Ford				
1	Man	" 9	"	1	"
1	Man's load	" 9	"	1	"
1	Bullock or Buffaloe	" 18	"	2	"
1	Goat	" 1½	"	"	2

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government Tunkums Roovahs	conversion into Company's Rs. b Rs	a	p
	17 Timmanadoddy Ford				
1	Man	" 9	"	1	"
1	Bullock	" 12	"	1	4
1	Horse	1 6	"	6	"
1	Bullock put in Boat with legs tied	" 24	"	2	8
1	Man's load	" 3	"	"	4
10	Bullock or Buffaloe loads	1 "		5	4
1	Camel	5 "		1	10
1	Palanqueen	5 "		1	10
1	Cart	1 "		"	5
1	Hackery	2 24		"	13
1	Dooly	2 24		"	13
1	Ass	" 12		"	1
1	Goat	" 3		"	"
1	Bundle of Cattle Saddles if put on Boat	" 3		"	"

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government		Conversion into Company's Rs.		
		Tunkums	Roovahs	C. Rs.	a	p
	18 Pullybada Condapoor Ford					
1	Man	"	9	"	1	0
1	Traffick Carriage Bullock or Buffalo	1	"	"	5	4
1	Bullock	"	12	"	1	4
1	D° put in Boat with legs tied	"	24	"	2	8
1	Horse	1	6	"	6	0
1	Palanqueen	5	"	1	10	8
1	Dooly	2	24	"	13	4
1	Hackery	2	24	"	13	4
1	Cart	1	12	"	6	8
1	Bundles of Cattle Saddles if put in Boat	"	3	"	"	4
1	Ass	"	12	"	1	4
1	Goat	"	3	"	"	4
1	Mans load	"	3	"	"	4
	19 Goondanavala Ford					
1	Man	"	9	"	1	0
1	Bullock put in Boat with legs tied	"	24	"	2	8
1	Mans load	"	3	"	"	4
1	Horse	"	6	"	6	0
1	Palanqueen	5	"	1	10	8
1	Camel	5	"	1	10	8
1	Hackery	2	24	"	13	4
1	Cart	1	12	"	6	8
1	Dooly	2	24	"	13	4
1	Bundle of Cattle Saddles if put on Boat	"	3	"	"	4
1	Ass	"	12	"	1	4
1	Goat	"	3	"	"	4

		Rate in Coinage of the former Government		Conversion into Company's Rs.		
		Tunkums	Roovahs	C. Rs.	a	p
	20 Moodee Mala Ford					
1	Man	"	9	"	1	0
1	Mans load	"	3	"	"	4
1	Bullock	"	12	"	1	4
1	D° put in Boat with legs tied	"	24	"	2	8
1	Traffic Carriage Bullocks	1	"	"	5	4
1	Horse	1	6	"	6	0
1	Palanqueen	5	"	1	10	8
1	Camel	5	"	1	10	8
1	Hackery	2	24	"	13	4
1	Cart	1	12	"	6	8
1	Dooly	2	24	"	13	4
1	Ass	"	12	"	1	4
1	Bundles of Cattle Saddles if put on Boat	"	3	"	"	4
1	Goat	"	3	"	"	4

Total 19 Fords in 6 Talooks

Signed J. A. Mellor
Collector

N° 2 in Marattah

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No. 3

Translation of Rules for the guidance of the Ferry Renters on the line of Toombadra Ford.—

1. You will levy the Toll according to the rates in the Reway Pettah now furnished to you and not more or less—

2. You will still continue to pass free of Toll those who have hitherto been allowed that privilege such as Her Majestys and Company's Troops Tapsal &c. &c.—

3. You will allow the usual share to the Boatmen for their service—

4. You will not assist or pass those Culprits who may attempt to cross the River but when you come to know of it, you will immediately report the same to Police Officer—

5. You will not collect any Toll on Goods and Merchandize Imported or Exported when the River is fordable, neither would you meddle with them. All that you have a right to, is to collect the Toll when you pass them in your Ferry Boats that is as long as the River is high—

6. You will always provide strong

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strong and perfect Number of passable Boats manned and equipped, so that no mischief may occur to endanger the lives of those that occupy them and the safety of Goods and Merchandize &c.—

7. You have power to sub rent any part or whole of your contract and all sub renters will have to conform to those Rules—

8. You will punctually pay the Kists fixed by the Circar into the Talook Treasury and should you fail in paying any Kist, you will have to pay the same with interest at 6 Rupees per Cent per Month for the days running over—

9. The Expenses attending the construction of Basket Boats as well as for Sibbendies are to be defrayed by yourselves and the Circar will have nothing to do with them—

10 You will at the close of each Month furnish to the Talook Tahsildar your daily Accounts regularly prepared shewing the Ghautswar Ajumwar and Raswar with the amount collected thereon—

11 You will not connive with any of the Sayer Moostuddies, neither are you—

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you at liberty to take them or their relations as your Sub Renters—

12. You will conform to these and any further Rules and system that may hereafter be established by the Circar in this matter—

13. Should you act in any way contrary to these instructions your rents will be resumed and you will be liable for all the loss which may accrue in consequence—

(Signed) A. M.
Collector

No. 4 in Telugoo—

Proceedings thereon—

(15-16)

The Board sanction the revised Cowle which accompanied the above letter and they also sanction the adoption of the Table of Tolls for the present year the rents having probably been taken under the impression that the rates of Tolls hitherto in force would continue— There appears however to be no reason why different rates should prevail at the different ferries, and the Board therefore request that before Offers are invited for the ensuing Fasly the Table of Tolls may be revised and an uniform set of rates applicable to all the ferries be submitted for their approval.

J. G. D.

Read

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Read the following Letters.

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

(17)

From A Scott Esqre. Commissioner in Kurnool:

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Circular letter dated 15th. of June regarding the disposal and future management of the Devastanum lands.

Replying to Boards Circular letter of the 15th. June last and forwarding a Blank Statement of the Devastanum Lunded Endowments.

2. There are no Devastanum lands under Circar Management, in Kurnool. The noninterference system of the late Government was followed by the first Commissioner and both the Religious Institutions and their Revenues have been left entirely to the Management of those in whose hands they were found, Viz. the Village authorities. The Revenues of the Pagodas in this part of the Country are extremely small as are also the buildings themselves, the large Estates and extensive Establishments which are met with in the southern portion of the Peninsula being utterly unknown here. The cultivators of the Pagoda lands stand in no need of any protection on the part of the

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the Government; they are all to cear Pyots and they get the Pagoda lands on easier terms than the Circar lands, and if the Managers of the former were to raise their demands the lands would be left uncultivated. As therefore it is the interest of those chiefly concerned to keep the Assessment moderate and the Estates themselves are so small it does not appear to me that any interference on the part of the Government to restrict the demand or settle it in perpetuity is necessary. The Pagoda lands will of Course in common with the Circar be assessed hereafter but for the next fifty years owing to the paucity of the population, there is very little doubt that the lands of all religious institutions will be cultivated on some what more favorable terms than those of the Circar.

Para 3.

The whole amount of Pagoda lands under irrigation is not more than one thousand acres and of this only half was cultivated last Year. The best method to secure the due payment of their proportion of the expense incurred for the maintenance and repair of works of irrigation is to stop the supply of water to them till it is paid.

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Para 4.

4. There are no great Devastanum estates in Kurnool; nor are their any sur: plus Pagoda funds in deposit.

Para 6

5 With regard to the Underwaked allowances to the religious institutions or ceremonies which the supreme Government desire may be fixed on a calculation of the Annual payments for ten years. I beg to observe that the allowances to each institution entered in Statement No. 1 in my letter of the 30th September 1816 were fixed as far as could be ascertained from the only available accounts and from enquiries among the Village Servants. on an average of the charges for seven years, Viz. from Fusly 1242 to 1248. inclusive and as those same allowances were paid in Fusles 1249. 50, and 1251 the average for the ten years from Fusly 1242 to 1251. inclusive as required by the Board will be the Sums entered in the abovementioned Statement No. 1 The claims to money payments from the treasury amounting to Rupees 3779–13–7 were admitted on investigation by Mr. Blane but in obedience to the Boards instructions I shall likewise examine into them and report upon the nature of each. It will however take some little time and I have therefore thought it best to answer the other points in the Circular letter without waiting for the completion of that enquiry.

