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27th Octr Do	From Mr. Venkataroyloo Translator in the Collectors Cutcherry of Chingleput - Transmits a statement of his defence against the unjust and false accusations preferred against him by Samuel Bowie and - requests that the same may be submitted to the Most Noble the Governor in Council, who he trusts will do justice to his character which he hitherto maintains unblemished	11th Do	2	Do Nº 5	4	4
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15th Dec. 1847.	From — Referring to letter in the Secret Depart: ment dated 9th October 1847. forwards the Information on oath of S. Bowie given in the presence of Vencatarayaloo - every exertion has been made to — obtain correct and direct evidence of Vencatarayaloo's share in the transaction which led to the publication of the documents in question but from a combination many parties who are anxious for good reason to have the truth established are withheld from — coming forward to give evidence on this subject, also forwards a letter one of many anonymous productions received all anonymously at Vencatarayaloo as a principal party concerned in the abstraction, as it contains much of what Chief Magistrate has reason to believe from other sources to be correct				Letter to the Hon'ble the Bd: No 1 of 1848 No 7.		
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President and Governor -

The Most Noble the Marques of Tweeddale -

17th Decr 1847	Minute by - In reference to a Note recorded by the Honorable Mr Chamier on Secret No 38 with regard to the disreputable character of Samuel Bowie, desires to learn on what authority the Honorable Mr Chamier's Statement rests, as it appears distinctly at Variance with the Official declaration of the Chief Magistrate -	11th Jany	9	Letter to the Honble Court No 1 of 1848 No 12	59	57
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President and Governor
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Sir Henry Pottinger Bart G.C.B.

11th Octr 1848	Minute by - Circulates a dispatch received from the Government of India and proposes to hold an Extra Council at the Government House in the Fort - The Heads of Departments to be warned to be in attendance in order to dispatching Instructions without delay -	12th Octr	5	Military Dept Letter to Engr No 137 of 1848 No 11. Pages 102	125	137
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7th Do Do	Minute by - For the reasons assigned in the Minute, states that he is unable to propose Vurdarozloo Naidoo being reinstated in his late Situation as manager, but in consideration of his past good Service, recommends him for such amount of pension as the Honorable Court may be pleased to confer on him - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -	24th Do	2		139	159
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Steamer-

11th Octr 1848	From the Commander of the Honorable Company's Steamer Fire Queen – Reports his arrival in the Madras Roadstead with the Honorable Company's Steamer "Fire Queen" Vide No 5 Under President and Governor/	Military Letters Recd 5th 1137. Pages 102	12th Octr	4	— —	124	136
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