

- proposing that they be disposed of at public sale. February 21; No. 11. Approved.
6366. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, transmitting statement of lands for sale for recovery of arrears due from defaulters in the Madrasá Mahals. February 3; No. 4.
6367. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, directing him to advertise the sale, provided he has allotted the rent (Jamá) as directed by the Regulations. February 3.
6368. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, reporting on the measures taken by him for repairing the embankments (Puls) for the coming season. February 3; No. 6.
6369. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, regarding the situation of the Rání, and with propositions for the attachment of the lands of the Rájá. February 21; No. 4.
6370. Letter to Collector of Dacca, authorizing sale of lands advertised on the 31st ultimo. February 7.
6371. Letter to Mr. T. H. Ernst, forwarding survey and plans of the proposed canal in the neighbourhood of Chowringhi, and directing him to ascertain the value of the ground which it will be necessary to purchase for that purpose. February 7.
6372. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Bardwán on account of arrears of revenue. February 3; No. 5.
6373. Letter to Governor-General in Council, submitting statement of the lands of the Zamíndár of Palámau proposed to be sold, and respecting the publication of the tenures under which the Jágirs are held. February 3; No. 19.
6374. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending settlement of the Nawará Mahal in Tipperah. February 3; No. 25.
6375. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving propositions regarding Karím Alí Khán; authorizing the Collector of Rájsháhí to advance a sum for clearing the Amánat Jungle. February 3; No. 27.
6376. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing Parganá Kurulchaur and Agráchaur, in Midnapur, to be continued in possession of the security of the late Farmer under the conditions of the lease executed by the deceased. February 7; No. 9.
6377. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of

- lands in Purniah, Jessor, Nadiyá, Murshidábád, Ehágalpur, and Bardwán. February 14; No. 23.
6378. Letter from Collector of Jessor, reporting on the arrears of revenue due and accruing from the Zamindár of Yusafpur, respecting the situation of the Zamindár, and recommending the attachment of his entire estates as the means of saving him from total destruction. February 3; No. 23.
6379. Letter to Collector of Jessor, directing him to furnish a statement of lands for sale for the recovery of the arrears due from the Zamindár of Yusafpur. February 3; No. 23.
6380. Letter from Collector of Jessor, transmitting embankment (Pulbandí) accounts for 1796, and estimates for the current year. February 10; No. 25.
6381. Letter from Collector of Jessor, regarding the embankment (Pulbandí) repairs, and expressing his hope that he will not be held responsible for the conduct of the superintendent. February 21; No. 18.
6382. Letter from Collector of Jessor, requesting to be informed of the period at which purchasers of lands become responsible for the revenue, and also whether he shall pay the Zamindár of Yusafpur the amount of proprietary allowance (Málíkáná) for the time his were under attachment. February 28; No. 38.
6383. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, transmitting a translation of Rájá Sundarnáráyan's Settlement (Bandobast) for Kásijofá and Shahpur, and regarding the resumption and annexation of the Kánúngo's dues and Tahsildárf Sibandi in those Mahals. February 14; No. 38c.
6384. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, stating that he had received an estimate from the Rájá of Maináchaurá for the repair of the embankments (Puls), and that he would immediately depute an Amín to inspect the work. February 21; No. 3.
6385. Letter to Collector of Midnapur in reply, approving of the measures taken by him for the repair of the embankments (Puls), and instructions in case the Zamindár should prove neglectful. February 21.
6386. Letter from the Collector of Midnapur, regarding waste villages dependent on the estate of the Zamindár of Tappá Dharindá, with a statement of them. February 21.
6387. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, reporting losses caused by

- inundation and drought, and recommending that suspensions be granted. February 14; No. 4.
6388. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganás, with copy of letter and enclosures from the Sub-Secretary to Government, directing that the purchasers of lands sold at the Sheriff's sales be not put into possession until the right to the property shall have been finally determined. February 3.
6389. Letter from Collector of Rájsháhí, transmitting Account Settlement of Tálukdárs in 1203. February 21; No. 48. Approved.
6390. Letter to Collector of Rámgarh, with orders regarding the Jágír of Rájá Bya Bhod Sinh. February 7.
6391. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, reporting on arrears due from the Zamindár of Panchet, and transmitting a petition from him regarding the transfer of his Zamindári to Chai Sinh, his eldest son. February 21; No. 24.
6392. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, reporting on the divisions of the Nawará Mahal. February 3; No. 24.
6393. Letter to Collector of Tirhut, regarding lands authorized by Government to be purchased for the use of the Invalid establishments. 1st February 3.

MARCH, 1797.

6394. Petition from Rájá Mitrajit Sinh, on the subject of the claim of the Rájá of Jainagar to certain lands in Mánpur. March 17; No. 29.
6395. Petition from Nilmani Haldár, stating that Sri Kánt Rái, by fraudulent leases and documents (Pattás and Sanads), prevents his obtaining possession of his purchases of Malai and Bánchezi, and requesting the Board's interference. March 24; No. 30.
6396. Letter from Collector of Benares, submitting information regarding the revenues and state of the stone quarries at Chanár. March 10; No. 33.
6397. Letter from Collector of Benares, transmitting Mulki Treasury accounts for 1203, and reporting on the Land Revenue and the Customs and Abkári duties. March 28; No. 1.
6398. Letter from Collector of Behar, submitting his proceedings on the claim of the Rájá of Jainagar to certain lands in his District, with a petition from Rájá Bikramájit Sinh on the subject. March 21; No. 27.

6399. Letter to Collector of Bírghúm, authorizing the attachment of the lands of the Zamíndár. March 24.
6400. Letter to Collector of Bírghúm, authorizing him to receive rupees of sorts in payment of revenues, and directing him to transmit them to the Assay Master at Patna. March 24.
6401. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, transmitting account sales of lands of the Zamíndár of Bishnupur on account of arrears of revenue, together with a statement of a further portion of his lands for sale on the same account. March 10; No. 12. Approved.
6402. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, with a statement of the lands of Rájá Chaitan Sinh required by the Board, and reporting that the purchase money of the lands sold on the 3d instant not having been made good, he has advertised a re-sale, and requesting orders regarding the appropriation of the deposit. March 24; No. 19.
6403. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, stating that 15 per cent. of the money should be considered forfeited, and the surplus be reserved to answer any deficiency in the re-sale of the lands. March 24.
6404. Letter to Collector of Bhágalpur, with instructions regarding interest and attachment of lands for arrears of revenue. March 21.
6405. Letter from Collector of Chittagong, with account sales of lands ordered to be disposed of on the 7th and 30th ultimo. March 7; No. 21. Approved.
6406. Circular Letter to Collectors, directing that every exertion be made for the recovery of the arrears in their respective Districts. March 24.
6407. Circular Letter to Collectors, transmitting extract of a letter from the Court of Directors regarding the cultivation of potatoes and the raising of bees, with instructions thereon. March 31.
6408. Letter from Collector of Dacca, reporting on the claim of the Rájá of Jainagar to lands in Dacca. March 21; No. 26.
6409. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, with statement of separations, and requesting authority for making the necessary abatements in the rent (Jamá) of the Mahals. March 21; No. 22.
6410. Letter to Collector of Dinájpur in reply, directing him to make the proposed alterations in the Account Settlement. March 21.
6411. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving of orders respecting the repair of the embankments (Puls) in Bhitariá and Mahmúdsáhí; regarding the proprietary right of the Jágírdárs

- of Palámau ; authorizing proposed fine on the late proprietor of Yusafpur ; authorizing sale of lands in Purniah, Jessor, Nadiyá, Murshidábád, Bhágalpur, and Bardwán ; and sanctioning the estimate of the Tamluk Agent for the repair of the embankments (Puls). March 3 ; No. 14.
6412. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of the lands of the Zamíndár of Pánchet for arrears of revenue. March 3 ; No. 16.
6413. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of the Rání of Bardwán's lands. March 10 ; No. 42.
6414. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for the sale of lands in Rámgarh, and regarding the transfer of the Zamindár of Pánchet's estates to his son. March 21 ; No. 16.
6415. Letter to Governor-General in Council, with extract of proceedings relative to the claim of the Jainagar Rájá to certain lands in Dacca, Behar, etc. March 21 ; No. 31.
6416. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Behar, Bhágalpur, Midnapur, Maimansingh, Rájsháhi, and the 24 Parganás, on account of arrears of revenue. March 21 ; No. 42.
6417. Letter from Governor-General in Council, directing that, as the waste villages in Midnapur were not included in the auction statement, possession of them is not to be given to the purchasers of the estates to which they are stated to be attached ; authorizing sale of lands in Rájsháhi, Jessor, and the 24 Parganás, on account of arrears of revenue, etc. March 24 ; No. 1.
6418. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving of propositions respecting the settlement of the Nawará Mahal in Tipperah ; directing that the Mukarrarí of Mír Zulfikar Alí be considered as forfeited, and a Settlement be made with the Zamíndár as suggested ; and approving of establishments for the attachment of lands of the Zamíndárs of Nadiyá and Bír-bhúm. March 24 ; No. 2.
6419. Letter to Collector of Jessor, authorizing payment on account of the repairs of Bhúshná and Mahmudsháhi embankments (Puls) in the past year. March 3.
6420. Letter from Collector of Jessor, reporting having confined the Sazáwal of Kuruliá for the embezzlement of the treasure said to have been plundered by gang robbers (Dákáits). March 10 ;

- No. 22. Approved; and directed to report the means adopted for the recovery of the amount embezzled. March 10.
6421. Letter to Collector of Jessor, with authority for attachment of the lands of the Zamíndár of Yusafpur. March 24.
6422. Letter to Collector of Jessor, informing him that possession of the lands of the Zamíndár of Yusafpur is not to be given to the purchaser, unless the whole of the arrears from the estate be liquidated. March 24.
6423. Letter from Collector of Jessor, stating difficulties that the purchasers of the lands of the Zamíndár of Yusafpur meet with in obtaining possession of their lands, and proposing that a fine be levied on the Zamíndár until he delivers over the papers, etc., of the Parganá sold. March 31; No. 17.
6424. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, transmitting a deed (Sanad) of grant of land to Bábu Dulál Chánd, presumed to be a forgery, for the Board's inspection and orders. March 3.
6425. Letter to Collector of Midnapur in reply, directing him to prosecute the person who produced the Sanad, for forgery, and to institute a civil suit for the recovery of the revenue of the lands. March 3.
6426. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, authorizing sale of lands advertised to take place on 6th April. March 10.
6427. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, transmitting for report a petition from Nimái Chhámukar, praying to be released from confinement on giving security for the arrears due by him. March 21.
6428. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, transmitting a letter from Council regarding the waste villages claimed by purchasers of estates sold on account of arrears of revenue. March 24.
6429. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, reporting, as preventive of the realization of the revenues, the making of nominal sales of lands by the Zamíndárs in balance, previous to the disposal of them on account of the arrears, with his propositions thereon; and also regarding other practices of the Zamíndárs prejudicial to the collection of the revenues. March 28; No. 4.
6430. Letter to Collector of Midnapur in reply, stating that the lands in the first instance, and the person, and property of the defaulter in the second, are to be answerable for the arrears accruing to the date of transfer; disapproving of the Col-

- lector's proposition for giving orders of possession to private purchasers. March 28; No. 5.
6431. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, with authority of Council for the sale of lands. March 3.
6432. Letter from Acting President, laying before the Board representation of the legal agent (Vakíl) of the Rájá of Jainagar relative to the investigation into the Rájá's claim to certain villages in Behar. March 21.
6433. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganá, with sanction of Council for sale of lands. March 3.
6434. Letter from Collector of 24 Parganá, reporting that Maharája Tej Chánd has paid up the amount of his Paush instalment, and requesting instructions whether he is to release the lands, or to proceed to sell them on account of arrears in Háthiágarh in 1202. March 3; No. 7.
6435. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganá in reply, directing him to release the lands, and to report the grounds on which the Zamíndár considers himself exempt from the payment of the above arrears. March 3.
6436. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganá, transmitting authority of Council for sale of lands of disqualified landholders. March 24.
6437. Letter from Collector of 24 Parganá, requesting that he may be authorized to invest Tahsildárs of Government (khás) Mahals and managers (Sarbaráhkárs) with discretionary power to dis-train crops and personal property on account of arrears of revenue. March 24; No. 5.
6438. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganá in reply, informing him the Board is of opinion that the above class of officers are invested, under his orders, with any powers vested in Zamíndárs. March 24.
6439. Letter from Collector of 24 Parganá, regarding the balances due from the lands of Tilokrá, Pákrási, ordered to be sold, stating that the assets are inadequate to the rent (Jamá) fixed on the lands, and proposing the adjustment of the defaulters' accounts agreeably to the Settlement of 1190. March 31; No. 19.
6440. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganá in reply, rejecting the application of Tilokrá, and directing the Collector to proceed to the sale of the lands. March 31.
6441. Letter to Collector of Rámgarh, transmitting extract of a letter from Council regarding the Jágírdár lands in Palámau, and

- directing him to proceed to a sale of the Zamindár's lands on the 12th April next. March 3.
6442. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, transmitting a statement of the Zamindár of Pánchet's lands for sale on account of arrears of revenue, and regarding the transfer of the Chaklá to the Zamindár's son. March 21; No. 15.
6443. Letter to Collector of Rámgarh in reply, transmitting observations and resolutions on the above, and directing him to notify that the lands will be sold under his superintendence on the 5th May. March 21.
6444. Letter to Collector of Rájsháhí, transmitting sanction of Government for sale of lands. March 24.
6445. Letter to Collector of Rájsháhí, with extract of a letter from Council, approving of disbursements on account of the repair of the Bhitariá embankments (Puls) in the past year, and authorizing estimate of repairs required in the present. March 24.
6446. Letter from Collector of Rangpur, reporting on the petition of the Zamindár of Kánkníá, and stating that he is of opinion the Zamindár is not entitled to any further deductions, as claimed in his petition. March 17; No. 31.
6447. Letter from Collector of Sarkár Sárán, stating that Harkumár Datta Sen refuses to deliver in the accounts of the gross measurement and produce of his lands in Champáran, required for the completion of the Quinquennial Register. March 17; No. 20.
6448. Letter to Collector of Sarkár Sárán in reply, informing him that the above information is to be supplied only on occasions of the lands being attached by the officers of Government. March 17.
6449. Letter to Collector of Tipperah, with extract of a letter from Council directing that the Mukarrarí of Mír Zulfikar Alí be considered forfeited, and a Settlement entered into with the Zamindárs. March 24.
6450. Letter to Collector of Tirhut, approving of the Settlement of the Nawará Mahal. March 21.
6451. Letter from Collector of Behar, stating that, not being able to procure a native treasurer, he has put the treasury under charge of the Díwán, and paid him the salary attached to that office. March 31; No. 30. Disapproved.