Para 7

Latter part of Para-7.

Kurnool -- 22d. Augt. 1816.

/Signed/ S. Scott
Commissioner.

Statement

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ndowments under the Man[illegible]nent of the Officers of Government in the District

Entire Villages				partly allotted to the Pagodas.						
ub Rent to the Circar.			Villages					Total		
Beriz Jusly 1254	Deduct Quit Rent	Remaining	Names of the Villages	Beriz for Jusly 1254	Deduct Circar Share.	Remaining	No. of Villages	Beriz for Jusly 1254	Deduct Quitrent or value of Circar share	Remaining
6	7	8.	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16

Note

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of Kurnool and their Revenue for Fusly 1254.

Survey Enamer kept free.			Paying Quit Rent to the Circar.				Enam lands				Total of Columns 16 and 29.	Fees Sheristerems Marahs &c. Collected by the Circar on account of Pagodas &c.	Total
Extent of land.	Assess: ment	Settlement of Fusly 1254.	Extent of Land.	Assess: ment	Settlement of Fusly 1254	Deduct Quit Rent	Remaining	Total Extent of Land	Assess: ment	Settlement of Fusly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent	Remaining			
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32

None

Kurnool Commissioner's Office
22d. August 1846

(Signed) S. Scott
Commissioner.

To

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To, J. Pycroft Esqre.

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

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From W. E. Lockhart Esqre. Collector of Salem. } Sir,

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter under date the 15th. June 1846 conveying Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 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 Dawstanum Endowments at present under the Management of the Officers of Government, I have the honor to state for the information of the Board that there is no land belonging to any Dawastanum in the Salem District under the Circar Management, and consequently no Statement can be furnished as required in Para 2 nor does it appear under these circumstances necessary for me to give any opinion on the other points connected with these institutions further than to refer the Board to the report submitted by Mr. Gleig on the 28th. February 1842 on the subject.

2. The Surplus Dawastanum funds Rupees 37781—13—7 which was in deposit is appropriated for purposes of general benefit Viz. for the erection of the Bridge over the Cauvery River under sanction of the Supreme Government dated 20th. September 1845.

Salem District Office Collr's Cutcherry 22d August 1846.

(Signed) W. E. Lockhart

Collector.

To,

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To J. Pycroft Esqre.

Secretary to the Board of Revenue

Fort Saint George

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From the Collr. of Trichinopoly. } Sir,

Replying to the Circular letter of the 15th June last requesting on the subject of the transfer of the Landed Dawastanum endowments to the Managers of the several Religious Institutions and also sends a Statement of the lands in question.

Para 1. I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Circular letter of the 15th June upon the subject of the transfer to the Managers of the several Religious Institutions in this District of the Landed Dawestanum endowments at present under the management of the Officers of Government and to transmit a Statement of the lands in question in the form which accompanied it.

2 It will be perceived that the number of entire Villages at present under management belonging to Dawestanums in the District of Trichinopoly are 38 of which 19 are held rent free and 19 pay a favorable tax Amounting to Rupees 1,291—11—3½ and that the amount of the full assessment on the former according to the rates prevailing in the District would be Rupees 15369—2—1 and on the latter Rupees 11823—13—5. The extent of the several parcels of land less than whole Villages belonging to these establishments

is Cawnies 1539–50: 6 of this Cawnies 11.31–27
the full assessment of which would be Ru-
pees 4,263–14–1 are held free of demand
and Cawnies 107–83 of which the full assess-
ment would be Rupees 1008–2–5 pay a-
favorable teermah amounting to Rupees
189–11–3.–

3. None of these lands belong to the
great Devastanums alluded to in the 8th
Para of the Extract from the Minutes of Con-
sultation dated 8th April 1846. and Para 13
of the letter of the Supreme Government of 20th
September 1845 which are supported entirely
by ready money allowances paid from the
Treasury and the Voluntary contributions
of Devotees, the lands which may once have
belonged to them not being recognized in the
accounts but having been incorporated with
the Revenue lands under the Mahomedan
Government.

4. The Revenue demandable from
the Cultivators in these Villages and small grants
is so clearly defined and they have been so long
habituated to the assertion of their rights under
the Management of the Officers of Government.

that

that it is not probable that under the contemplat-
ed change they will be disposed to yield to any
attempt to subvert them nor is experience
wanting to shew that large professions embracing
entire Villages may be entrusted to the manage-
ment of Trustees of Pagodas without the
risque of oppression to the Cultivator, for there
is an institution in this District the Pagoda
of Toymansawmy which is endowed with 13.
entire Villages rent free and lands and Topes
of considerable value in 11 other Villages, the
affairs of which are conducted under the
orders of the individual who presides at the
Pagoda without the intervention of the
Officers of Government and I do not recollect
ever to have received or heard of a complaint
by the Ryots against the Management.

5 The fact is that the Ryot does
indeed possess many safe guards against
oppression he can refuse to cultivate. he
can withhold his kists and in various ways
vex the party to whom he has to pay
his Maiwaram and which if he be not blind
to his own interests generally sees how greatly
to his advantage it is to keep on good terms
with

with those on whom his revenues depend- for it must be borne in mind that the Villages and lands to which I am alluding do not form a large compact estate like a Zemindary, but are of small extent, and it not unfrequently happens that the parties cultivating them hold lands in other places and so can afford to temporarily relinquish their holdings under Enamdars without depriving themselves of the means of livelihood. The consequence of this state of things is that the complaining party is more frequently the Enamdar than the Ryot. and no very serious difficulties present themselves in the way of adjusting disputes of the nature which generally occur such as the Collector cannot settle are open to the adjudication of the Courts and I do not consider that there is any thing in the existing state of the relation in which the Enamdar and the occupier of land stand in regard to each other in this District which places the latter practically at a disadvantage nor does it appear to me that there is any necessity on this account to modify the assessment or settle it in perpetuity.—

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6. As however no time can be so opportune as the present I would suggest that before completing the transfer provision should be made that in the event of a new survey or a revision of the assessment of the district all advantages should be conceded to Ryots cultivating in Pagoda Villages and lands which they would have had if they had not been so situated and that their liabilities should not be increased in consequence of any new survey or assessment and it may be worth consideration whether it would not be well to extend the summary authority the Collector possesses in certain cases in Enam lands paying revenue to Government to those which pay no revenue, which at present he cannot exercise in the latter.—

7. In regard to the question of irrigation I would propose that the Collector should be empowered under the orders of the Board of Revenue to take summary measures to ensure the maintenance of the works of irrigation in the Villages and lands in question, and that for this purpose he should, when such

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a measure might be advisable, attach them collect the Revenue undertake the necessary repairs in the same manner and subject to the same rules as in the Revenue lands and appropriate the proceeds not exceeding one half of the revenue to defray expences provided of course that the Circars should bear the expenses properly falling to its share.—

8. But I respectfully beg to notice a part of the question which seems to me in limine to demand consideration and settlement. I allude to the right of succession to the Office of Manager which is at present very uncertain not being defined by any law or even by any orders of Government, and therefore obviously calculated to produce serious embarrassment. It is absolutely necessary for the peaceable conduct of the institutions in question for the safety of the Collector, and for the guidance of the Courts of Justice that this part of the subject should be authoritatively and fully determined.

9 The amount of the surplus Pagoda funds in this District after deducting the sum to be laid out on the Cauvery bridge and Rupees.

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Rupees 24766 ordered to be set aside for the purposes of Native Education is only Rupees 39963-13-8 and not Rupees 49234 as supposed in the Extract from the Minutes of Consultation dated 14th July 1846. Regarding the disposal of this amount I have submitted a proposal to the Board of Revenue in the department of Public Works. There can be no doubt that the work most required in this District both in respect of local and general utility is a bridge across the River Colleroon but this would cost nearly a lakh of Rupees.—

Trichinopoly District,
Voytalagooda Toor,.....
Collector's Cutcherry,.....
7th August 1846.....

(Signed) A. P. Onslow
Collector

Statement.

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Landed Endowments under the management of the officers of Government in the District of Trichinopoly and their

Villages paying Quit Rent to the Circar.				Villages partly alloted to the Entire Pagodas -		Total Villages.				
Names of the Villages.	Bariz for fusly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent.	Remaining	Names of the Villages.	Bariz for Fusly 1254.	Deduct Sircar share.	Remaining.	Number of Villages.	Bariz for Fusly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent or value of Circar share.	Remaining
5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Rl. a p.	Rl. a p.	Rl. a p.		Rl. a p.	Rl. a p.	Rl. a p.		Rl. a p.	Rl. a p.	Rl. a p.
Pattavaytalay	154 2 u	21 14 u	132 4 u					1	154 2 u	21 4 u	132 4 u
	154 2 u	21 14 u	132 4 u					1	154 2 u	21 4 u	132 4 u
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								4	1147 1 u		1147 1 u
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31st. August 1816.

Revenue for Fusly 1254.—

Enam Lands.

Survd Enam or rent Free			Paying Quit Rent to the Circar.			Total						
Extent of Land.	Assessment.	Settlement of Fusly 1254.	Extent of Land.	Assessment.	Settlement of Fusly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent.	Remaining.	Extent of Lands.	Assessment	Settlement of Fusly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent.	Rem
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
C Gs. as	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	C Gs. as	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p	
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or rent Free.		Villages paying Quit Rent to the Circar.				Villages partly allotted		Villages Entire to the Pagodas.		Total.			
of the	Bariz for fusly 1254-	Names of the Villages.	Bariz for fusly 1254-	Deduct Quit Rent.	Remaining.	Names of the Villages.	Bariz for fusly 1254-	Deduct Circar Share.	Remaining.	Number of Villages.	Bariz for fusly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent or Value of Circar Share.	Remaining.
	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Rs. a p		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
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	u u u	Aattamur Cuil	915 12 u	670 u u	245 12 u					1	915 12 u	670 u u	245 12 u
	u u u	Annundanoor	322 u u	214 4 u	108 u u					1	322 u u	214 4 u	108 u u
	201 4 u		1237 12 u	884 u u	353 12 u					3	1439 u u	884 u u	555 4 u
	2453 13 5									1	2453 13 5	u u u	2453 15 3
ore	1221 u u									1	1221 u u	u u u	1221 u u
Poorem	525 5 6									1	525 5 6	u u u	525 5 6
m	229 12 3									1	229 12 3	u u u	229 12 3
ga	1132 15 4									1	1132 15 4	u u u	1132 15 4
927-10-3 / lly 220-5-y }	1147 15 10									2	1147 15 10	u u u	1147 15 10
	2986 13 3									1	2986 13 3	u u u	2986 13 3
	u u u	Seyencondum	502 6 u	150 u u	352 6 u					1	502 6 u	150 u u	352 6 u
Poorem	263 6 2									1	263 6 2	u u u	263 6 2
Poorem	349 2 8									1	349 2 8	u u u	349 2 8
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Lands.

Surva Enam or rent Free.

Enam Paying Quit Rent to the circar.

Esctent of Land.	Assessment.	Settlement of Fusly 1254.	Esctent of Land	Assessment	Settlement of Fusly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent.	Remaining.	Total. Esctent of Land.	Assessment.	Settlement of fusly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent.	Rem
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" 8 2 13	14 14 "	14 14 "	" 6 7 3	12 5 6	12 5 "	6 2 9	6 2 9	1 7 3 7	22 5 6	22 5 6	6 2 9	
12 8 9 1	36 " "							" 8 2 13	14 14 "	14 14 "		
								12 8 9 1	36 " "			
2 3 2	33 5 3	26 8 "	6 9 6 3	34 7 5 "	16 7 "							
83 11 6	83 11 6							71 7 0 5	380 10 3	193 15 "	83 11 6	1
55 7 5 "	91 " "							55 7 5 "	91 " "			
17 5 3 2	37 " "	10 6 6						17 5 3 2	37 " "	10 6 6		
15 5 7 13	93 11 6							15 5 7 13	93 11 6			
113 7 5 "	349 4 "	95 1 9	9 1 3 4 6	361 1 3	181 3 3			185 9 6	710 5 3	276 5 "	89 11 3	1
89 11 3	91 5 "							89 11 3	91 5 "			
114 2 6 9	385 " "	299 10 2						114 2 6 9	385 " "	299 10 2		2
103 12 8	315 " "	212 11 1						103 12 8	315 " "	212 11 1		2
217 3 9 1	700 " "	512 5 3						217 3 9 1	700 " "	512 5 3		2

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m or rent Free- of the	Bariz for Fusly 1254-	Villages paying Quit Rent to the Circar- Names of the Villages.	Bariz for Fusly 1254	Deduct Quit Rent.	Remaining	Villages partly allotted Entire Names of the Villages.	Bariz for Fusly 1254	Villages to the Pagodas. Deduct Circar share.	Remaining.	Number of Villages.	Total- Bariz for Fusly 1254-	Deduct- Quit Rent or value of Circar share.	Remaining
3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
	Rs. a p		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p		Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
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Lands

Survey Enam or Rent Free.

Extent of Land.	Assessment.	Settlement of Faisly 1254.
17	18	19
C g as	Rs a ps	Rs a ps
230 17 8	1115 13 8	591 14 3
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52 20 5	392 2 8	58 14 9
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27 4 11	110 7 3	61 12 3
240 3 2	706 2 6	494 11 "
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93 5 6	169 5 2	114 9 2
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645 4 11	2,500 15 3	1,363 6 5
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Paying Quit Rent to the Circar.

Extent of Lands.	Assessment.	Settlement of Faisly 1254.
20	21	22
C g as	Rs a ps	Rs a ps
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107 6 6	1008 2 5	828 4 5

Total.

Deduct Quit Rent.	Remaining	Extent of Land.	Assessment.	Settlement of Faisly 1254.	Deduct Quit Rent.	Remaining
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Rs a ps	Rs a ps	Rs a ps	Rs a ps	Rs a ps	Rs a ps	Rs a ps
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" " "	" " "	240 3 2	706 2 6	494 11 "	" " "	494 11 "
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" " "	" " "	93 5 6	169 5 2	114 9 2	" " "	114 9 2
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169 11 3	658 9 2	1,539 5 6	5,272 1 4	3,285 2 2	169 11 3	3,115 6 11

Abstract

Lands from Fasa	Rs.	19249-2-7.
Ditto Shotrium and Quit Rent Vca	"	7836-15-3½
Paying full Term Fasa to Government	"	353-12-"
	Rupees	27439-13-10½

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Total Columns 16 and 29.	Fees Sootuntarums Marahs &c. Collected by the Circar on account of Pagodas &c.	Total.
30	31	31.
Rs. a p	Rs. a p	Rs. a p
1313 12 3	" " "	1312 12 3
330 4 ½	" " "	330 4 ½
61 4 9	" " "	61 4 9
296 8 1½	1 4 "	297 12 1½
447 5 "	" " "	447 5 "
230 14 3½	" " "	230 14 3½
1268 3 8½	282 10 "	1550 13 8½
609 13 10½	410 13 6	1020 11 4½
902 9 3	302 8 9	1205 2 "
335 9 6	" 4 "	335 13 6
5796 4 9½	997 8 3	6793 13 ½
72 7 8	" " "	72 7 8
1729 15 3	120 12 "	1830 11 3
1802 6 11	120 12 "	1923 2 11
26017 1 1½	1422 12 9	27439 13 10½

Trichinopoly 7th August 1846. E. E. Vr. (Signd) A. P. Onslow Collector.