APRIL, 1797.

6452. Letter to Collector of Benares, with copy of a letter and enclosure from the Sub-Secretary to Government respecting the advance of ten lákhs of rupees by the Rájá. April 4.
6453. Letter from Collector of Behar, stating the scarcity of new coin in circulation, and requesting permission to receive rupees of sorts to be remitted to Patna for re-coinage. April 11; No. 17.
6454. Letter to Collector of Behar, informing him that Government authorize the continuance of the Jágir to the members of the family of the late Nawáb Himmát Khán during their lives, and directing that the lands be released from attachment, and that the ready-money allowance be resumed. April 14.
6455. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, stating that neither the legal agent (Vakíl) of the Rájá of Jainagar, nor any person on his behalf, having appeared, he has been unable to make any inquiry into the Rájá's claim to lands in his District. April 4; No. 33.
6456. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpur, reporting his ineffectual endeavours to dispose of the lands of the Zamíndár of Kahl-gáon (Colgong). April 4; No. 38.
6457. Letter to Collector of Bhágalpur, authorizing establishment for attaching the lands of the Zamíndár of Kahl-gáon. April 14.
6458. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpur, reporting the effects of a destructive fire at Monghir and Rájmahal. April 21; No. 44.
6459. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpur, reporting on the claim of the Rájá of Jainagar to lands in his District. April 21; No. 57.
6460. Letter to Collector of Dacca, transmitting copy of a letter from the Sub-Secretary to Government, and directing the division of the District under his charge into two Zilas. April 21.
6461. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing the proposed sale of the lands of the Zamíndár of Pánchet, but rejecting the propositions respecting the transfer of the remaining part of the Zamíndár's estate to the charge of the Court of Wards; authorizing proposed sale of lands in Behar, Bhágalpur, Midnapur, Maimansinh, Rájsháhí, Jessor, Birbhúm, Dinájpur, Múshidábád, and the 24 Parganá. April 4; No. 1.
6462. Letter to Governor-General in Council, respecting an attack on the treasury at Tirhut. April 4; No. 15.

6463. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending advances on account of the repair of embankments (Gilandázi) and Takávi in Sháhábád. April 4; No. 27.
6464. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in 24 Parganá and Dinájpur. April 4; No. 36.
6465. Letters to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Bardwán, Rájsháhi, and Tipperah. April 11; Nos. 53 and 63.
6466. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for the sale at the Presidency of the lands of the Zamíndár of Nadiyá, and also for an establishment for the attachment of them. April 21; No. 82.
6467. Letter to Collector of Jessor, directing him to submit without delay a statement of the Government demands against the Zamíndár of Yusafpur, and to publish an advertisement for the sale of his lands. April 11.
6468. Letter to Collector of Jessor, authorizing levy of the proposed fine from the Zamíndár of Yusafpur. April 14.
6469. Letter from Acting Collector of Jessor, reporting that the Zamíndár of Yusafpur, notwithstanding information of the fine ordered to be levied on him, still declines furnishing the papers required. April 21; No. 26.
6470. Letter from Acting Collector of Jessor, requesting instructions respecting the attachment of certain Táluks disposed of by the Zamíndár of Yusafpur by private sale, and of which the Collector gave possession to the purchasers. April 14; No. 39.
6471. Letter to Acting Collector of Jessor in reply, informing him the transfer should not be admitted, and directing him to acquaint Mr. Wintle that he will be held responsible for any ill consequences that arise. April 21.
6472. Letter from Acting Collector of Jessor, with statements of the demands of Government against the Zamíndár of Yusafpur. April 21; No. 50.
6473. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, reporting on balances for 1202. April 14; No. 96.
6474. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, directing him to notify that the lands of the Zamíndár will be again put up for sale at the Presidency on the 27th April, and to furnish without delay a statement of the arrears, with interest, due from the Zamíndár to the end of 1203. April 11.

6475. Letter from Collector of Purniah, stating arrears due from Dharm-pur, and suggesting that the Collector of Tirhut be directed to attach the proprietary allowance (Málikáná) receivable from his treasury by Rájá Madhu Sinh. April 11; No. 40.
6476. Letter to Collector of Purniah in reply, informing him of the Board's having instructed the Collector of Tirhut to carry to the account of Government the monthly allowance (Musháhará) of Rájá Madhu Sinh, and directing him to submit at the expiration of the year a statement of the Rájá's lands for any remaining arrears. April 11.
6477. Letter from Collector of 24 Parganás, with a petition from the Száwal of the Madrasá Mahal, reporting a robbery of the treasury. April 28; No. 6.
6478. Letter to Collector of Rámgarh, with extract of a letter from Government authorizing the sale of the Zamindár of Pánchet's lands, and rejecting proposition respecting the management of the remaining part of his estate. April 4.
6479. Letter from Collector of Rangpur, reporting on balances for 1202. April 14; No. 7.
6480. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, reporting having made advances on account of the repair of embankments (Gilandázi) and Takávi, and submitting an application from the rayats on the Company's lands for 10,000 maunds of oats. April 4.
6481. Letter from Collector of Sarkár Sáran, reporting on balances outstanding on account of 1202. April 14; No. 99.
6482. Letter from Collector of Sarkár Sáran, informing that the delay in the investigation of the claims preferred by the legal agent (Vakíl) of the Rájá of Jainagar is owing to the non-appearance of the Rájá, or of any one on his behalf. April 21; No. 9.
6483. Letter from Tamluk Agent, reporting that there are no arrears on account of 1202 outstanding in his District. April 14; No. 10.
6484. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, reporting an attack on his treasury at Darbhángá, and stating the inadequacy of the Sibandí Corps attached to his station. April 4; No. 14.
6485. Letter to Collector of Tirhut, directing him to carry to the account of Government the amount of monthly allowance (Musháhará) receivable by Rájá Madhu Sinh, in discharge of his arrears in Purniah. April 11.
6486. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, reporting on the claims of the

- Rájá of Jainagar to lands in his District, and stating that no trace of any property of the Rájá is to be found. April 21; No. 56.
6487. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, reporting that the Zamíndárs are not inclined to part with any of their lands for the use of the Invalid Establishment. April 25; No. 40.
6488. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, forwarding a petition from the legal agent (Vakíl) of the proprietor (Málik) of Ghyáspur, representing the effects of an overflow of the river, and his consequent distress. April 28; No. 28. Directed to make an investigation.

MAY, 1797.

6489. Petition from Behar Sadr Kánúngos, proclaiming their hereditary right to the office, and praying that the several Collectors in Subah Behar be instructed to appoint their Gumáshta. May 30; No. 72.
6490. Letter from Collector of Benares, transmitting copy of a precept from the Judge at Gházipur regarding the postponement till 7th of next month of the sale of lands on account of arrears of revenue, and the intention of the Zamíndár to dispute the justice of the demands made by him. May 2; No. 30.
6491. Letter from Collector of Benares, transmitting translation of a petition from Rájá Sio Lál Dobe, agreeing to sign an engagement (Kabúliyat) for Badlápúr, and hoping that he will be allowed remission for the actual loss sustained on account of the incursions of Sultánat Sinh, and requesting a Mukarrarí grant of the Táluk. May 5; No. 50.
6492. Letter from Collector of Benares, regarding the disposal of the lands adjudged forfeited to Government. April 9; No. 9.
6493. Letter to Collector of Behar, conveying sanction of Government for proposed sale of lands, with directions to report the result of the sales and transfers authorized by Government. May 26.
6494. Letter from Collector of Bírbehúm, reporting that the full amount of the purchase money of the lands of the Zamíndár has been paid into his treasury. May 2; No. 3.
6495. Letter to Collector of Bírbehúm, with authority of Council for the attachment and sale of lands on account of arrears of revenue. May 9.
6496. Letter from Collector of Bírbehúm, with statement of arrears due

- from the Zamíndár on account of 1203, after deducting proceeds of the late sale. April 12 ; No. 29.
6497. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, submitting copy and translation of a petition from Bishnu Chánd Gosáin, stating his right to the village of Bishnupur, ordered to be sold on account of arrears due from the Rání. May 2 ; No. 26.
6498. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, submitting a petition from Rájá Chaitan Sinh, and recommending his distressed situation to the consideration of the Board. May 19 ; No. 27.
6499. Letter from Collector of Chittagong, with a statement of lands proposed for sale on account of arrears of 1203, stating the difficulties the officers deputed to attach the lands met with, and proposing that defaulters be charged with the expense of attachment. May 5 ; Nos. 45 and 46.
6500. Letter to Collector of Chittagong in reply, approving of the above statement, and directing him to notify that the lands are to be sold on the 10th June, and as a matter of course the proprietors are to bear the expense of sequestration ; also directing him to purchase the lands at the amount of the arrears, which in that case are to be written off. May 5.
6501. Letter from Collector of Dacca, reporting on balances outstanding on account of 1202. May 2 ; Nos. 69 and 70a.
6502. Letter from Collector of Dacca, respecting the division of the District into two Zilás, submitting a list of Mahals in each, and suggesting that a new line of demarcation be adopted in lieu of the former. May 16 ; No. 31.
6503. Letter to Collector of Dacca in reply, regarding the proposed boundaries of Dacca and Bákarganj, with directions to submit statements of the Mahals and the rent (Jamá) to be comprised in each Zilá. May 19.
6504. Letter from Governor-General in Council, directing that the Collector of Benares be informed of Council's approbation of his management in the past year ; approving of instructions to him respecting his surplus collections ; authorizing proposed advance in khas Mahals in Sháhábád ; also an advance of Takávi, and the remission of the demands on account of interest ; authorizing sales of lands in Dinájpur, 24 Parganás, Bardwán, Rájsháhí, and Tipperah, and the establishment for attaching the lands of the Zamíndár of Pánchet ; directing the Board to carry into effect the resolutions of Government adjudging

the forfeiture of the Mukarrari of Mulki Baliá, and to take measures for the future management of the lands; also to instruct the Collector of Tirhut to pay the Mukarraridár Rs. 1000 per month. May 2; No. 1.

6505. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Tipperah, 24 Parganás, and Chittagong on account of arrears of revenue. May 5; No. 47.
6506. Letter to Governor-General in Council, with a letter and enclosures from the Collector of Benares, regarding remission to the Tahsildár of Jaunpur, and the Tahsildár's application for a Mukarrari grant of Badlápúr and the waste lands, which the Collector recommends should be appropriated towards the use of the Invalids. May 5; No. 53.
6507. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Bardwán on account of arrears of revenue of 1203. May 9; No. 28.
6508. Letter to Governor-General in Council, reporting on the duty proposed to be levied on the manufacture of spirituous liquors. May 9; No. 33.
6509. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending that the Collector of Nadiyá should be authorized to attach the whole of the estates of the Zamindár of that District, and to charge the expense to the proprietor. May 12; No. 21.
6510. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Bírghúm, Bardwán, Jessor, and the 24 Parganás. May 12; No. 44.
6511. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing the proposed fine on the Zamindár of Nadiyá until he shall furnish the accounts required of him; also an additional fine on the Zamindár of Yusafpur, for declining to comply with the Sheriff's request for possession of lands in Yusafpur, until the realization of the arrears due from the lands to Government, etc. May 12; No. 55b.
6512. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Purniah, Nadiyá, Maimansinh, and Silhet. May 19; Nos. 23 and 25.
6513. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending that the demands against the Zamindár of Bardwán be suspended, and the estate taken under the management of the Collector. May 19; No. 29.

6514. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing sale of lands of the Zamíndár of Yusafpur, etc. May 19; No. 34.
6515. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction to proposed sales of lands in Dinájpur, Murshidábád, Nadiyá, Rájsháhí, Rangpur, and 24 Parganás, etc. May 23; No. 64.
6516. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sale of lands in Midnapur, 24 Parganás, Dacca, and Nadiyá; authorizing remission to Tahsildár of Jaunpur, but requiring further information on the subject of his application for a Mukarrarí grant of Badlápúr; authorizing the attachment of the estate of the Rájá of Nadiyá. May 26; No. 1.
6517. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing the writing off of the irrecoverable arrears of 1202, also the proposed abatements and sale of lands; directing that unsaleable Mahals be bought in on account of Government, and the arrears relinquished on the execution of a deed of transfer by the proprietor, etc. May 26; No. 2.
6518. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Jessor. May 26; No. 29.
6519. Letter from Nílmáni Háldár, stating that the late proprietor of Gopálnagar in Bardwán, with an armed force, prevents his taking possession, and praying for assistance. May 26; No. 47.
6520. Letter from Acting Collector of Jessor, submitting an account of establishment for attaching Yusafpur. May 2; No. 28.
6521. Letter to Collector of Jessor, conveying Council's authority for sale of lands, and directing him to report the result of the sales and transfers authorized by Government. May 26.
6522. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, transmitting for report a petition from Syám Sundar Dás regarding his right to the rent (Jamá) of the armed Peon's (Páik's) Jágír annexed to his purchase in Kásijorá. May 5.
6523. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, reporting on the state of the embankments, and the great neglect of the Amíns, and proposing that a superintending Amín be deputed during the rains. May 26.
6524. Letter to Collector of Midnapur in reply, approving of his dismissing the Amíns and deputing others, and directing him to submit the necessary establishment when any repairs are required. May 26.
6525. Letter to Collector of Murshidábád, conveying authority of

Government for the sale of a part of the lands of the Zamindár of Rájsháhí. May 2.