Order on the 3 foregoing letters. Ordered to lie on the Table. Read

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E.B.

Fort St. George 31st August 1846.

Read the following letter.

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

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From E. Maltby Esqre
Acting Collector
of Chingleput.

Sir,

I have the honor to request you will submit to the Board of Revenue the accompanying Statement of balances of Rent due against certain Shotriem Villages in this District for Fasly 1255 and to suggest that a notice be issued to the several Repre=tors in arrear stating that unless their balances are liquidated within one Month from the date of notification their Shro=triem lands will be resumed.

Chingleput District
Collr's Cutcherry,
Pullecarney,
15th August 1846.

Signed E. Maltby
Acting Collector

Statement

332	16	122 " 2	219 12
Peaches Cuttings dwelling 3/4 plaster		43 8 "	2 3 6
Common Cotton Shop 3/4 ——— Qr		17 9 3	2 6 11
Coastwise Mallemuck Hyde 1/2 Qr		30 2 9	3 15 11
Spectacle Shade 1/2 ——— Qr		14 " "	8 13 9
Mollusk Qr 3/4 Qr		64 4 "	4 5 3
Cheese Cotton ——— 1/2 Qr		" " "	22 13 9
Coal Mountain ——— 1/2 Qr		21 13 9	1 " "
Tobacco Company Qr 1/2 Qr		5 15 8	16 12 1
Cotton Coin ——— 1/2 Qr		14 8 "	8 5 9
Electricity Shipment 1/2 Qr		14 18 "	10 14 9
Cause Coffee ——— 3/4 Qr		81 10 3	4 " 10
Chemistry Fine Cheese 1/2 Qr		37 " "	4 7 "
Tobacco Company Heating 3/4 Qr		33 2 9	18 4 "
		483 11 5	108 9 6

13 Summons	2 Building Cotton Shop 1/2 Plaster	168 18	668 6 8
	Tobacco Heating 1/2 Plaster	608 18	219 18
		1200 13 6	389 13 4
		1872 " 2	842 2 10
			829 18 4
23 Mountain Cheese Coast Common		306 9 10	117 12 "
4 Carpenter 3/4 Cotton Coal Mountain Shop		855 12 8	163 6 "
3 Mountain Cheese Common Shop		62 6 8	81 11 2
Consumption Tobacco Company		90 11 11	64 " "
Tobacco Mission Family Common Cheese		348 18 4	73 " "
Electricity Heating Coal Mountain Rich Cause Heating 1/2 Qr		735 " "	" " "
			735 " "
Bloom Mountain Electric Heating 1/2 Qr		171 " 3	162 " "
Coastwise Company Mountain Tobacco Shop		17 8 "	15 12 "
Hungry Cause Cheap Heating		380 7 5	" " "
			380 7 5
12 Mountain Principle Electricity 1/16 Plaster		90 9 2	89 4 2
Common Valley 1/16 Plaster		60 61	32 12 "
Equipment ——— 1/16 Plaster		60 61	" " "
Government Chemistry 1/16 Plaster		60 61	" " "
Coast Chemistry ——— 1/16 Plaster		60 61	" " "
			60 61

Conjonctions (suite)

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Fort de Joinville 31 Août 1846

Pour Pour Pour

28 Pièces canon Obusier de 80	128	129	78 12 9
30 Affuts avec Coffres de Rechange			
avec			
Accessoires d'Artillerie de Place	904	72	904 72
	1143	3H	70 1073 3H
Total	9432	4 3302	57 6129 13

Bordereau No 3

26 Mortiers de 32 pouces	399	1	100 399 1
Coffres			
Accessoires de Service			
22 Obusiers de 80 pour Place	276	8	224 8 62 4
23 Obusiers de Campagne	32	84	2 30 64
2 Mortiers de Bronze			
Affuts - Accessoires Etats	51	14 6	60 3H 1 107
	360	106	276 9 3 84 13
25 Bouches à feu de Rempart	324	18	324 126 40 2
26 Affuts de Rempart	279	9H	190 75 87 26
24 Affuts de Place	108	135	108135

Bordereau No 3

Ordnance Office
Tower
Etat Numéro 3
Bordereau
Artillerie de Place
Fort de Joinville
Pour
Pour
Pour

Resolution thereon.

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The Board of Revenue authorize the Acting Collector of Chingleput to issue a notification to the several Shrotriemdars in his District in arrear for Fusly 1225 as specified in the Statement which accompanies the foregoing letter that their Shrotriems will be resumed if the balances are not discharged within one Month after the publication of such notice;

That the Acting Collector will be pleased to report the result in order that a reference may be made to Government relative to the measures to be taken towards any of the defaulters;

Read the following letter.

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

23

From the Acting Collr of North Arcot — Sir,

Reporting on the Govt Order at the end of Volume that a Petition has been presented to Government to take off a Plain of Ground or to convert it to any other purpose injurious to the Town &c.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Board's Proceedings under date 25th September last requiring information regarding a building, formerly a Grain Godown, at Arcot

the

the property of Golamally.

2. The building would appear to have been sold by the Military authorities in 1839 and after passing through the hands of several former owners, one of whom would appear to have obtained a Certificate from the Cantonment adjutant as some acknowledgment - I would suppose of his right to the building, it was purchased by Gholamally who has repaired it, dug a well and made a small garden round it.

+ Venkatachella Pillay copy of the Certificate as delivered by him to the Tahsildar in 1822, but unauthenticated is enclosed.

3. The records of my Office do not afford any information regarding the terms of the original sale, but the existence of the building in its present state seems open to little objection - Its distance from the barracks is 136 yards, several of the other houses are nearer, standing in the same line with it. I would beg leave to suggest that the question of its removal may be left for disposal under the orders of Government and the Board of Public works noted in the Margin - In the meantime I have caused notice to be given to Golam Ally that he cannot be allowed to establish a place of burial on the Spot or to convert the building to any other purpose that would be injurious to the troops or other neighbours as apprehended by the Military authorities.

* according to rough Plan received from the Tahsildar

* From the Board 4th April 1816. Cons 27th April 1816 No. 246. 9th May 1816 No. 237.

North Arcot Collr Cutcherry } I have &c E.C. Lovell
Palmaner. 1st August 1816. } Asst Collr

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No. 1. Plan.

No. 2.

This is to Certify that the old public buildings lately purchased by the said Allavel Subadar Major of 8th Regiment Light Cavalry was sold by Venkatachellum Pillay and Ponnycoty Moodelly Inhabitants of Ranipettee for Company's Rupees 80 Eighty.

(signed) A. J. Curties
Cantonment Adjutant in Charge of P. B.

(signed) B. W. Cumberlege Captain
Commanding Arcot.

Resolution

11131 Fort St. George 31st August 1815.

Resolution thereon. The Board concur in the

(24) suggestion of the Acting Collector contained in the foregoing letter with regard to the building of Goolaumally. He will therefore be pleased to bring the subject again under their notice on the Department of Public Works in the further report which he has been called upon to furnish respecting the improvement of the North Arcot Cantonment.

Ordered

Fort St. George 31st August 1846.

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

(23-25)

To

The Chief Secretary to

Government

Sir.

To the Chief Secy to Government

Submitting a Memorandum in the order of Government 20th Sept 1845 a letter from the Y.C.O. in Trichinopoly stating that he has caused notice to be given publicly that Government is about to establish a place of burial near the European Barracks at Trichinopoly stating that the Board have directed the Acting Collector to bring the subject under notice in furnishing the report called for respecting the improvement of the Arcot Cantonment.

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your order of Government 20th Septr 1845 requiring for report a communication from the Officer Commanding Trichy, through the Collector, drawing to notice that one Gobalcolly is about to convert a building formerly a Government Granary at Trichinopoly into a Christian Church and situated about 30 yards from the European Barracks at that station into an Hospital for Sailors, &c. &c. as places of resort for Sailors and the people, which will eventually have a bad effect upon the health of the troops, and requesting that the progress of the work may be arrested as being very objectionable to have an institution of this description in a Military Cantonment.

In reply the Board instruct me to state that I have addressed the Collector of Trichinopoly

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upon the subject to whom reference has been made upon the subject. It will be seen from that Mr. Lovell is of opinion that the building referred to, is in its present state open to little objection. He has however caused notice to be given publicly that he cannot grant to Gobalcolly that he cannot be allowed to establish a place of burial on the spot, or to convert the building to any other objectionable purpose, and suggests that the question of its removal may be left for discussion under orders of Government and the Board in the Department of Public Works noted in the Margin.

The Board concurring in this suggestion have directed the Acting Collector to bring the subject again under their notice in the Department of Public Works, in the further report which he has been called upon to furnish respecting the improvement of the Arcot Cantonment.

Revenue Board office
Fort St George
31st August 1846.

(Signed) T. Pycroft
Secretary

Read the following Statement
Statement

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Statement shewing the Quantity of Salt sold and of South Arcot the wastage on the Quantity Stored in the District for Fasly 1255

Names of the Cotaurs or Depots	Fasly in which Stored	Quantity Stored. In each Fasly.			Total			Sold	Wastage Amount of Wastage.		Per Centage	Per Centage of wastage in each Cotaur fixed by the Collector as per Para 18 of the Salt Rules.	Explanation of the Cause of wastage
1	2	3			4			5	6		7	8	9
		G	Pu	Ps	G	Pu	Ps	G	Pu	Ps			
Southern Division of Arcot													
Mutkaveroo	1254	1978	162	"	1978	162	"	1856	399	"	191	163 "	6-6½-5 23/100	12 300 per cent per annum	The wastage incurred in Fasly 1255 being within the rules formerly fixed in this District any explanation regarding the same if necessary
Teagavelly	1254	226	180	"	226	180	"	235	79	"	11	101 "	4-37-6-2 67/100	18 300 per Pu Ps	
Pellay	1255	20	"	"											
	1254	192	183	"	212	183	"	202	4	"	10	179 "	4-366-7-86/100	18 300 per Pu Ps	
	1255	20	"	"											
Cuddalore					2437	125	"	2294	82	"	143	43 "	5-348-4-99/100		
Cuddalore	1253	69	355	"	227	132	"	208	260	1	21	271 1 9	24-366-2 23/100	25— " per Pu Ps	
	1254	157	177	"											
					2664	257	"	2499	342	4	164	314 4	6-73-5 82/100		
Wastages accrued on the Quantity supplied to the French Government															
Mutkaveroo		"	"	"	"	"	"	188	"	"	4	338 "	4-338— "	12-300 per Pu Ps	
Cuddalore		"	"	"	"	"	28	32	"	"	"	11.6 "	1-330— "	25— " per Pu Ps	
		"	"	"	"	"	"	120	"	"	8	84 "	4-136-5 93/100		
								2619	342	4	189	398 4		

South Arcot
Collr's Cutchery
Cuddalore 24th August 1816

E E. ff.

Signed W. D. Drake
Collector

Received

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Order thereon.

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Ordered to lie on the table.

Read the following letter

To The Secretary to the

Sir, Board of Revenue

Fort St. George.

From Sir H. C. Montgomery Bart Collector of Tanjore — In reply to the Contract

Explaining the differences in the rates of salary of Potails in his District

from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue dated the 30th April 1816 calling for explanation on the differences in the rates of the

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salary of Potails in this District as proposed in Mr. Henderlay's letter to Board of the 23d February 1832 and now fixed for Fasly 1765. Have the honor to submit the following remarks.

It is remarked by the Board that the lowest scale of salary originally proposed was Rupees 7 and this scale in Contrast to the the average salary per each which the Board deduce from the amount of 1085 11-18 entered for 531 Potails for Fasly 1251 in the first line of the Statement submitted.

It would appear from the Statement which accompanied Mr. Hinderlay's letter of

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letter of 23d February 1832 that it was then proposed to fix these remunerations in an uniform manner to each Potail coming under the 10 Classes then fixed according to the rate for each particular class. The total amount hereof of these proposed allowances was Rupees 76766, of which deducting Rupees 6663 the surplus of Community wages came to Rupees and was accordingly conveyed on 15th March 1836. Each from Fasly 1216 when these Charges were first originally proposed was admitted the plan originally proposed was admitted and the salary of Potails regulated by a different Arrangement still in force. The surplus of Community wages was never credited with the Charge was limitted to the 6191 Rupees above and as many Classes made as are noticed in the Statements annually submitted to the Board from Fasly 1216 with reference to the Village accounts either Establishment or Potail Establishment the salary of each Potail under each Class was not made uniform as before, but

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but its amount regulated by the Cov:
-tage fixed, in proportion to the
actual amount of the Revenue of
each Village.

The Board will then
observe that the two accounts cannot
Coincide with each other and therefore
do not admit of Comparison. The plan
adopted last though differing from
that sanctioned has the advantage of
economy and of avoiding the Confusion
of drawing from the two separate

Tanjore
Madisbury
9th July 1816

} Signed H. C. Montgomery
Collector

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply.

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To The Collector of Tanjore

To the Collector of Tanjore

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter dated 9th Instant

Remarks on the number of the amount of Pollams in the District

containing that the plan originally proposed for the Permanent Assessment of Pollams in

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in Tanjore was abandoned from the Conv:
-mencement and that the salary to each
individual is "regulated" in proportion
to the actual amount of the Revenue of
each Village".

According to the original
proposition which received the sanction of
Government the whole number of Villages was distri-
buted into 10 classes and specific rates of remunera-
tion as shewn in the Margin allotted to
the Pollams included in each class. A
fixed rate of salary was an essential
part of the arrangement and the
Board were of opinion that to follow
the principle of remuneration by a
per Centage on the Revenue of each
Village would make the Increase in
effectual in many Villages since the
remuneration would be so inconsiderable
as to afford no inducement to the persons
whom it would be desirable to appoint
to undertake the duties of Pollam or
to discharge them with zeal and ac-
tivity if they should be appointed,
while in other Villages the Remunera-
tion would be more than sufficient.

Rate of remuneration

Rupees 7
" " 10
" " 13
" " 21
" " 24
" " 30
" " 33
" " 36
" " 39
" " 42

To Govt 25th July 1816
Recd 28th Instant
to the Collr
of Tanjore 21st
March 1836

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In either case there would be waste of public money. It appears however from the circumstances which you have submitted that the remuneration is fixed with reference to the customary revenue of each Village and that the amount is enjoyed distributively by the several Potails of a Village; thus reducing the remuneration to each to a mere nominal payment insufficient to secure an efficient discharge of the duties required and directly opposed to the views originally entertained.

The Statement submitted with the your letter dated 31st March 1846 shows that there are no less than 5974 Potails in 1778 Villages among whom the sum allotted has to be apportioned and that the sum payable to each is very small.

3 The Board desire that the whole subject may again be considered under your consideration. They do not think that the sanctioned amount of Rupees 191 should be exceeded but it appears to them desirable that the original intention that a specific and adequate salary should be enjoyed by each Potail of Villages should be carried out.

Revenue Board's Office
Fort St. George
31st August 1846.

[Signed] J. Pycroft
Secretary

In Collector's letter dated 31st March 1846

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Fort St. George 31st August 1846.

Read the following letter.

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

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From J. Blackburne Esqre
Principal Collr of
Madura

Sir,

I have the Estate of Cunnewady was assumed on the 13th January on the Board's acquiescence in the orders of the Subordinate Court, on the Court's cancelling its order, it was continued under sequestration by virtue of the Board's orders of the 21st May until the right of succession be finally determined by Government.