6526. Letter to Collector of Murshidábád, with extract of a letter from Government, remarking on the heavy arrears in Nij Chaklá Rájsháhí, particularly in the Bhitariá portion. May 26.
6527. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, with account sales of lands of Zamindár of Rájsháhí on account of arrears of 1202. May 30; No. 28. Approved, and directed to submit a further statement of lands for sale in liquidation of the remaining balance.
6528. Letter from Collector of Maimansinh, stating the causes which prevented him from carrying into effect the orders of the Board for putting the purchaser of Pukhariá into possession. May 12; No. 51.
6529. Letter to Collector of Maimansinh in reply, directing him to put the purchaser in possession. May 12.
6530. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, informing him Government authorize a daily fine on the Zamindár of Nadiyá until he shall deliver the papers required of him. May 12.
6531. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, reporting that the Zamindár still refuses paying in his balances. May 23; No. 23.
6532. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, with statement of the lands of the Zamindár for sale, and establishment for attaching them. May 23; Nos. 56 and 57.
6533. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá in reply, directing him to notify that the Rájá's lands will be sold at the Presidency on the 28th instant. May 23.
6534. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, directing him to attach the Zamindár of Nadiyá, and to publish an advertisement prohibiting the rayats from paying any part of the rents to the Zamindár. May 26.
6535. Letter from Collector of Purniah, with statement of lands of Rájá Madhu Sinh for sale on account of arrears. May 16; No. 27. Approved.
6536. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganás, authorizing suspensions on account of land appropriated to the use of the artillery at Dam Dam. May 2.
6537. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganás, conveying authority of Government for sale and attachment of lands on account of arrears of revenue. May 9.

6538. Letter to Collector of Rájsháhí, authorizing him to write the irrecoverable arrears of his District off his accounts. May 26.
6539. Letter from Collector of Rangpur, submitting account sales of lands of the Zamíndárs of Idrakpur. May 5; No. 38. Approved.
6540. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, reporting the death of the Zamíndár of Pátkum, and stating that he will lose no time in selecting and reporting on a proper person for the management of the estate. May 2; No. 19.
6541. Letter to Collector of Rámgarh in reply, approving of his removal of the minor to Chitra. May 2.
6542. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, respecting balances in his Phálgun revenue account (Taují), and the peculiar circumstances of the Zamíndárí of Nágpur. May 30; No. 25.
6543. Letter to Collector of Sárán, authorizing him to write off the irrecoverable arrears in Parganá Kasmár, and to release the Tahsildár, who is to be proscribed the service of Government. May 26.
6544. Letters to Collector of Sháhábád, authorizing him to make the proposed advances of cash in Rangpur and the khás Mahals, and also the proposed advance of Takávi and remission of demand on account of interest. May 2.
6545. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, acknowledging receipt of 7 mds. 20 seers of oats from Captain Frazer, and stating that a much larger quantity will be wanted for the cultivation of the lands of Government in Sasserám. May 16; No. 5.
6546. Letter to Collector of Sháhábád in reply, forwarding copy of the observations of the Acting President on the subject, and directing him to reserve for seed for the ensuing season such part of the harvest of the current year as he may require for the purpose. May 16.
6547. Letter from Collector of Silhet, reporting on balances of 1203, and requesting that the whole of the Táluks in arrear may be advertised for sale. May 19; No. 24. Approved.
6548. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, with statement of lands for sale on account of the arrears due from the Rájá of Tipperah, including balance of 1198. May 9; No. 24.
6549. Letter to Collector of Tipperah in reply, directing him to inform the Board, previous to advertising the lands, whether the amount specified in the statement is inclusive or exclusive of

- any part of the amount of the suspensions claimed by the Rájá on account of salt-land (Khálári) rents. May 9.
6550. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, stating that the arrears due from the Rájá are exclusive of his claim to salt-land (Khálári) rents. May 23 ; No. 20.
6551. Letter to Collector of Tipperah, directing him to notify that the lands of the Rájá will be sold on the 1st July. May 23.
6552. Letter from Secretary to Salt Department, with copy of a letter from the Salt Agent at Bhulúá reporting on the claim of the Rájá of Tipperah on account of salt-land (Khálári) rents. May 16 ; No. 10a.
6553. Letter to the Board of Trade, requesting instructions will be issued to the Salt Agent at Bhulúá to depute a person to examine into and report upon the claim of the Rájá of Tipperah, in concert with an officer to be deputed for that purpose by the Collector. May 16.
6554. Letter to Collector of Tirhut, transmitting a letter from Council regarding the forfeiture of the Mukarrarí of Mulki Baliá, directing an allowance of Rs. 1000 per month be paid to the Mukarrarídar. May 2.
6555. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, reporting on balances outstanding on account of 1201. May 2 ; No. 76.
6556. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, reporting that the Mukarrarídar of Mulki and Baliá has paid up the arrears due from him to Government, and requesting the Board's further orders. May 5 ; No. 19.
6557. Letter to Collector of Tirhut, directing him to conform to orders previously issued. May 5.

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6558. Petition from the legal agent (Vakíl) of Kumár Biswa Náth Rái and Kumár Srí Kánt Rái, stating his having purchased a Táluk in Nij Chaklá Rájsháhi, advertised for sale on account of arrears due from the late Rájá, and praying that his claim be investigated and the advertisement withdrawn. June 30.
6559. Letter to Collector of Benares, approving the proposed sale of forfeited lands, and directing him to dispose of them after promulgating the necessary notifications. June 2.
6560. Letter to Collector of Bírghúm, informing him of the proceeds of

- the sale of the lands of the Zamíndár, and directing him to submit a further portion of the Zamíndárl for sale in order to make good the balance against the estate. June 27.
6561. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, directing him to submit a statement of the lands of Rájá Chaitan Sinh on account of arrears. June 9.
6562. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, transmitting for orders a petition from Maharájá Rádhá Náth Bahádur respecting his claim to deposits made in the Khálsá by Mr. Christie, and praying that the sale of his lands be postponed until his claim shall have been adjusted. June 27; No. 8.
6563. Letter to Governor-General in Council, respecting information to be required from the Collector of Sháhábád on the subject of losses sustained by the Invalids, and the means to be adopted for their relief. June 2; No. 21.
6564. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Bardwán and 24 Parganás. June 2; No. 31.
6565. Letter from Governor-General in Council, directing reimbursement of collections from rent-free lands in Hijili, and the recovery of the amount from the Zamindár; authorizing daily fine on the Zamíndár of Mahmúdsáhí, and approving sale of lands in Purniah. June 2; No. 32.
6566. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sale of lands in Tipperah, Dinájpur, Murshidábád, Nadiyá, Rájsháhí, Rangpur, and 24 Parganás. June 9; No. 1.
6567. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for the sale of the lands of the Zamíndár of Nadiyá. June 23; No. 45.
6568. Letter to Governor-General in Council, reporting on the petition of the Zamíndárs of Amrábád. June 27; No. 54.
6569. Letter to Governor-General in Council, respecting the decrees of forfeiture of the proprietary rights of the Zamíndárs in Sháhábád. June 27; No. 59.
6570. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing sale of lands in Jessor, Bardwán, and 24 Parganás; approving of the requisition to the Collector of Sháhábád respecting the Invalids who were deprived of their Jágirs; authorizing attachment of the remaining part of the lands of the Zamíndár of Nadiyá; authorizing estimate for the repair of the Hijili and Jaleswar embankments; approving instructions to Collector of Nadiyá

- respecting the repair of the Zamindári embankments. June 30; No. 1.
6571. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Bardwán. June 30; No. 37.
6572. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending that orders be issued for the arrest and confinement in the Bardwán Jail of Rám Chandra Sen, a defaulting purchaser at sales of lands at the revenue office. June 30; No. 40.
6573. Letter to Collector of Jessor, authorizing the proposed daily fine on the Zamindárs of Mahmúdszáhl, until they shall furnish the accounts required of them. June 2.
6574. Letter from Collector of Jessor, recommending the farming out of the estates of disqualified persons, in preference to putting them under Sázáwalí management. June 13; No. 44.
6575. Letter to Collector of Jessor in reply, directing him to submit any proposals he may receive for the farming of them. June, 13.
6576. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, reporting the ruinous state of the records, and requesting authority to make up presses for them. June 2; No. 22. Authorized.
6577. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, with a petition from the manager of the Rán's estate requesting Takávi advances for bringing the police lands into cultivation. June 20; Nos. 25 and 26.
6578. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, respecting the Rán's police lands, which he considers liable to resumption under Section 8 of Regulation 1 of 1793. June 20; No. 27.
6579. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, approving of the proposed resumptions, authorizing advances on account of Takávi, and directing him to submit a Mufassal Settlement of the lands. June 20.
6580. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, submitting a statement of lands of Rájá Rám Krishna for sale on account of arrears of revenue. June 16; No. 45. Approved.
6581. Letter from Collector of Maimansinh, stating that the Zamindár of the 4 annas or one-fourth share of Maimansinh had made over his estate to his son, a minor, and requesting that it be held under the Court of Wards. June 2; No. 9. Not approved.
6582. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, reporting having deputed his Assistant to inspect the repair of the embankments (Bándhs),

and reporting the precarious state of the life of the Zamindár.
June 23; No. 22.

6583. Letter from Collector of Sárán, with copy of a letter from the Superintendent of the embankments (Bándhs), and a statement of the embankment (Pulbandí) funds, requesting authority for further advances, and recommending that no further sum be levied from the landholders until 1205. June 9; No. 22.
6584. Letter to Collector of Sárán, directing him to state if the provision for the repair of the embankments (Bándhs) was made with the concurrence of the landholders, and authorizing the further advances required for carrying on the work. June 9.
6585. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, submitting a report of judicial decrees on the forfeiture of the proprietary rights of the Zamindárs, with recommendations respecting the confirmation, etc. of the decrees. June 27; No. 57.
6586. Letter to Collector of Sháhábád, directing him to furnish information respecting the situation and losses of the Invalids. June 30.
6587. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, reporting an excessive fall of rain, and the consequent apprehension of a failure in the crops. June 2; No. 8.
6588. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, requesting an explanation of the 10th, 11th, and 12th Sections of Regulation 8 of 1793, respecting the separation of Tálukdárs from the authority of Zamindárs by the Collectors. June 27; No. 32.
6589. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, submitting an account of the Government (khás) Mahals for 1203 Faslí, explanatory of outstanding balances, and with propositions for letting the Mahals in Farm. June 23; No. 39.

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6590. Petition from Maulvi Amsaddí, tendering payment of arrears of revenue due from his (Aimá) lands assigned for religious purposes in Bardwán, advertised for sale. July 4; No. 6.
6591. Petition from Nílmani Háldár, stating the difficulty he experiences from the opposition of Dwarkánáth in obtaining possession of the lands purchased by him in the Zamindárl of Bardwán, and praying that the Collector be directed to put him in possession of his purchase. July 4; Nos. 28 and 29.
6592. Petition from Krishna Chánd, Gumáshtá of Tirhut under the

- Behar Sadr Kánúngós, praying for payment of his arrears of allowances from 1201 Fasli. July 11; Nos. 32, 33.
6593. Petition from the Clerks (Muharrirs) of the Kánúngós of Sarkár Champáran, stating that they receive no monthly allowance, and praying that the Collector may be instructed to pay them their due. July 11; No. 34.
6594. Petition from Syám Rám Rái, stating his having purchased a Táluk from the Zamíndár of Yusafpur, with the registry of the Benámá, etc. of it, and praying that the Collector be directed to receive the rent (Málguzárf) and release the Táluk from attachment. July 11; No. 35.
6595. Petition from Nílmani Háldár, stating a further delay in obtaining possession of the lands purchased by him in Bárdwán, and praying that the purchase money be returned to him should there be any further difficulty in having the lands transferred to him. July 18; No. 24.
6596. Petition from Khwájá Arratoon, respecting a purchase made by him of lands in Dacca; stating that the former proprietor is collecting the revenues; and praying an order be issued to the Collector to give him possession, and to take an agreement (Táhud) for the amount of the rent (Jamá) specified in the Lotbandí. July 28; No. 42.
6597. Letter to Collector of Benares, with a copy of a letter and enclosures from the Sub-Secretary to Government, respecting the claims of Issanat on account of arrears of rent for ground occupied by the Royal Family at Shewalá. July 7.
6598. Letter from Collector of Behar, transmitting statement of Settlement (Jamábandí) of the late Aminá Begam's Jágfr. July 4. Nos. 22 and 23.
6599. Letter from Collector of Behar, requesting information respecting the amount at which lands unsaleable at public auction are to be bought in on account of Government. July 11; No. 1.
6600. Letter to Collector of Behar in reply, informing him that he will be furnished with orders on the above subject as circumstances occur which render such purchases advisable. July 11.
6601. Letter to Collector of Behar, requesting information respecting the appointment of village accountants (Patwáris) in his District, as directed by the Regulations. July 18.
6602. Letter to Collector of Behar, with instructions respecting the

- release of the permanent rent-free (Altamghá) lands of the late Aminá Begam. July 21.
6603. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpur, applying for permission to advance Takávi loans. July 18; No. 12. Authorized.
6604. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpur, reporting on the realization of balances, and submitting a statement of lands for sale. July 21. Approved.
6605. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpur, regarding the permanent rent-free (Altamghá) lands of the late Aminá Begam. July 28; No. 38.
6606. Letter from Collector of Bírbbhúm, reporting the realization of arrears from the Zamíndár on account of 1203. July 28; No. 12.
6607. Letter from Collector of Bírbbhúm, reporting on a private sale by the Rájá of a part of his Zamíndárí, and stating his having given possession to the purchasers on the Rájá's application. July 28; No. 20.
6608. Letter to Collector of Bírbbhúm in reply, requiring information respecting the description and the mode of adjusting the rent (Jamá) of the above lands. July 28.
6609. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, with an account of expenses for 'embankment (Pulbandí) repairs required by Government. July 4; No. 7.
6610. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, transmitting a petition from the Rání, requesting that Parganá Jahánábád, Ghátál, etc., be released from attachment, and requesting the Board's orders thereon. July 4; No. 10.
6611. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, stating the balances due from the Zamíndár on account of the revenue of 1203, and charges of embankment (Pulbandí) repairs; reporting likewise that the purchasers of lands, sold for recovery of arrears of the present year, have not appeared to receive possession. July 4; No. 11.
6612. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, with orders respecting recovery of arrears due from the Rání. July 4.
6613. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, forwarding him copy of a petition from Nílmani Háldár, and directing him to put him in possession of the lands purchased by him. July 4.
6614. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, requesting authority to make an advance of Takávi in Mandalghát. July 11; No. 20. Authorized.

6615. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, with a statement of the lands of Rájá Chaítan Sinh for sale on account of arrears of 1203. July 11; No. 29.
6616. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, directing him to notify that the above lands will be sold at the Presidency on the 17th August. July 11.
6617. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, directing him to apprehend and confine Bhabáni Sankar Rái for the deficiency on re-sale payable by him, and to transmit a further statement of the Rái's lands for sale. July 11.
6618. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, forwarding him copy of a letter from Nílmani Haldár, and directing him to report the measures he has adopted for carrying into execution the Board's orders for putting him in possession of his purchases. July 18.
6619. Letter to Collector of Calcutta, authorizing the writing off the arrears due from the rent-free lands, and a deduction from the rent (Jamá) of the lands to be made in the assessment of the District. July 11.
6620. Letter from Collector of Chittagong, regarding a claim preferred by Debí Sinh to lands in Taraf Jafar Ahmad, disposed of for arrears of revenue, and requesting orders respecting the delivery of other lands to the purchaser in lieu thereof. July 11; No. 5. Instructions forwarded.
6621. Letter to Collector of Chittagong, transmitting sanction of Government for sale of lands. July 4.
6622. Letter from Collector of Chittagong, reporting the receipts of the Sadr Punyá. July 18; No. 13.
6623. Letter from Collector of Chittagong, with an account sale of lands purchased on account of Government. July 21; Nos. 22 and 23. Approved.
6624. Circular to the Collectors of the Bengal Districts, with copy of a letter and enclosure from the Sub-Secretary to Government, directing them to notify that the Government intend prohibiting the cultivation of the poppy plant throughout the Province. July 7.
6625. Circular to Collectors, forwarding form of account sales of lands, with instructions for their guidance in cases of non-payment of purchase money. July 28.
6626. Letter to Commissioner of Kuch Behar, directing him to furnish

information respecting the appointment of village accountants (Patwáris) in his District. July 18. •

6627. Letter to Collector of Dacca, transmitting sanction of Government for sale of lands. July 4.

6628. Letter to Collector of Dacca, directing him to furnish without delay the information required by the orders of the 19th May, respecting the division of the District under his charge. July 7.

6629. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, reporting the realization of balances on account of the past year. July 28; No. 9.

6630. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting account of, the expenses incurred by the Collector of Bardwán in making embankment (Pulbandi) repairs; recommending that it be passed, and the amount be recovered from the Rání by the usual process. July 4; No. 8.

6631. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending the release of the permanent rent-free (Altamghá) lands comprised in the Jágir of the late Aminá Begam in Behar and Bhágalpur, to the Altamghádár. July 4; No. 23a.

6632. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending that a fine be levied on landholders in Silhet who refused to deliver in the papers required to enable the Collector to make the Quinquennial Register. July 4; No. 37.

6633. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Bhágalpur, Purniah, and Tirhut. July 4.

6634. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands belonging to the Zamíndár of Nadiyá at the Secretary's office on the 10th August. July 7; No. 28.

6635. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending that the irrecoverable arrears in Silhet be written off. July 11.

6636. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sale of lands in Nadiyá, also the writing off the accumulated arrears from the rent-free lands in Calcutta, and the deduction of the Jamá of the lands from the assessment of the District; and authorizing proposed sale of lands in Jessor, Sháhábád, Sáran, 24 Parganá, and Bardwán. July 11.

6637. Letters to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Tipperah, Sháhábád, and the 24 Parganá, July 14; Nos. 30 and 30a.

6638. Letter from Governor-General in Council, stating that the accounts of disbursements for the repair of the embankments

(Bándhs) in Bardwán have been passed, and directing that the Collector be instructed respecting the recovery of the amount from the Rání; authorizing fine on the landholders of Tipperah for non-delivery of the papers required for the formation of the Quinquennial Register; authorizing proposed sale of lands in Bhágálpur, Purniah, Tirhut, and Nadiyá, and also authorizing estimate for the repair of the embankments (Bándhs) in Silhet. July 21; No. 5.

6639. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving of the suggestion of the Collector of Tirhut with regard to the establishment of Invalid Police Stations (Thánás) in Parganá Allápur; authorizing arrears in Sháhábád to be written off as irrecoverable; and directing that the Sheriff be informed that his applications for possession of lands cannot be complied with until he produces a writ requiring him to give possession of them to the purchaser. July 28; No. 53.
6640. Letter from Agent at Hijili, requesting a further advance for the complete repair of the embankments (Bándhs), etc. July 7; No. 23a.
6641. Letter from Collector of Jessor, requesting instructions relative to forming the rent-roll (Hastabúd) of Mahmúds háhí. July 4; No. 2. Instructions forwarded in reply.
6642. Letter to Collector of Jessor, forwarding petition from Syám Rám Rái respecting the attachment of Durbádángá, purchased by him from the Zamíndár of Yusáfpur, and directing him to report thereon. July 11.
6643. Letter to Collector of Jessor, authorizing the sale of lands, in continuation of orders of the 27th ultimo. July 14.
6644. Letter from Collector of Jessor, with account sales of lands disposed of on the 12th and 17th June. July 21; No. 11. Approved.
6645. Letter from Judge of Jaunpur, forwarding copy and abstract of a decree regarding right of property in village Sarawo. July 28; No. 4.
6646. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, transmitting sanction for sale of lands, in continuation of orders of 23d ultimo. July 4.
6647. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, transmitting petition from Anandkisor Rái, praying that his Táluk may be taken under the Court of Wards. July 14; No. 2.
6648. Letter to Collector of Midnapur in reply, informing him that

- there are objections to the above measure, and directing him to ascertain and report every information respecting the actual proprietor of the lands. July 14.
6649. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, submitting account sales of lands in Nij Chaklá Rájsháhí, and propositions respecting the appropriation of the surplus proceeds, and the revocation of sale of lands advertised in satisfaction of the demands of Jogeswar Mustafi. July 7; No. 11a.
6650. Letter to Collector of Murshidábád in reply, approving of the account sales, as well as of his suggestions for countermanding the proposed sale. July 7.
6651. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, submitting account sales of lands dependent on Nij Chaklá Rájsháhí and Bhitariá, and recommending their being re-sold to make good the balance of the purchase money. July 7; No. 29.
6652. Letter to Collector of Murshidábád in reply, directing him to advertise the lands for re-sale, and stating that in leases like the above the deposits are to be carried to the credit of Government. July 7.
6653. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, forwarding his report respecting the quantity and boundaries of the ground originally allotted for the Barhampur cantonments. July 18; No. 10.
6654. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, requesting instructions respecting the disposal of unsold lands belonging to the Tálukdárs of Amírábád and Sarfrázipur, and respecting establishment for attaching the lands. July 4; No. 3. Instructions forwarded on the above.
6655. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, stating the difficulty he experiences in preparing a statement of the Zamíndár's lands for sale on account of the opposition he experiences from the Rájá. July 4; No. 21.
6656. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, forwarding him extract of orders of Government, approving of having deputed his assistant to the repair of the embankments (Bándhs), but directing that the consequent extra charges be not placed to the account of the Zamíndár. July 4.
6657. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, with account sales of Jalálábád sold on 27th ultimo. July 7; No. 23. Approved.
6658. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganá, forwarding authority for sale of lands, in continuation of orders of 27th ultimo. July 11.

6659. Letter to Collector of Purniah, with authority for sale of lands, in continuation of orders of the 4th instant. July 21.
6660. Letter from Collector of Rájsháhí, with account sales of lands disposed of on the 29th ultimo. July 7; No. 17. Approved.
6661. Letter from Collector of Rájsháhí, requesting information respecting the division of estates and the discharge of the partition (Batwára) expenses. July 28; No. 29. Instructions thereon.
6662. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, with statement of the rent (Jamá) of the estate of the Rájá of Pánchet, and of the rent (Jamá) of the portions transferred by public and private sale, and requesting authority for making the necessary alterations in the Account Settlement. July 28.
6663. Letter to Collector of Rámgarh in reply, approving of the allotment of the rent (Jamá), and of the alterations in the Account Settlement. July 28.
6664. Letter from Acting Collector of Sáran, respecting the mode adopted by the Collector for the repair of the embankments (Bándhs), and the effect thereof on the landholders. July 7.
6665. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, stating the measures proposed to be adopted for the relief of the invalid Jágírdárs who suffered from the inundation in his District. July 18; No. 20.
6666. Letter to Collector of Tirhut, forwarding extract of orders of Government, directing the establishment of the Invalid Police Stations (Thánás) on the principles laid down in his letter of the 1st June. July 28.
6667. Letter from Board of Trade, containing propositions for the final adjustment of the salt-land (Khálári) rents. July 4; No. 45.

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6668. Petition from Nílmani Háldár, stating his right to the inclusion of the larger village of Gopálnagar instead of the smaller, in the purchases made by him in Bardwán. August 1.
6669. Further petition from Nílmani Háldár on the same subject, and stating the intention of the Rání to deprive him of his rights. August 1.
6670. Petition from Kásínáth Bánarji and Biswanáth Bánarji, representing that a part of the lands purchased by them, is included in the Mahals of Rájá Chaitan Sinh, which are advertised for sale, and requesting a separation therefrom. August 15.

6671. Petition from Gopí Mohan and Hari Mohan Thákur, stating that Rájá Iswar Chánd Rái has sent people to carry off the property from the lands bought by them. August 22.
6672. Minute by the Acting President, regarding the claim of the Zamíndár of Dinájpur to the revenue of lands lately held by Mr. Christie. August 29.
6673. Letter from Collector of Bhágálpur, requesting to be informed if the orders respecting the prohibition of the opium manufacture apply to the Behar portion of his District, and stating the effect the above order would have on the revenue. August 1; No. 7.
6674. Letter to Collector of Bhágálpur, directing him to report by what authority the lands of the Zamíndár were attached. August 4.
6675. Letter to Collector of Bhágálpur, transmitting copy of a letter from the Sub-Secretary to Government, and directing him to report on the quality and quantity of opium cultivated in his Districts adjacent to Behar, also on the average rent paid for lands on which poppy is cultivated. August 11.
6676. Letter from Acting Collector of Bhágálpur, submitting applications for Takávi advances. August 22. Approved.
6677. Letter from Collector of Behar, requesting instructions regarding the prices to be fixed for unsaleable lands ordered to be bought in on account of Government. August 4; No. 26.
6678. Letter from Collector of Behar, forwarding petition from the widow of Rájá Indranáráyan, praying that her late husband's Jágir may be restored to her. August 4; No. 33.
6679. Letter to Collector of Behar, communicating orders of the Governor-General in Council respecting lands purchased on account of Government. August 15.
6680. Letter to Collector of Behar, communicating sanction for sale of lands advertised on the 28th ultimo. August 15.
6681. Letter from Collector of Bírbehúm, with Settlement Account of Sarhát and Deoghar for 1204-5 and 6. August 18.
6682. Letter from Collector of Benares, representing the serious consequences apprehended, owing to the great scarcity of specie, and recommending that measures be taken to relieve the bankers at his station. August 15.
6683. Letter from Collector of Benares, containing information regarding the proposed Mukarrarí Tenure of Táluk Badlápur, in reply to orders of 26th May. August 15.
6684. Letter from Collector of Benares, reporting on the capacity of the

Zamíndárs and Farmer to pay a contribution for repairing the roads. August 15.