2 From the date of assumption to the close of Fusly 1255. revenue has been realized to amount of Rupees 20,698-2-11 from which deducting Rupees 1732-6-8 for charges of collection there is left a net revenue of Rupees 18,965-12-3. I have the honor to request instruction how to charge the Collectors one and half per Cent Commission to be credited to Government on the above net revenue

Madura
1st August 1846

[Signed] J. Blackburne
Principal Collector

Ordered

Fort St. George 31st. August 1846.

Ordered that the following letter be sent in reply. -

To

The Principal Collector of Madura. -

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To the Pl. Collr. of Madura

Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 1st. Instant requesting instructions in regard to the charge of Commission upon the proceeds of the Cummewady Zemindary. -

In reply the Board desire me to request that you will charge that Estate with Commission for the benefit of Government at the rate of 1½ per Cent on all the collections / less the charges of collecting / realized from it from the 13th January last to the date on which you received the order of the subordinate Court of Madura for its release

from

In Corr. 31st Augt. 1846

10th April 1846

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from attachment - but not upon the collections made during the subsequent period of your Management. -

Revenue Board's Office
Fort St. George
31st August 1846

/ Signed / T. Pycroft
Secretary. -

Read the following Return. -

Annual

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Fort St. George. 31st August 1846.

Annual return of grants of waste lands for the support of Chutturams built by Individuals for accommodation of travellers in the Province of Madura for Fusly 1255 A. D. 1845-1846.

Names of Taluks	Names of Villages where Choultry is situated	By whom built	Quantity of Land granted for its support. In Punjah	In Punjah	Value of lands granted for its support	Date of Authority for grants	Remarks.
Madurecolum	Ain Pasagoody 4 Miles South of Madura on Fort Road No. 16 from Madura to Ramnad Via Thiruvchooli	Ramasamy former Head Shristadar of Madura	17 2/10	"	60 "	9th July 1829	a Terraced substantial building Victuals are furnished to Bramins and Cunjee water to Soodras. It has private fund meeting the expenses exceeding the fixed amount granted by Government.
	Thainoor on Road No. 15 from Ramnad thro' Madura to Dindigul 9 Miles north of Madura called also Duffadar's Choultry or Thiruvellore Choultry from the Hamlet in which it is	Ibrahimdi	3 Star value 19-1-5	51 Star value 40-11-7	2/10	Do	Small terraced building where water is supplied to travellers useful only for Cartmen and Bullockmen.
	Cusbah Madura on the South bank of the Vighey River on Road No. 4	Rooloji Rama Row	63 1/2 Star value 39-9-3	36-15 Star value 20-6-9		30th Decr 1844	A handsome and very useful terraced building barely completed in the lower story, and requiring the erection of 8 upper rooms towards its perfection.

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Name of Taloks	Names of Villages where Choultry is situated	By whom built	Quantity of land granted for its support In Tanjore	In Pongal	Value of land granted for its support.	Date of Authority for grants.	Remarks.
Madura	Chuttumputty on road No. 4 from Trichinopoly thro Madura to Palamcottah 9 Miles North East of Madura	Jamookhan Appa Row	13-13½	6	60 - -	7th July 1836.	A terraced substantial building victuals furnished from private fund of the protector - Improving but still wanting cook room; an outer building for lower caste; as also a Well or Tank of good water have been added since last years report. -
	Vaitumputty hamlet of Yamakalapooram on Road No 13 from Tondy by Nattum to Dendigul and Carour 10 Miles South East of Dindigul	Ramcoan	49	2½	49 - -	8th July 1836	Terraced water supplied to Travellers - Present state not yet reported by Sub Collector. -
Dindigul	Nattumpetty on the said Road No 13 & between Dindigul and Carour 20 Miles North of Dindigul	Anna Pillay Pillay of Pillaipa-=nainoor		63	9 ..	49 15 8 28th July 1837	Ditto Ditto
Periakulum	Alagapoory hamlet of Damadamputty on Road No 18 from Madura to Periakulum and about 7 Miles north by East from that Cutcherry	Veerawattan Arnajee Row	8-8¼		4	49 15 8 Ditto	A good terraced building &c but still in complete. -

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Names of Taloks	Names of Villages where Choultry is situated.	By whom built	Quantity of land granted for its support: In Nunjah	In Punjah	Value of land granted for its support	Date of Authority for grants	Remarks.
Tellacotay.	Pulchamalayacotay on Road No. 17 from Madura via Cunnewady to Pulney about 8 Miles South East of Cunnewady and about 8 South west of Dindigul	Kamakshiay	"	24 12	60 " "	30th May 1836	Terraced building - In sufficient in size and accommodation - Requires a compound wall - Present state not reported by the Sub Collector.
	Pulknoath at the junction of road No. 17 from Madura via Cunnewady to Pulney with No. 2 from Trichinopoly via Dindigul and Pulney to Palghat and 16 Miles North west to Dindigul	Overseer annual 1/4th rate of the Zeyagondy Remainder by Chetty & Comercoat Row and other subscribers	"	52 1	60 " "	29th June 1832	The Masonry land of Coopalipatty Choultrum has been transferred from default to the excellent substantial terraced building at the better point of the same road much frequented by travellers. vide Remarks Coopalipatty on the 17th July 1850 It is still incomplete wanting Varandahs on three sides, but there is still some Money and Materials on hand. -
Tellacotay.	Choultra Puttly on Road No. 2 from Trichinopoly to Palghat after junction of Road No. 17 from Madura via Pulney to Palghat - It is 24 Miles west and by north of Dindigul and 22 Miles East and by South of Toyloor via Pulney -	Monttoram Chetty Mootteday	"	62 6½	60 " "	16th Dec. 1841	Terraced - useful to travellers present state not reported by the Sub Collector.
	Toloor hamlet of Poopathoor on above road No. 2 after junction of above road No. 17 It is 11 Miles East and by South of Dodoomalencotay	Zyacoody Zemindar Comaracondachetty	"	125 9½	60 " "	23rd Nov. 1839	A substantial Terraced building water supplied to travellers and very useful - built by the Zyacoody Zemindar - Present state not yet reported by the Sub Collector. -
Zyacoody	Cothenpandy on Road No. 1 from Trichinopoly via Dindigul to Dharapooram and Palghat It is 12 Miles East and by South of Dharapooram and 34 Miles north half a point from Dindigul	Collamac Chetty of Tejoorkan Ranpuddy	"	151 6½	60 " "	28th Feby 1843	A substantial terraced building built by Collamac Chetty of Pulney aided by a small subscription - Present state not yet reported by the Sub Collector. -

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Fort St. George

31st August 1846.

Names of Talooks	Names of Villages where Choultry is situated	By whom built	Quantity of land granted for its support In Nunjah	In Poonjah	Value of land granted for its support	Date of Authority for grants	Remarks.
	Maravanoor on road No. 182 from Trichinopoly by Dindigul to Dharapooram & from Trichinopoly by Rl. way to Pilghat. It is 20 Miles north west of Trichinopoly and 14 Miles north of Tyremputty	Pallanaikum Dancing Woman	10-10½ Its value 48-11-4	14 Its value 11-4-8	72 a p. 60	19th May 1831	Substantial terraced building water supplied to travellers very useful.
	Tyremputty Do. Do. It is 16 Miles South west of Maracaulloor and 25 Miles North East of Dindigul	Sabashkhan former Subadar of Trichinopoly	"	87	59 15 10	6th May 1830	Terraced unfit for accommodation of respectable travellers. dilapidated, bullock men and Poor Merchants only half in it.
	Carur Putty on road No. 4 from Trichinopoly thro' Madurea to Palamcotay is 30 Miles South west of Trichinopoly Fort and 12 Miles north East of Thovarancouchy, the next stage with private Chuttrums &c. towards Palamcotay	Subscription	10-13¾ Its value 39-2-11	30 Its value 20-13-1	60	30th June 1835	Substantial terraced useful building water supplied to travellers. Of 2 squares and tiled Cook rooms in a great accommodation to travellers much of the funds, formerly appropriated from Thiroomangalum to Thiroopooranoor-goondum Chuttrum have been transferred and incorporated with this. Outer Varandahs for the poorer Castes have been added during the last year 1845 to it greatly increased accommodation.
		Total	70-2¼ Its value 30-13-2	766-6½ Its value 529-1-4	839 14 6		

Madura
11th July 1846

C. C. Jr.

/Signed/ J. Blackburne
Principal Collector.