6685. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, reporting the cause which prevents him from putting Nílmani Háldár in possession of his purchases. August 1; Nos. 16 and 17. Instructions on the above. No. 22.
6686. Letter from Judge of Bardwán, with copy and abstract of a decree *versus* Gurumani Debí respecting Táluk Lálípúr. August 4.
6687. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, reporting on arrears due from Rájá Chaitan Sinh, Zamíndár of Bishnupur, and requesting instructions thereon. August 8; No. 8.
6688. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, directing him to attach the whole of the Zamíndárs' lands, and to commence the Mufassal collections without delay. August 8.
6689. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, stating he has released the Rání's lands from attachment, excepting a sufficient portion for the discharge of balances of advances made for the repair of embankments, and transmitting copy of a petition from the Rání, stating objections to the payment of her balances. August 8; No. 14a.
6690. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, objecting to the disposal of so large a portion of the Rání's estate, and directing him to submit a corrected statement of her lands for sale, with instructions regarding her petition. August 8.
6691. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, transmitting copy of a petition from Mirzá Amír-ud-dín, stating that certain lands purchased by him were included in the list of the Zamíndár of Bishnupur's lands advertised for sale. August 15; No. 31.
6692. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, informing him the Board does not see any ground for exempting the petitioner's lands from sale. August 15.
6693. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, in reply to orders of the 1st instant, explaining the reasons of the delay which has occurred in putting Nílmani Háldár in possession of the lands purchased by him. August 15; No. 33.
6694. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, containing the Board's opinion respecting Nílmani's title to a larger village denominated Gopálnagar, with instructions respecting giving him possession. August 15.
6695. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, transmitting orders of Government

directing that the application of the Sheriff for putting the purchasers at his sales in possession be not complied with.
August 15.

6696. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, stating demand of revenue due from Rájá Chaitan Sinh on account of the past year. August 22 ; No. 2.
6697. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, directing him to furnish the Mufassal Settlement of Mandalghát for the current year. August 29.
6698. Circular Letter to the several Collectors (Benares excepted), containing instructions respecting the Mufassal Settlement of Government (khás) Mahals, and estates of disqualified landholders, and the examination of the accounts of the persons in charge of them. August 29.
6699. Letter to Collector of Chittagong, with copy of a letter and enclosures from the Sub-Secretary to Government, directing him to report on the increased cultivation stated by the Salt Agent at Chittagong, of such of the lands as are situated in his District. August 11.
6700. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, with account sales of lands disposed of on the 30th ultimo. August 1.
6701. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, in reply to orders, stating that the Zamíndár's lands were disposed of without any written demand having been issued to him. August 1.
6702. Letter to Collector of Dinájpur, transmitting extract of a letter from the Governor-General in Council, annulling the sale of lands irregularly made by the Collector, without having demanded the revenue in the necessary form, with directions to furnish further information on the subject for final orders. August 15.
6703. Letter to Collector of Dinájpur, transmitting copy of Mr. Christie's grant for the lands of Pargána Apail, held by him ; with directions to call upon Mr. Henckell for the payment of the public revenue from March 1796, should it not have been already paid. August 22.
6704. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, transmitting copy of a petition from Rájá Rádhá Náth praying that the sale of his lands may be postponed until the rent (Jamá) of the lands that were held by Mr. Christie at Apail is adjusted. August 29 ; No. 41.
6705. Letter from Collector of Dacca, reporting having issued the

- publication directed in the orders of the 7th instant, prohibiting the manufacture of opium in Bengal. August 1; No. 14.
6706. Letter from Collector of Dacca, forwarding a petition from the Nawáb Nasrat Jang, notifying the death of one of the Nizámat pensioners, and petitions from Nasadullá and the mother of the deceased, praying for a continuance of the allowance. August 1; No. 24.
6707. Letter to Collector of Dacca in reply, directing him to report more particularly respecting the descendants and relatives of the deceased Fatimá Khánam. August 1.
6708. Letter to Collector of Dacca, informing him, in continuation of orders of the 4th instant, that the Governor-General in Council approves the proposed sale of lands in his District for recovery of arrears of revenue. August 25.
6709. Letter from Collector of Dacca, respecting the proposed division of his District. August 25; No. 11.
6710. Letter from Mr. J. Donithorne, transmitting lists showing the rent (Jamá) of the Zilás of Dacca and Bákarganj, according to the late proposed division. August 29.
6711. Letter to Governor-General in Council, submitting the question as to whether the private conveyance made by the Zamíndár of Yusafpur of part of his estate is to operate as a bar to the sale of it by the Sheriff, etc. August 1; No. 33a.
6712. Letter to Governor-General in Council, submitting extract from the Board's proceedings on the sale of the lands of the Zamíndár of Dinájpur, without adhering to the usual forms. August 1; No. 39.
6713. Letter to Governor-General in Council, with an abstract statement of the lands in the Bengal Mahals (with the exception of those in Dacca and Jessor) which were exposed for sale in 1202, Bengal era. August 1; No. 2.
6714. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Dacca on 9th September on account of arrears. August 1; No. 18.
6715. Letter to Governor-General in Council, with copy of a letter from the Collector of Behar, recommending that he be authorized to give the proprietors of unsaleable lands ordered to be bought in on account of Government, credit for the amount of arrears due from them, and charge it as the amount of purchase. August 1; No. 27.

6716. Letter to Governor-General in Council, with copy of a letter from the Collector of Behar, requesting instructions as to the continuance of the Jágir of the late Rájá Jodh Rám to his widow and family. August 1; No. 34.
6717. Letter to Governor-General in Council, soliciting attention to the Board's reference of 5th September 1793 respecting the adjustment of salt-land (Khálári) rents claimed by the Zamíndár of Yusafpur, as the decision thereon will facilitate the adjustment of the general accounts of demands, receipts, and balances of salt-land (Khálári) rents. August 1; No. 40.
6718. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting copy of proposals tendered for farming the Government (khás) Mahals in Jessor from the year 1204 Bengal era, with remarks and recommendations thereon. August 1; No. 43.
6719. Letter to Governor-General in Council, reporting on the nature of Andulbáriá tenures, as directed in the orders of Government of the 21st ultimo. August 8; No. 16.
6720. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting authority for the proposed sale of lands in Murshidábád for recovery of arrears of revenue due from the late Rájá Rám Krishna in Nadiyá, on account of 1202 Bengal era. August 8; No. 31.
6721. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving sales of lands in Sháhábád and the 24 Parganá's for arrears of revenue; approving instructions proposed to be issued to the Collector of Sháhábád with regard to farming the lands. August 11; No. 62.
6722. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting copy of a letter and enclosures from the Collector of Benares regarding proposed Mukarrarí grant of Táluk Badlápúr, with the Board's opinion thereon. August 15; No. 20.
6723. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting statements of demands, receipts, and balances of the land revenue of Bengal, Behar, Orissa, and Benares, for 1203-4 or 1796-7, and a statement of the gross and net revenue furnished by the Accountant, with the Board's opinion thereon. August 15; No. 22.
6724. Letter to Governor-General in Council, regarding lands assigned to invalid Sepoys in Sháhábád, on account of losses sustained by them, and recommending that the statement be confirmed. August 15; No. 48.

6725. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Maimansinh, advertised to be sold on 21st September. August 15; No. 56.
6726. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing sale of lands in Behar, Midnapur, Sâran, and Tirhut for the recovery of arrears of revenue; annulling the sale of lands irregularly made by the Collector of Dinâjpur; approving propositions respecting lands in Behar purchased on account of Government; approving of propositions regarding the settlement of Government (khâs) lands ordered for sale in 1202 Bengal era and 1203 Fasli era. August 15; No. 58a.
6727. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting Settlement Account of Sarhât and Deoghar, concluded by the Collector of Bîrbhûm. August 18; No. 21.
6728. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting copy of a letter and enclosures from the Agent at Hijili regarding the losses alleged to be sustained by the Farmer and Zamîndâr of Sujâmutâ, from their lands having been cut up in repairing embankments, and recommending that an inquiry be made into the losses. August 18; No. 26.
6729. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting the annual abstract statement of lands advertised for sale in the Fasli Mahals in the year 1203 F.S. August 18; No. 36.
6730. Letters to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Bhâgalpur, Dinâjpur, Purniah, and Shâhâbâd. August 18; Nos. 33, 35, and 45.
6731. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending that the arrears due from certain Mahals disposed of be written off as irrecoverable. August 25; No. 25.
6732. Letter from Governor-General in Council, forwarding instructions on the Benares cause between Government and Mirzâ Ghulâm Husain Khân, late Tahsildâr of Zamâniâ, and directing that it be carried in appeal to the Sadr Diwânî Adâlat; authorizing proposed sale of lands in Nadiwâ, Maimansinh, Tipperah, Purniah, Midnapur, and Benares. August 29; No. 12.
6733. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting extract of proceedings regarding the Zamîndâr of Dinâjpur's claim to the revenue of lands lately held by Mr. Christie, with the Board's observations and opinions thereon. August 29; No. 49.

6734. Letter to Governor-General in Council, on the proposed division of the Dacca District. August 29; No. 50.
6735. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting authority for sale of lands in Murshidábád and Tirhut. August 29; No. 56.
6736. Letter from Mr. George Hatch, dissenting from the Acting President's proposition with respect to demanding the arrears of revenue due from the lands granted to Mr. Christie in Dinájpur. August 22.
6737. Minute by Mr. George Hatch, on the claim preferred by the Zamíndár of Dinájpur to the revenue of the lands lately held by Mr. Christie at Apail. August 29; No. 46.
6738. Letter from Collector of Jessor, informing of the transfer of Yusafpur in the names of the minor sons of Rájá Sríkánt Rái and of Gopináth Rái, and of the transfer of the estate to them. August 1; No. 13. Instructions to, thereon.
6739. Letter from Collector of Jessor, with account sales of lands disposed of on the 7th ultimo. August 1; No. 23. Approved.
6740. Letter from Collector of Jessor, transmitting proposals tendered for farming the Government (khás) Mahals from the year 1204 B.S., with his remarks thereon. August 4; No. 41.
6741. Letter to Collector of Jessor, approving of his propositions regarding the Settlement of the Government (khás) lands. August 15.
6742. Letter from Collector of Jessor, submitting a question regarding the apportioning of the rent (Jamá) on lands that may be separated. August 18; No. 38. Instructions forwarded.
6743. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, requesting authority for demanding rent for any unoccupied rent-paying (Málguzárl) land in the town of Midnapur. August 1; No. 23.
6744. Letter to Collector of Midnapur in reply, approving of his collecting the ground rent above alluded to with the arrears, and directing him, should any part of the ground be situated within the Zamíndárl of the Rání, to credit her estate with the amount of receipts from it. August 1.
6745. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, respecting sale of lands in his District disposed of at the Presidency on the 27th ultimo. August 8.
6746. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, conveying authority of Government for sale of lands advertised on the 28th ultimo. August 15.
6747. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, transmitting proposals of

- defaulters in confinement for liquidating the arrears of revenue due from them. August 22; No. 26.
6748. Letter to Collector of Midnapur in reply, requesting him to report whether the sureties for the defaulters will bind themselves for the discharge of the revenues in future. August 22.
6749. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, submitting a statement of lands in Chaklá Rájsháhl, for the liquidation of arrears of revenue due from the late Rájá Rám Krishna in Nadiyá, on account of arrears of 1202. August 8; No. 30. Approved.
6750. Letter to Collector of Maimansinh, communicating authority of Government for sale of lands. August 29.
6751. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, informing him of the appropriation of the proceeds of the sale of the Zamindár's lands. August 1.
6752. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, stating that the purchaser of 8 annas or one-half share of Andulbáriá does not seem averse to resigning the lands, but will expect a compensation, and requesting further instructions regarding the nature of the compensation to be awarded him. August 4; No. 25.
6753. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá in reply, directing him to adjust and report the amount of the compensation to be awarded. August 4.
6754. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, stating the difficulty experienced in collecting the revenues of the independent Tálukdárs, and suggesting that he be allowed to attach their lands immediately after payment has been demanded. August 8; No. 9. Instructions forwarded.
6755. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, regarding the nature of the grant made by the late Zamindár of Rájsháhl to Kásirám Chakrabarti, the occupant of Taraf Andulbáriá. August 8.
6756. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, transmitting him an account sale of lands of Rájá Iswar Chánd Rái, disposed of at the Presidency on the 29th ultimo, and containing instructions regarding the appropriation of the proceeds; also on a further sale ordered to take place on the 19th instant. August 11.
6757. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, transmitting copy of a petition from several Tálukdárs in excuse for their being behind-hand in the payment of their revenues, and stating that he has informed them that, in case they neglect to liquidate the demands of Government, he will proceed against them. August 25; No. 33.

6768. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá in reply, approving of his reply to the Tálukdárs, and directing him to refer them to the Court (Adálat) for the redress of their grievances. August 25.
6759. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, reporting on disturbances in Rájpur. August 29; No. 14.
6760. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, transmitting account sales of Rájá Iswar Chánd Rái's lands, disposed of at the Présidency on the 19th instant, with instructions regarding the appropriation of the proceeds, and directing him to select other Mahals for the recovery of the arrears still due from the Rájá. August 29.
6761. Letter to Collector of the 24 Parganás, informing him that the Governor-General in Council approves of the sale of lands advertised on the 14th ultimo. August 11.
6762. Letter from Collector of Purniah, requesting to be informed whether the orders of Government prohibiting the cultivation of the poppy plant are intended to be extended to the Fasli portion of his District. August 1; No. 8.
6763. Letter from Collector of Purniah, reporting the complete realization of the revenues of the Fasli portion of his District for 1204. August 22; No. 11.
6764. Letter to Collector of Purniah, communicating the authority of Government for sale of lands. August 29.
6765. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, recommending measures to be adopted for the recovery of balances of revenue due from the Zamíndár of Nágpur. August 15. Rejected.
6766. Letter to Collector of Rangpur, communicating authority of Government for sale of lands in his District. August — (*blank*).
6767. Letter from Secretary to Government, stating the Districts to which the cultivation of poppy was intended to be confined, and requesting information regarding the quality and usual quantity of opium cultivated in the Bhágalpur District adjacent to Behar, and also the average rent paid for ground on which the poppy is cultivated. August 11; No. 42.
6768. Letter from Secretary to Government, with copy of letter and enclosures from the Board of Trade, containing instructions issued by the Salt Agent at Chittagong regarding the apprehended diminution in the manufacture of salt in Bhulua. August 11; Nos. 47, 48, and 49.
6769. Letter from Secretary to Government, with copy of a letter and enclosures from the Board of Trade, representing the impedi-

- ments in procuring the Lakhmipur Investments on account of the delay in issuing advances to the manufacturers, and directing that the necessary measures be taken for supplying the Resident at Lakhmipur with the sum required by him for that purpose. August 11; No. 50.
6770. Letter to Collector of Sháhábád, approving of proposed sale of lands advertised on 14th ultimo. August 11.
6771. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, stating that the Farm of Dum-duma, the lease of which has been declared forfeited to Government, is over-assessed, and reporting on the Settlement of certain Government (khás) lands. August 29.
6772. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, transmitting account sale of lands disposed of on the 5th instant. August 29; No. 37. Approved.
6773. Letter from Collector of Sárkár Sárán, transmitting copy of a petition from Ghamu Sinh, a landholder in Kasmár, claiming deductions from the Jamá of his lands on account of damage sustained by inundation. August 4; Nos. 37 and 38. Refused.
6774. Letter to Collector of Sárkár Sárán, informing him that the Governor-General in Council approves of the sale of lands advertised on the 21st ultimo. August 11.
6775. Letter from Collector of Silhet, in reply to orders respecting the amount usually paid by landholders on account of embankment (Pulbandí) repairs. August 15; No. 4.
6776. Letter to Collector of Silhet, directing him to submit a statement of the actual expense incurred in repairing the embankments. August 15.
6777. Extract from the proceedings of the Sadr Díwání Adálat, on a representation of Amír-ud-dín, legal agent (Vakíl) of Government, on the part of the Board of Revenue, respecting purchase of lands in Dacca. August 25; No. 30.
6778. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, informing of the Fájá of Tipperah having paid up his arrears previous to the day fixed for the sale of his lands. August 1; No. 15.
6779. Letter to Collector of Tipperah, communicating the authority of Government for sale of lands in his District. August 1.
6780. Letter to Collector of Tirhut, communicating the authority of Government for sale of lands advertised on the 28th ultimo. August 15.
6781. Letters (8) from Sub-Treasurer, stating payments made into the

- General Treasury on account of lands in Nadiyá, lately the property of Rájá Iswar Chánd Rái, disposed of at the Presidency for arrears of revenue. August 1, 11, and 29; Nos. 41 to 48.
6782. Letter from Mr. D. Vanderheyden, agreeing to proposition of the Acting President with respect to demanding the payment of arrears of revenue due from the lands granted to Mr. Christie in Dinájpur. August 22.
6783. Letter from Mr. Vanderheyden, with his opinion regarding the Zamíndár of Dinájpur's claims to the revenue of lands lately held by Mr. Christie. August 29.
6784. Letter from Agent at Hijili, transmitting petition from the Farmer and the Zamíndár of Sujámutrá, claiming deductions on account of their cultivated lands being cut up to make the repairs of the embankments. August 18; No. 24.

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6785. Petition from Rámkánt Bhattáchárjya, claiming an annual charity granted him by Rání Bhabání for defraying school expenses, and stated to be payable by the Collector of Murshidábád. September 29; No. 28.
6786. Letter to Collector of Behar, with instructions regarding Takávi advances on account of 1199, 1200, 1201, 1202, and 1203, and requiring a report thereon. September 5.
6787. Letter to Collector of Behar, with instructions respecting the disposal of lands held under Government management (khás) in his District. September 5.
6788. Letter to Collector of Behar, informing him that Government authorize the continuance of the Jágir of the late Rájá Jodh Rám to his widow for life. September 5.
6789. Letter to Collector of Behar, communicating authority of Government for writing off Takávi balances in his District. September 29.
6790. Letters from Collector of Bírbehúm, requesting orders on proposals tendered for farming the resumed Thánádárl lands for the year 1204. September 22; Nos. 39, 40, and 41. Proposals approved of.
6791. Letter to Collector of Behar, stating that Government has authorized the grant of Badlápúr as a Mukarrarí to Sio Lál Dobe at the proposed rent (Jamá). September 5.

6792. Letter from Collector of Bhágálpur, reporting on the quality of the opium produced in the Mahals contiguous to Behar, and stating that the rayats are preparing their grounds for cultivation. September 5 ; No. 38.
6793. Letter to Collector of Bhágálpur, communicating authority of Government for the sale of lands. September 5.
6794. Letter to Collector of Bhágálpur, communicating the resolutions of Government respecting provision of opium. September 15.
6795. Letter from Mr. John Buller, concurring in the sentiments expressed in Mr. Vanderheyden's minute of this date, on the claim of the Zamíndár of Dinájpur to the revenue of the lands lately held by Mr. Christie. September 29.
6796. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, with account sales of Nazrán lands on account of arrears of 1203. September 5 ; No. 45. Approved.
6797. Letter to Collector of Chittagong, communicating authority for disposal of lands in his District advertised for sale. September 29.
6798. Letter to Collector of Dacca, conveying sanction for sale of lands. September 5.
6799. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, with copy of a precept from the Zilá Court, directing the division of Brahmottar lands belonging to Debia and Krishna Maitra, and reporting having deputed an Amín for the purpose. September 1 ; No. 11.
6800. Letter to Collector of Dinájpur in reply, directing him to move the Court to withdraw the precept, the lands not coming under Regulation 25 of 1793. September 1.
6801. Letter to Collector of Dinájpur, conveying sanction of Government for the sale and attachment of lands. September 5.
6802. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, reporting on the payments made by Mr. Henckell on account of revenue due from him from March 1796 to August 1797. September 26.
6803. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale and attachment of lands in Nadiyá. September 1 ; No. 41.
6804. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving of propositions respecting the disposal of the Government (khás) lands in Behar ; expressing surprise at the deficiency in the miscellaneous (Sáyer) collections of the past year 1795-6, and requiring an explanation on the subject ; authorizing the grant of Táluk Badlápúr to Sio Lál Dobe at the proposed rent (Jamá), as a reward for his services ; approving of proceedings

- of the Collector of Sháhábád with respect to the further assignment of lands to the invalid Sepoys. September 5 ; No. 53.
6805. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving of proposed sale of lands in Purniah, Sháhábád, Bhágalpur, Dinájpur, Hijili, and Dacca. September 5 ; No. 54.
6806. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands of the Rájá of Nadiyá. September 12 ; No. 38.
6807. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sales of lands in Rájsháhí and Sáran ; confirming the Settlement of the Government (khás) Mahals as proposed by the Collector of Sháhábád ; transmitting opinion of the Advocate General respecting the sale of Yusafpur lands by the Sheriff, with instructions thereon. September 12 ; No. 39.
6808. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting authority for sale of lands in Chittagong for recovery of balances of revenue for 1203. September 15 ; No. 12.
6809. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Murshidábád, Maimansinh, Tirhut, and Rájsháhí. September 15.
6810. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting copy of proceedings on the revenue account for the ensuing year (Hál Tauji) of the Bengal and Fasli Mahals for 1204. September 22 ; No. 8.
6811. Letter to Governor-General in Council, respecting establishments for making the settlement of Chunákháli and Henckellganj in Jessor. September 22.
6812. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Tipperah. September 22 ; No. 44.
6813. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting copy of a letter from the Collector of Nadiyá, and of a petition respecting the carrying off the idol (Thákur) from the Temple of Agradwip, and pointing out the misconduct of the Zamindár of Nadiyá in the transaction. September 26 ; No. 36.
6814. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sale of lands in Chittagong, Nadiyá, Murshidábád, Maimansinh, Tirhut, and Rájsháhí. September 29 ; No. 29.
6815. Letter from Mr. G. Hatch, regarding the claim of the Rájá of Dinájpur to the revenue of the lands lately held by Mr. Christie. September 1 ; No. 39.
6816. Letter to Agent at Hijili, directing him to make inquiries into

- the losses sustained by the Zamindár of Sujámutá. September 5.
6817. Letter to Agent at Hijili, conveying him sanction of Government for the sale of lands in his District. September 5.
6818. Letter to Collector of Maimansinh, communicating authority of Government for disposal of lands in his District advertised for sale. September 29.
6819. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, directing him to furnish a detailed report respecting the Takávi balances in 1199. September 5.
6820. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, transmitting account sales of lands disposed of. September 19; No. 10. Approved.
6821. Letter to Collector of Murshidábád, directing him to report respecting the recovery of the Takávi arrears from Chaklá Nij Rájsháhi, and the mode of realizing any balance that may remain outstanding on that account. September 5.
6822. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, enclosing accounts relating to the division of Taraf Barhampur. September 15; No. 20. Approved.
6823. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, in reply to orders of 22d ultimo, stating that the cause of the petitioner's complaint was the Zamindár having carried away the idol (Thákur) from the Temple at Agradwip. October 1; No. 12.
6824. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, forwarding petition from Rájá Iswar Chánd, praying for the payment of his monthly allowance (Musháhará), in order to enable him to prevent a sale of his lands for debt. September 5; No. 28.
6825. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá in reply, directing him to pay the Rájá any surplus collections, and to inform him that his claim to monthly allowance (Musháhará) is inadmissible. September 5.
6826. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, reporting that the purchaser of Belgáon has refused to receive possession until the idol (Thákur) shall be replaced in the Temple of Agradwip. September 5.
6827. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, informing him that Government confirm the compromise made by him with the purchaser of Andulbárá, and regarding the mode of writing off the amount. September 5.
6828. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, reporting payment made into

- the Treasury by the Zamíndár on account of balances of 1203. September 19; No. 1.
6829. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, directing him to release the whole of the Zamíndár's lands from attachment. September 19.
6830. Minutes by the Acting President, on the claim of the Rájá of Dinájpur to the revenue of the lands lately held by Mr. Christie. September 1, No. 38; and September 29, No. 31.
6831. Letter to Collector of Purniah, transmitting instructions for making inquiries respecting losses sustained by encroachments of the river. September 5.
6832. Letter to Collector of Rájsháhí, communicating authority of Government for disposal of lands advertised for sale for the recovery of arrears of revenue. September 11.
6833. Letter to the Judge of Rájsháhí, reporting the amount realized from the sale of the late Rájá Rám Krishna's lands, disposed of at the Presidency on the 14th instant, and directing him to state the amount still due on the decree passed against the late Rájá. September 22.
6834. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, reporting payment by the Zamíndár of Nágpur on account of the arrears of 1204 Faslí. September 1; No. 17.
6835. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, respecting apprehended scarcity in consequence of the uncommon drought; suggesting measures to guard against the imposition of the grain merchants, and for the storing of a large quantity of paddy. September 19; Nos. 14-15.
6836. Letter from Secretary to Government, stating that the Governor-General in Council has been pleased to resolve that the cultivation of opium shall be continued in the Behar portion of Bhágálpur. September 15; No. 1.
6837. Letter from Collector of Silhet, stating that the landholders who have brought the lands into cultivation formerly held by the Khásiás, are desirous of entering into engagements for the settlement thereof. September 26; No. 12.
6838. Letter to Collector of Silhet in reply, directing him to state whether the measures proposed to be adopted by him for the settlement of the above lands are not open to objection. September 26.
6839. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, with a report on the irrecoverable balances, and recommending that the defaulters be

released from confinement. September 8; No. 38. Agreed to. September 22.

6840. Letter from Collector of Sarkár Sárán, submitting account sales of lands on account of arrears of revenue. September 5; No. 42. Approved.

6841. Letter to Collector of Sarkár Sárán, communicating the authority of Government for disposal of lands in his District, advertised for sale on account of arrears. September 12.

6842. Minutes by Mr. D. Vanderheyden, stating that he does not accede to any of the sentiments contained in the Acting President's minute respecting the claims of the Zamíndár of Dinájpúr to the revenue of the lands lately held by Mr. Christie, and delivering his own opinions on the subject. September — and September 29; No. 30.

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6843. Letter from Collector of Behar, transmitting copy of a petition from Muhammad Rezá Khán, requesting to be allowed to relinquish his lease of the village Kulti in Parganá Hávil Behar. October 3; No. 18.

6844. Letter to Collector of Behar in reply, informing him the Board does not think proper to comply with Muhammad Rezá Khán's application to be released from the engagements entered into by him. October 3.

6845. Letter to Collector of Behar, forwarding him a sample of Sumatra upland paddy, furnished by Dr. Roxburgh, to be tried in cultivation. October 13. Ditto to other Collectors.

6846. Letter to Collector of Bhágalpúr, communicating orders of Government respecting the Mukarrarí of the late Bahádúr Beg Khán. October 10.

6847. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpúr, transmitting account sale of lands disposed of on the 5th instant. October 17; No. 11. Approved.

6848. Letter from Collector of Bírbehúm, transmitting annual abstract of the gross assessment collection and balance (Jamá Wásil Báki) of, Tappá, Sarhát, and Deoghar, for 1203. October 10. Approved.