Order

1114.7 Fort St. George 31st August 1846.

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Order thereon — Order to be recorded.—

From Mr. J. D. Robinson Head Assistant to the Principal Collector of Madura — Read letter

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requesting that the Month's leave allowed him by the Regulation for joining his new appointment may be prolonged for the further period of one Month.—

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Order thereon — Under the circumstances stated the Board resolve to submit the foregoing letter thro' the Channel of

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1114.8 Fort St. George 31st August 1846.

... of the Civil Auditor for the favorable consideration of Government.—

... Read the following Statement.—

D.o

Fort St. George 31st August 1846. (36.)

the District of Tinnevelly from 1st April to 30th June 1846.—

						£	
	2092	108	6	1846 June 30th	Sales during the Current Quarter for Home consumption	608	305
					Balance of Salt on hand this day	2578	193
	1094	390					
	3187	98	6		Total	3187	98

t of Salt from 1st April to 30th June 1846.—

						C.P.	
ter for	73051	9	2	1846 June 30th	By Servants wages during the Current Quarter	2880	12
					By Sawderwared Charges	61	8
					By Extra Charges	194	8
	4				By Salt Manufacturer's share	10831	29
					By Salt Ryotwarms	258	12
Rupees	73055	9	2			13926	8
					By Balance—	59129	
maining	10908				Company's Rupees	73055	9
in the	1600						
maining	9308						

30th June 1846. C.C. Ks / Signed / R. D. Parker Ag Collector.

Ordered to be recorded

L.R.

Read

Coll.r

11150 Fort St. George 31st August 1846.

Read the following Letter

To J. Pycroft Esqr

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

(38)

From the Coll.r of Canara.

Sir I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Letter of the 20th Ulto. together with two volumes of Statutes gazetted subsequently received.

Coll.r Cutcherry Mangalore, 4th August 1846.

/ Signed / J. J. Blane Collector

Ordered to be recorded.

Read the following Letter.

(38-39.) To J. Pycroft Esqr.

Secretary to the

Board of Revenue

Fort St. George

From the Coll.r of Malabar.

Sir Having under the Orders of the Board of Revenue dated 17th January 1842 paid the Chief of Mahé a moiety of the amount realized on account of the Surry levied on the Mahé Revenue for Fasly 1255 (1845-46) viz Company's Rupees 609 2 Six hundred and nine and annas two the said Surry having been rented for Rupees 1329 — — and the collections amounted to Rupees 1218 6 — I have the honor to request you will be good

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good enough to obtain the Sanction of Government for the same.-

Calicut
20th August 1846 } [Signed] H. V. Conolly
Collector.

Resolution thereon. Resolved that the foregoing
(40-41) letter be submitted for the orders of the Most Noble the Governor in Council
with reference to the Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue dated 19th January 1842
and that Sanction be solicited for the
payment of Rupees 609-- being one
moiety of the Ferry farm on the Nuttie
River for fasly 1255. by the Collector of
Malabar to the [illegible] Chief of Mahe.-

Read the undermentioned

Statements.-

From the Coll.r of Vizagapatam. (42) Statement of Contingent
charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred
for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

From the Acting Coll.r of Cuddapah. (43) Statement of Contingent
charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred
for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

From the Coll.r of Tanjore. (44) Statement of Contingent
charges not exceeding 20 Rupees each incurred
for the quarter ending 30th June last.-

From the Acting Secretary to the Govt. Savings Bank. (45) Statement of Contingent
charges incurred during the Month of
July last.-

Resolved

Order on the abovementioned Statements - (42-46) Resolved that the
necessary orders be passed.-

Read the undermentioned

Statements.-

From the Coll.r of Ganjam. (47) Statement of the Prices of
the Principal Kinds of Grain from 1st to 10th
August 1846.-

From the Coll.r of Bellary. (48) Statement of the Prices of
the Principal Kinds of Grain from 1st to 10th
August 1846.-

From the 2d Coll.r of Cuddapah. (49) Statement of the Prices
of the Principal Kinds of Grain from 21st to 31st
July last.-

From the Coll.r of Salem. (50) Statement of the Prices of
the Principal Kinds of Grain from 1st to 10th
August 1846.-

From the Collector of Tanjore. (51) Statement of the Prices of
the Principal Kinds of Grain from 1st to 10th
August 1846.-

From the Asst Coll.r of Madura. (52) Statement of the Prices
of the Principal Kinds of Grain from 1st to 10th
August 1846.-

Order on the abovementioned Statements (47-53) Ordered to be recorded.

From the Coll.r of Nellore. (54) Read Comparative Statement shewing the Quantity of Salt sold for
the quarter ending 31st July 1844. 1845
and 1846.-

Ordered

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From the Coll.r of Malabar. Abstract of Demand
(60) collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.

From the coll.r of Rajahmundry. Abstract of Demand
(61) collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.

From the coll.r of Rajahmundry. Statement shewing
(62) the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt for the month of July last.

From the coll.r of Malabar. Statement shewing
(63) the average Bazar wholesale prices of Grain and Salt for the month of July last.

From the Actg coll.r of Chingleput. Return of Persons
(64) charged with offences under Regulation IX. of 1822 for the month of July last.

From the Actg coll.r of Chingleput. Return of Persons
(65) convicted and in confinement under Regulation IX of 1822 for the month of July last.

From the Actg coll.r of Chingleput. Stating that the Return
(66) of Persons suspended or dismissed under Regulations VI of 1831 for the month of July last is not sent there being no entry to make.

From the coll.r of Nellore. Statement shewing the
(67) quantity of Salt in store and ready for exportation on account of the Chittagong

Indent

1153. Fort St. George 31st August 1826.

(54-55) Order thereon

From the Actg coll.r of North Arcot.
(56) Read Register of Endorsements prefixed to Opinions on Petitions referred by the Board during the month of July last.

Order thereon.
(56-57) Ordered to be lodged in the Office.

Resolved that the following letter be despatched.

To the Acting Collector of North Arcot.

To the Acting coll.r of North Arcot.
(58) Sir,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward to you the accompanying Petition No. 1207 of the current year, from one Danielgee Row residing in North Arcot, and to request that you will be pleased to report on the subject to which it relates.

Revenue Board Office
Fort St. George
31st August 1826

Signed S. Pycroft
Secretary.

Received the undermentioned Miscellaneous Letters and Statements

From the Collector of Bellary. Abstract of Demand
(59) collection and Balance from 1st to 11th July last.

Abstract

1835.