6849. Letter to Collector of Bírbehúm, approving of the Settlement

- concluded by him, of Tappá, Sarhát, and Deoghar. October 27.
6850. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, transmitting general account statement (Jamá Wásil Báki) of Mandalghát for 1203. October 6; No. 6.
6851. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, transmitting a further statement of expenses incurred on the Zamindári embankments; with information respecting the provision made for the discharge thereof. October 31; No. 18.
6852. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, directing him to transmit a statement of the receipts and disbursements of the Mahál held in attachment by him, made up to the period of their delivery over to the Rání; also a statement of the advances that will be required for the repair of the embankments by his own officers, provided the Rání does not pay early attention to his orders. October 31.
6853. Letter from Collector of Benares, reporting having communicated to the Tahsildár of Badlápúr the sense entertained by Government of his conduct; and reporting having made the permanent (Mukarrari) grant of the Táluk to him and to his posterity. October 10; No. 30.
6854. Letter from Commissioner of Kuch Behar, stating the amount of Náráyaní rupees in his treasury, and suggesting their being disposed of at a lower rate. October 10; No. 21.
6855. Letter to Commissioner of Kuch Behar, directing him to conform to the instructions issued by the Accountant respecting the sale of the Náráyaní rupees. October 10.
6856. Letter to Governor-General in Council, reporting the expense incurred in repairing the embankments (Bándhs) in Sáran in 1203, 1204, and 1205, with remarks thereon. October 3; No. 9.
6857. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sale of lands in Dacca, Midnapur, Sháhábád, and Tipperah; and directing that the Collector of Jessor be instructed to put the purchasers at the Sheriff's sales in possession of the lands of the Zamindár of Yusafpur. October 6; No. 3.
6858. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving of propositions respecting the permanent holding (Mukarrari) of the late Bahádúr Beg Khán in Bhágalpur; and authorizing the sale of lands in Dinájpúr, Purniah, and Sáran, for recovery of arrears of assessment. October 10; No. 46.

6859. Letter from Governor-General in Council, with orders regarding the lands held under the grant of Mr. Christie in Dinájpur, and the claims of the Zamíndár on account thereof. October 20; No. 1.
6860. Letter to Governor-General in Council, regarding the expense incurred in repairing the embankments at Khitá in Silhet, in 1796 and 1797. October 20; No. 12a.
6861. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction to sale of lands in Behar and Tirhut. October 24; No. 21.
6862. Letter to Collector of Darca, communicating authority of Government for sale of lands. October 6.
6863. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, requesting orders regarding the deed of gift made by Rání Padmamukhi, widow of the late Rájá Kírtti Náth, of her rent-free (Lákhiráj) landed property and Sáyer compensation, for defraying the expenses of. Krishna Jí Thákur. October 3.
6864. Letter to Collector of Dinájpur, transmitting extract of a letter from Government, containing instructions respecting adjustment ordered to be made with the Zamíndár of Dinájpur, on account of the lands held under the grant to Mr. Christie. October 20.
6865. Letter from Agent at Hijili, stating that the apprehended failure of the crops has been removed by the fall of rain. October 10; No. 3.
6866. Letter to Collector of Jessor, communicating authority of Government for attaching Parganá Belani. October 6.
6867. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, communicating authority of Government for sale of lands. October 6.
6868. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, transmitting a statement of balances due from the Rájsháhi estate on account of the balance of instalment for 1198, and the arrears outstanding in Nadiyá after giving the late Zamíndár credit for the surplus proceeds of the lands sold in satisfaction of the decree in favour of Jogeswar Mustafi, and for the surplus proceeds of lands sold for arrears due on account of Nij Chaklá Rájsháhi for 1202. October 31.
6869. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, requesting him to report whether the Zamíndár derived any benefit or revenue from the idol (Thákur) of Parganá Belgáon. October 20.
6870. Letter from the Collector of Purniah, transmitting an application

from Mr. John Kellie to hold ground for manufacturing indigo.
October 6 ; No. 21.

6871. Letter to Collector of Purniah, directing him to submit to the Board Mr. Kellie's licence to reside in the country ; and to ascertain if the lease (Pattá) has been granted him, with the consent of the proprietor of the lands. October 6.
6872. Letter to Collector of Purniah, communicating authority of Government for sale of lands. October 10.
6873. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, stating payments made by the Zamíndár of Nágpur on account of his balances. October 10 ; No. 2.
6874. Letter from Collector of Rámgarh, reporting on the apprehended failure of the crops on account of drought. October 13 ; No. 6.
6875. Letter to Collector of Rámgarh in reply, with instructions, and directions to send in a report of the state of the District from time to time. October 13.
6876. Letter from Sub-Secretary to Government, confirming the decree passed by the Judge of Jaunpur, adjudging the forfeiture of Dálganjan Sinh's lands to Government. October 20 ; No. 15.
6877. Letter from Sub-Secretary to Government, transmitting correspondence of the Government with the Commissioner of Kuch Behar, respecting the Settlement for the present year of the independent territories of the Rájá, and a copy of the resolutions of Government thereon. October 24 ; No. 2.
6878. Letter to Collector of Sháhábád, communicating authority of Government for sale of lands, and their eventual purchase on account of Government. October 6.
6879. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, reporting on the apprehensions of drought in his District, and of his having made Takávi advances for digging wells in Chainpur and Sasserám. October 27 ; No. 19.
6880. Letter to Collector of Sháhábád in reply, approving of having made the advances reported above, and directing him to report the state of his District from time to time. October 27.
6881. Letter from Collector of Sáran, in reply to orders regarding the repair of embankments (Pulbandí) in his District. October 3 ; No. 8.
6882. Letter to Collector of Sáran, communicating the authority of Government for sale of lands. October 10.
6883. Letter from Collector of Silhet, in reply to orders relative to

charging the Zamíndárs with the expense of embankment (Pul-bandí) repairs. October 20; No. 12.

6884. Letter to Collector of Tipperah, communicating authority of Government for sale of lands. October 6.
6885. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, in reply to orders regarding *Mukávi* advances. October 6; No. 4.
6886. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, transmitting accounts relative to the late Mukarrari of Mir Zulfikar Ali. October 13; No. 33.
6887. Letter to Collector of Tirhut in reply, containing instructions on the above, and on the proposed Settlement of the Mukarrari. October 13.

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6888. Petition from Pratáp Sinh, respecting Parganá Bhaglí, some time since resumed, and praying that the Collector of Benares be directed to relinquish the same. November 3; No. 26.
6889. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpur, reporting his ineffectual endeavours to dispose of Rangpur, etc., and of having called upon the defaulters to deliver themselves up, as well as to the resistance made by the inhabitants of Rangpur. November 3; No. 3.
6890. Letter to Collector of Bhágalpur, directing him to put the collections of the above lands under charge of the attaching officers, and to take security for the appearance of the defaulters. November 3.
6891. Letter to Collector of Bhágalpur, conveying sanction of Government for a sale of lands. November 14.
6892. Letter from Collector of Behar, submitting a statement of lands of the heirs of Rájá Kheláram for sale in discharge of his bond. November 3; No. 17. Approved.
6893. Letter to Collector of Behar, conveying sanction of Government for sale of lands on account of arrears of revenue. November 10.
6894. Letter from Acting Judge of Behar, with copy and abstract of a decree respecting the proprietary right to lands. November 17; No. 2.
6895. Letter to Collector of Behar, transmitting him extract from the orders of Government, directing that the heirs of Rájá Kheláram

- be called on for payment of the debt due by him, with further instructions on the subject. November 21.
6896. Letter to Collector of Benares, transmitting him for report, copy of a petition from Pratáp Sinh respecting the resumed Parganá Bhaglí. November 3.
6897. Letter from Collector of Benares, in reply to orders recommending that forfeited lands be sold by public auction. November 10; No. 39.
6898. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, directing him to furnish information respecting possession given to purchasers at Sheriff's sales of lands, including rent-free and rent-paying (Málguzári) lands. November 10.
6899. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, forwarding copy and translation of a petition from Rájá Chaitan Sinh, praying that an allowance be granted him for the subsistence of his family. November 14; No. 17.
6900. Letter to Collector of Chittagong, conveying sanction of Government for sale of lands. November 14.
6901. Letter from Collector of Chittagong, reporting the effects of a violent storm at his station. November 28; No. 23.
6902. Letter from Collector of Dacca, transmitting a letter and enclosures from Nawáb Nasrat Jang respecting the claim of Rájá Khánam to the pension of the late Sukiná Begam. November 10; No. 20.
6903. Letter to Collector of Dacca, conveying sanction of Government for the sale and attachment of lands. November 14.
6904. Letter to Governor-General in Council, reporting having advertised for sale lands belonging to the heirs of the late Rájá Khelárám in discharge of his bond, and stating the period the claim has been standing. November 3; No. 18.
6905. Letter from the Governor-General in Council, approving the proposition for postponing the Permanent Settlement of the Mukarrarí of Mír Zulfikar Ali till the end of the year 1205, and authorizing proposed sale of lands in the 24 Parganá. November 7; No. 41.
6906. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending that an allowance for subsistence be granted to Rájá Chaitan Sinh. November 14; No. 8.
6907. Letter to Governor-General in Council, respecting the contested village of Gopálnagar in Bardwán, and requesting that a daily

- fine be levied on the Rání until she delivers up the papers required. November 14; No. 26.
6908. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sale of lands in Bhágalpur, Dacca, Purniah, the 24 Parganá, Chittagong, and Sárán. November 14; No. 37.
6909. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting copy of papers regarding Rájá Mitrajit Sinh, and reporting the groundless nature of the Rájá's claim to compensation. November 17; No. 31.
6910. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Midnapur, Murshidábád, Maimansinh, Tipperah, and the 24 Parganá. November 21; No. 35.
6911. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving propositions respecting the Settlement of Bansikundá in Silhet; authorizing sale of lands in Rangpur, 24 Parganá, Sháhábául, and Maimansinh; and directing that the purchasers of Parganá Belgáon be referred to the Courts of Justice for redress, respecting their claim to the idol taken by the Zamíndár of Nadiyá. November 21; No. 39.
6912. Letter to Governor-General in Council, with propositions respecting the principle of allotting the rent (Jamá) on the estate of the Zamíndár of Bardwán. November 24; No. 26a.
6913. Letter to Governor-General in Council, reporting the effects of a violent storm at Chittagong, and recommending that relief be granted to the sufferers. November 28; No. 24.
6914. Letter to Collector of Jessor, transmitting copy of a letter from the Sub-Secretary to Government, directing him to give immediate possession to the purchaser at the Sheriff's sale of the lands in Mahmúds háhí. November 3.
6915. Letter from Collector of Jessor, reporting the decision in favour of Government of three suits instituted by the Zamíndár of Yusafpur. November 14; No. 34.
6916. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, submitting account sales of lands disposed of on the 20th October. November 7; No. 34. Approved.
6917. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, directing him to notify the sale at the Presidency on the 15th December, of certain lands belonging to the Zamíndár of Maináchaurá, and directing him to submit a further statement of his estate for sale in discharge of the arrears due from him. November 10.

6918. Letter to Collector of Murshidábád, transmitting the authority of Government for sale of lands in Bhitariá on account of arrears of revenue. November 21.
6919. Letter from Collector of Maimansinh, with annual Jamá Kharach and Jamá Wásil Báki accounts of the Government (khás) Mahals for 1203. November 14; No. 19.
6920. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, in reply to orders, stating that the Zamindár did not derive any revenue from the idol removed from Belgáon, nor did he conceive it ever to have formed part of the Mufassal assets. November 7; No. 24.
6921. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, directing him to furnish information respecting any transfers made to purchasers at Sheriff's sales of lands the property of a Zamindár, including rent-free and rent-paying (Málguzári) lands. November 10.
6922. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, submitting general account statement (Jamá Wásil Báki) of Gajnahpúr for 1203, and reporting respecting the resources of that Parganá. November 10; No. 12.
6923. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganás, authorizing disposal of lands advertised for sale at his station. November 7.
6924. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganás, directing him to call upon Mr. Beecher for the information required by the Board's orders of 18th November 1796. November 14.
6925. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganás, transmitting copy of a petition from Nimái Charan Mallik respecting a claim to salt-land (Khálári) rents, with directions to report the mode in which those rents are adjusted. November 14.
6926. Letter from Collector of Purniah, with account sales of lands disposed of on the 7th instant. November 21; No. 17.
6927. Letter from Acting President, informing the Board of his intention to proceed to Tirhut to inspect the stud, and requesting that orders be issued to the Collectors of Behar and Benares to comply with such requisitions as he may make. November 24.
6928. Letter from Collector of Rájsháhí, transmitting account of disbursements for repairing the Lashkarpur embankments for 1197, and reporting the expenditure to be within the estimated amount. November 7; No. 26.
6929. Letter from Collector of Rájsháhí, with his report respecting recovery of arrears of Takávi balances. November 17; No. 19.
6930. Letter from Secretary to Government, with extracts from proceed-

- ings respecting land required for cavalry cantonments. November 3; No. 11.
6931. Letter from Collector of Sháhábád, reporting his apprehensions of a total failure of the crops in his District, and stating that he proposes visiting the several Parganá's in order to ascertain the probable extent of the damage. November 21; No. 13.
6932. Letter from Collector of Silhet, reporting the expiration of the contract for the remittance of the surplus revenue of his District to Dacca, and suggesting that the period of the new contract be declared to be at an end at the expiration of the year. November 7; No. 7.
6933. Letter from the Collector of Silhet, with his report respecting the resources of Parganá Bansikundá, and suggesting the expediency of letting it in farm. November 21; No. 25.
6934. Letter to Collector of Silhet in reply, transmitting instructions respecting the Settlement of Bansikurá. November 21.
6935. Letter from Collector of Silhet, reporting collusive transfers by the village accountants (Patwáris). November 24; Nos. 23-4. Referred to Regulation 1 of 1793.
6936. Letter to Collector of Sarkár Sáran, sanctioning sale of lands. November 14.
6937. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, representing the ill effects arising from certain obstacles which prevent purchasers of lands at public sales from obtaining possession of their purchases; instancing cases which recently occurred, and forwarding suggestions for the removal of the impediments complained of. November 3; No. 24.
6938. Letter to Collector of Tipperah in reply, referring him to the Regulations on the above subject,—to the 9th section of 3d Regulation of 1794 respecting attachment of lands, and to the 16th section of the 25th Regulation of 1793 respecting fines. November 3.
6939. Letter to Collector of Tirhut, sanctioning sale of lands on account of arrears of revenue. November 7.

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6940. Petition from Radhá Mohan Chaudhri, requesting to be put in possession of lands in Nadiyá purchased by him at the Presidency. December 12; No. 26.

6941. Letter to Collector of Bhágalpur, authorizing advances to Major Hutchinson on account of the recruiting service. December 5.
6942. Letter from Collector of Bhágalpur, reporting on the sale and produce of the Rusúm Zamíndárl of Rái Kripánáth for arrears of assessment of 1203. December 12; No. 28. Approved.
6943. Letter to Collector of Behar, transmitting letter from Government for his information respecting the removal of Rájá Mitrajit Sinh from the office of Tahsildár; with directions to inform the Board what arrangements he would propose to adopt for the receipt of the revenues of the lands alluded to therein, heretofore paid through the Zamíndár. December 8.
6944. Letter to Collector of Behar, communicating authority of Government for abatement from the rent (Jamá) of Mauzá Mulakí from the commencement of 1204, and for confirming the Settlement of that Mahal. December 15.
6945. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, communicating authority for sale of lands. December 1.
6946. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, communicating Government authority to make advances to Rájá Chaitan Sinh while his estate remains under attachment. December 1.
6947. Letter to Collector of Bardwán, authorizing him to levy a daily fine on the Rání until she delivers in the papers required of her. December 1.
6948. Letters from Collector of Bardwán, in reply to orders of the 17th ultimo, respecting proposed annexations and separations to and from the Bardwán and Húglí Districts. December 8, No. 18; and December 19, No. 19.
6949. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, reporting on the bad state of the embankments, and requesting orders regarding the repairs. December 19; No. 46.
6950. Letter from Collector of Bardwán, transmitting statement of Rájá Chaitan Sinh's lands to be sold for recovery of arrears of 1203. December 26; No. 24.
6951. Letter to Collector of Bardwán in reply, directing him to advertise the lands for sale at the Presidency on the 8th February. December 26.
6952. Circular Order to the Collectors of the Bengal Mahals, transmitting copy of a letter from the Sub-Secretary to Government, confirming the order for discontinuing the cultivation of poppy in the Bengal Districts, and requiring them to submit any

- claims for compensation which may be made in consequence.
December 1.
6953. Letter to Collector of Chittagong, communicating authority of Government for disposal of lands in his District advertised for sale. December 8.
6954. Letter to Collector of Chittagong, regarding relief directed to be rendered to individuals who suffered in the late storm. December 15.
6955. Letter from Collector of Chittagong, reporting the death of Lakshmí Náráyan Ghoshál, Zamíndár of Jainagar; the claims to his estate, and the measures taken by him with regard thereto. December 22; No. 32.
6956. Letter to Collector of Dacca, authorizing sale of lands in his District. December 8.
6957. Letter to Collector of Dacca, transmitting letter and enclosure from the Sub-Secretary to Government regarding the division of Dacca Jalálpur, and directing him to submit a correct list of the Mahals and rent (Jamá) included in the Districts of Dacca and Bákarganj. December 12.
6958. Letter from Collector of Dinájpur, requesting the augmentation of the guard at his Treasury, as a protection against plundering religious mendicants (Fakírs). December 15; No. 4.
6959. Letter from Judge of Gházípur, transmitting copies of decrees by which the proprietary rights of lands have been transferred. December 26; No. 6.
6960. Letter from Governor-General in Council, passing the accounts of the embankment repairs of the Nadiyá Zamíndárí and of Lashkarpur; authorizing proposed sales of lands in Nadiyá, Bardwán, Jessor, and 24 Parganás; approving proposed advance to Rájá Chaitan Sinh; authorizing proposed disbursements for the repairs of the embankments in Tamruk; and approving of the proposed daily fine on the Rání of Bardwán, etc. December 1; No. 1.
6961. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting proceedings respecting the future Settlement of 12 annas or three-fourths share of Dandrá, and 8 annas or one-half share of Allahábád. December 1; No. 20.
6962. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting letter and enclosures from the Collector of Murshidábád, regarding lands disposed of for arrears due from the late Rájá Rám Krishna,

- with observations, etc. on the precept issued by the Court of Appeal to suspend the measurement and assessment (Jamá-bandí). December 1; No. 26.
6963. Letter to Governor-General in Council, recommending sale of lands in Rájsháhí and 24 Parganá for arrears of assessment. December 1; No. 30a.
6964. Letter from Governor-General in Council, directing the Collector of Behar to remove Rájá Mitrajit Sinh from the office of Tahsildár; authorizing proposed sale of lands in Dinajpur, Midnapur, Murshidábád, Maimansinh, Tipperah, 24 Parganá, Bardwán, Dacca, Silhet, and Chittagong; and directing the Board to satisfy themselves as to the accuracy of the Collector's allotment of the rent (Jamá) on the Zamíndár of Bardwán's lands, previous to proceeding to the sale of them. December 8; No. 24.
6965. Letter to Governor-General in Council, in reply to the above, respecting the allotment of the rent (Jamá) on the Zamíndár of Bardwán's lands. December 8; No. 25.
6966. Letters to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Jessor and the 24 Parganá. December 12; Nos. 20 and 24.
6967. Letter from Governor-General in Council, approving propositions for annulling leases in Hijili; approving of propositions respecting Parganá Bansikundá in Silhet; Magistrate at Chittagong directed to take measures for the relief of the individuals who suffered by the late storm. December 15; No. 1.
6968. Letter to Governor-General in Council, transmitting proceedings regarding the division of the Bardwán District. December 19; No. 30.
6969. Letter to Governor-General in Council, regarding the neglect of the embankment repairs in Bardwán; recommending that the Collector be directed to call upon the landholders to commence the repairs, etc.; and in case of their failure, to depute an officer for that purpose. December 19; No. 47.
6970. Letter to Governor-General in Council, containing proposals respecting the disposal of the forfeited lands of Dalganjan Sinh in Benares. December 22; No. 20.
6971. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sale of lands in Nadiyá and Bhágalpur, also a portion of the

- Zamindár of Dinájpur's lands ; approving proposition for forming a general Kistbandí of Silhet. December 22 ; No. 26.
6972. Letter to Governor-General in Council, submitting proposals for the adjustment of the collections from the Jágir of the late Nawáb Muzaffar Jang, in the Districts of Tirhut and Behar. December 26 ; No. 2.
6973. Letter to Governor-General in Council, stating the result of the annual accounts of the Government (khás) Mahals in Tirhut. December 26 ; No. 4.
6974. Letter to Governor-General in Council, requesting sanction for sale of lands in Bardwán, Chittagong, and Murshidábád, for arrears of assessment. December 26 ; No. 35.
6975. Letter from Governor-General in Council, authorizing proposed sale of lands in Murshidábád, Nadiyá, and the 24 Parganás, for arrears of assessment ; authorizing the Collector of Chittagong to write off certain balances outstanding in his District ; authorizing sale of lands in Tipperah, Rámgarh, and Nadiyá ; and approving purchase of lands in Sáran on account of Government. December 20 ; No. 12.
6976. Letter to Agent at Hijili, communicating authority of Government for annulling certain leases in his District. December 15.
6977. Letter from Agent at Hijili, in reply to orders of 27th October, stating that there are no balances due from any of the Government (khás) Mahals, etc., except on account of the excise duties (Abkárí Khazáná). December 29 ; No. 13.
6978. Letter to Collector of Jessor, authorizing sale of lands. December 1.
6979. Letter from Collector of Jessor, reporting the contumacious conduct of Sanátan Datta in resisting the Amín sent to make the partition (Batwará) of Krishnapur, etc., and refusing to deliver up the papers required of him ; recommending that a daily fine be imposed on him. December 5 ; No. 34.
6980. Letter from Collector of Jessor, containing information regarding Muhammadábád, Paikháti, and Káldiharpur, required by the Board on the 31st October. December 12 ; No. 33.
6981. Letter to Collector of Jessor, communicating resolutions of the Board respecting the recovery of the balances and the Settlement of Muhammadábád. December 12.
6982. Letter from Collector of Jessor, stating that the Amín deputed to attach and assess the 9 annas or nine-sixteenth division of

- Kismat Nawará has not been able to obtain the accounts of the Mahals from the Tálukdárs, and requesting instructions how to proceed against them. December 22 ; No. 21.
6983. Letter to Collector of Jessor in reply, directing him to instruct the legal agent (Vakil) of Government to institute a prosecution in the Court (Adálat) with a view to have the above lands forfeited. December 22.
6984. Letter from Collectór of Midnapur, transmitting a petition from the Zamíndár of Tamluk praying for remission on account of encroachments of the river, and reporting that the prayer of the petitioner is undeserving attention. December 5 ; No. 16.
6985. Letter to Collector of Midnapur, communicating authority of Government for sale of lands in his District, and directing him to entertain the establishment proposed by him for attaching them. December 8.
6986. Letters from Acting Judge of Midnapur, transmitting copy of a decree regarding right of succession to rent-paying (Málguzárl) lands. December 12, No. 2 ; and December 22, No. 5.
6987. Letter from Collector of Midnapur, transmitting copy of a petition from Sumitrá Debl, widow of the late Dámodar Bhanj, soliciting that Kilá Nayábásan be restored to her management. December 29 ; No. 24.
6988. Letter from Collector of Murshidábád, transmitting precept from the Judge respecting lands sold of Mahárání Bhabání, reporting the particulars of the sale, and stating that it will affect the rights of purchasers of lands sold at public sale for arrears of assessment. December 5 ; No. 22.
6989. Letter to Collector of Murshidábád, communicating the authority of Government for the disposal of lands in his District advertised for sale. December 8.
6990. Letter to Collector of Murshidábád, transmitting extract of a letter from Government for his information and guidance regarding the object of his reference of 26th December 1796. December 22.
6991. Letter to Collector of Maimansinh, authorizing sale of lands in his District. December 8.
6992. Letter to Collector of Nadiyá, informing him that Government has passed the amount disbursed in repairing the Nadiyá Zamíndári embankments. December 1.

6993. Letters to Collector of Nadiyá, conveying sanction of Government for sale of lands. December 1, 22, and 26.
6994. Letter from Collector of Nadiyá, reminding the Board of the Zamíndár having paid his balances to the end of Kártik, for which his lands were advertised for sale. December 26; No. 5. „Sale countermanded.
6995. Letter from Collector of Purniah, transmitting copy of his correspondence with the Magistrate regarding a robbery committed at Himmatnagar. December 19; No. 39.
6996. Letter from Collector of Purniah, transmitting copy of the Amín's report on the loss sustained by the Zamíndár of a portion of Parganá Hávil Tárá, owing to encroachments of the Ganges. December 19; No. 13.
6997. Letter from Collector of Purniah, transmitting account sales of lands disposed of on the 28th ultimo. December 22; No. 11.
6998. Letter to Collector of Purniah in reply, approving of the account sales, and directing him to pay the surplus proceeds to the late proprietor. December 22.
6999. Letter to Collector of Purniah, approving of the proposed instalment periods (Sadr Kistbandí) of his District. December 22.
7000. Letter to Collector of 24 Parganás, authorizing sale of lands. December 1, 8, and 22.
7001. Letter to Collector of Rájsháhí, informing him that Government has passed the accounts of disbursements made on account of the repair of the Lashkarpur embankment's in 1203-4. December 1.
7002. Letter to Collector of Rámgarh, authorizing sale of lands for recovery of arrears of assessment. December 26.
7003. Letter from Sub-Secretary to Government, confirming the orders for discontinuing the cultivation of the poppy in the Bengal Mahals, and directing that any claims to compensation in consequence be submitted to the Governor-General in Council. December 1, No. 24.
7004. Letter from Sub-Secretary to Government, respecting the state of the crops in Sháhábád. December 5; No. 3.
7005. Letter from Sub-Secretary to Government, transmitting letter from the Dacca Provincial Court, with the orders of Government regarding the division of Dacca Jalálpur. December 12; No. 36.
7006. Letter to Collector of Sáran, transmitting orders of Government

- respecting the purchase of lands in his District on account of Government. December 26.
7007. Letter from Collector of Silhet, containing propositions for forming periods for paying instalments (Kistbandi) with the landholders of his District. December 5; No. 36.
7008. Letter to Collector of Silhet, approving of his proposition for forming a Sadr Kistbandi of his District. December 22.
7009. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, with an account of the demands and collections from the Jágir of the late Nawáb-Muzaffár Jang to the date of its attachment. December 26; No. 1.
7010. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, in reply to orders of the 23^d June upon the accounts of Government villages in his District for 1203. December 26; No. 3.
7011. Letter from Collector of Tirhut, reporting on balances due from the revenue farmers (Thikádárs), and stating that it will be necessary in many instances to annul their leases. December 26; No. 33.
7012. Letter from Agent at Tamluk, transmitting estimate of the expense for embankment repairs for the year 1204 B.S.
7013. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, reporting on the measurements and general state of Dandrá and of Illahábád, and recommending the acceptance of the terms offered by Brajáksor Rái to hold the lands in farm. December 1; No. 19. Accepted.
7014. Letter to Collector of Tipperah, authorizing disposal of lands advertised to be sold at his station. December 8.
7015. Letter from Collector of Tipperah, with copy of a petition from Asadullá Khán, Zamindár of Amrábád, claiming the monthly allowance (Musháhará) for three years, during the Government (khás) management of his Zamindári. December 12; No. 13.
7016. Letter to Collector of Tipperah in reply, directing him to state under what circumstances Parganá Amrábád was held under Government management (khás), and whether there are any arrears due to Government, or any surplus collections during that period. December 12.

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