Fort St George 31st August 1835.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith the Returns of Births, Deaths and Marriages for the Month of July last, and the Returns for the month of August 1835 are in course of preparation, and will be forwarded as soon as completed.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient
humble Servant
J. Dorey
Assistant Surgeon

The Secretary to Government
Fort St George

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1845

10 Aug

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Read the following Extract from the Minutes of Consultations of this date 7th July 1846

Read the following letter from the Board of Revenue submitting Letters from the Acting Collector of Cuddapah reporting the lapse of certain Enams in his District of the classes falling under Regulation IX of 1831 and recommending that they may be continued to certain parties descended from the Original grantees

(Here enter 1st June 1846 No 274)

The Most Noble the Govr Presidt and Members of the Board of Revenue

Gentlemen

The Govr in Council has given his best consideration to the representations and documents contained in the letter from the Board of Revenue dated 1st June 1846 No 274 submitted with the foregoing letter and to the grounds on which the lapsed Enams reported on by the Acting Collector of Cuddapah are recommended by the Board to be continued to the present claimants. He is of opinion as a general rule that alienations of land originally granted for charitable purposes should not be suffered to descend in perpetuity either by relationship by blood or by deed of gift or sale, and to be enjoyed by the first

Ordered to be sent again in initiation

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of this date

From the Secretary to Government Communicating orders on certain lapsed Enams in the District of Cuddapah and directing that all future applications for the continuance of Enams be submitted in a Public letter form

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Order thereon

1845

10 Aug

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Ordered to be sent to the Board of Revenue for information and report to the Govt in Council

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation of this date

Read the following letter from the Secretary to Government

Communicating the Orders of the Court of Directors contained in para 12 of the Revenue Dispatch dated 2d April 1846 and that the Government of India in referring to this Dispatch, have desired that the information so required may be furnished with as little delay as possible; and that a copy of the return made to the Honorable Court may be forwarded for their consideration

2 His Lordship in Council has deferred the consideration of this report, the Board of Revenue having stated in para 6 of the above letter, that they are at present engaged in the revision of the whole Matter of the branch of Revenue of which the Land tax forms one of the items; and that they would on an early date lay their sentiments before Government. His Lordship in Council does not consider it necessary therefore to do more on the present occasion, than forward the report to the Honorable Court and the Government of India reserving the consideration of the subject for the receipt of the final report promised by the Board, when a further communication will be made to the above authorities

The Board have been directed on a recent date to expedite their report on this and other important subjects and His Lordship in Council will request them to take the opportunity of explaining in reference to the Statement attached to para 9 of their letter of the 5th September 1846 whether the Collections of the Land tax there given are the Gross or net Collections and to state also the charges of Collection

The President & Members of the Board of Revenue

(A true Extract)
(Signed) J. F. Thomas
Chief Secretary

Ordered

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exempts from the regular demand of Govt in-
ment - It is true that in most of these cases.
an apparent title is established by long custom
but it must be remembered that for many of
the Enams no grants can be produced;
having in fact been held without a documen
of the kind, and it does not appear a
sufficient reason because the right to these
grants was not heretofore questioned that
they should be considered to have always
been treated as hereditary. His Lordship
in Council considers it objectionable in
principle that a portion of the Land revenu
should be permanently set apart for the
maintenance of a class of persons who
have no legitimate claim on the State
to support from it, and thus holds out
inducement to idleness and fraud and
continued pauperism - The Acting Collec
describes the system adopted to gain pos
sion of and perpetuate these grants in the
16th para of his letter of the 30th April
last -

2 - It appears therefore desira
ble in order to check these evils and
protect the right of Government to fix
some limit to the enjoyment of such grants as
His Lordship in Council is unwilling to

cause

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cause distress to the parties who, if not entirely
are in a great measure dependant on the Enams
by the sudden discontinuance of them but
however averse he is to such a measure
he considers that the assumed prescriptive
rights of parties should be respected only so
far as present claimants are concerned in
all but special and peculiar cases and so
long as the original purpose of the grants
is not defeated by mortgage sale or gift -

3 - With these views he pro-
-ceeds to pass orders on the several cases
in the order in which they are submitted
by the Acting Collector

Case 1 No 1. This is a Bluttuvettee
Enam, and is stated to have been granted
160 years ago in addition to the Grand Jodi
Acting Collectors letter dated 6th Jany 1846 of the late Nawaub, the
but has been held
without a sanund
The extent of the
land is not stated
but it appears to
have been divided and subdivided amon
the Members of the family (an objection
ble measure and one which ought to be pro
hibited by a Circular to the several Collectors
under the views above expressed His Lor
in Council resolves that the portion of t

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Enam registered in the name of Byrava Buttlo to be continued for life to his Widow, and to the Widow of his 3d Brother with whom it was conjointly enjoyed prior to his death, and that it be resumed on the demise of both these individuals -

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No 2 Pullicutlo Enams Fasly granted to Tallydagoud late Enamdar in the Village of Coovalapully a hamlet of Poolapaud in the Pongamoor Talook -

This Enam it is stated was originally granted to Tallydagaud for establishing a new Village but from the Acting Collectors subsequent letter of the 30th April 1846 No 36 it seems to be doubtful whether he did establish the Village - It is not known when and by whom this Enam was conferred, and there is no summons for the mooniem - The original Grantee died without heirs and in 1820 the late Rajah of Pongamoor who had the charge of the Jaghire took it upon himself and therefore it is presumed without orders to resume the grant in favor of the late holder Curragoud - Adverting to the great doubts existing in this case, His Lordship in Council would be warranted in at once directing the resumption of the Enam, but as he is unwilling to distress the family by such a measure he resolves that the grant be continued for life to Mullegundoo the eldest son of the deceased for the support of the family -

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Para 3 of Acting Collectors letter 30th April 1846 No 36.

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The observations re in Para 3 are equitable to this mo His Lordship is accordingly directed that the portion of the Enam enjoyed by the late Veneut Row Bhuttuntee Enamdar of Maddenpully to be continued for life in favor of his eldest son, on whose death it is to revert to Government - The Dwarojoo Enam for a small portion of the entire grant Viz 4-1-4 and this exceeds was conferred by the Rajah of Pongamoor of Maddenpully - note on a of services rendered, but for the performance of services which under present circumstances can no longer be necessary at which with reference to the existing arrangements of the grant could not possibly have been undertaken by the original Enamdar. Mamiem will be levied in this manner as the Bhuttuntee Enamdar by the deceased - Viz will be resumed by the Government on the death of the present holder who will lose favor the grant is now held by

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The total annual grant is stated at C. Pags 1 or Rupees 281 which the deceased one fourth share 70-6-9 will be con

Govinda Chetlo Bhuttuntee Enamdar deceased held in share of the Enam Lands in the Villages of Maddenpully and Cottapully amounting to C Pags 2-2-7 or Rs 70-6-9.

For the purpose of repairing a delapidated Fort in the Village of Cottapully -

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eldest son of the late incumbent for the support of the family and on his death will be resumed by Government.

Bhutiwutee Enamdar holds Enams in Vempully & Villages in the Taluk of Grandala.	Cl.	8-3-3
	"	8-4-4
Vempully	"	3-8-"
do	"	13-13-8
Cavaroo	"	" 12-5
Upoya	"	6-14-3
	"	4-7-11

It is not known when and by whom these Enams were granted, and who were the original Grantees and there are no documents forthcoming in support of them. As the family of the late incumbent are represented to have no other means of subsistence, His Lordship in Council directs that the first 5 items noted in the Margin above be continued in the name of the Widow Sooblooma manufacturing her life for the benefit of herself and the other Members. The remaining two items of Enam in the Village of Edatoka upoya will be resumed and incorporated with the Government lands under the circumstances reported in paras 11 and 12 of the Acting Collectors letter of the 20th April last No 34. His Lordship in Council cannot recognize the right of Baguna Cunghee in whose name the item of C. Rupees 14-3-10 entered in the Accounts, to dispose by Enam as she pleases it was granted in Charity, and its transfer by a deed of gift totally defeated the original purpose of

Refers Collrs 2 April No 86.

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of the grant.

8. It is observed that in many instances the Acting Collector has omitted to mention the names of the parties to whom it is proposed to continue the Enams the Board will be pleased to cause such orders to be supplied in all future applications before submitting them for orders of Government.

9. The Board will be pleased to submit all future applications for continuance of Enams in the accompanying Tabular form exhibiting distinctly under each head the items of information for the disposal of the case.

10. Resolved further that the general views of this Government contained in Paras 1 and 2 of this Resolution be submitted to the Court of Directors and their instructions

To
The President & Members of the Board of Revenue.

(A true Extract) Signed &