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FORT ST. DAVID CONSULTATIONS 1709.

The Consultations & Dyary of the Worsp¹¹. Gabriel Roberts Esq¹. Deputy Governour &c³. Councill of Fort St. David being their Proceedings and Transactions for the United Trade of the English Company Tradeing to the East Indies.

> Commencing the 3^d. January 1708-9 Ending the [lacuna].

Received a Generall Letter from the Honble. President & Councill of 3 Madrass dated primo Instant.

AT A CONSULTATION

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THE WORPLI. GABRIELL ROBERTS ESQ^B. DEPUTY GOVERNOUR.

EDM^p. MOUNTAGUE. MR. JOHN BERLU. MR. JOHN BRIDGES. MR. DUKE FAUNCE.

MR. RICHARD HARRISON. MR. PHILIP BAKER.

THURSDAY 6тн

Read a Generall Letter from the Honble. the President and Council of Fort St. George dated the prmo. Instant & inclosed therein copy of the 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 39, 57 & 66 Paragraphs of the Honble. the Managers letter to them per ship Litchfield which were read and strict injunction laid for a due observation thereof particularly that of all the Gentlemen Sorters, to sort strickly up to muster.

In the aforesaid Generall it is also directed that the Madapollam Yatch be forthwith calked & graved, & gott into the Road with all expedition, which the Storekeeper with the assistance of the Gunner is ordered to doe; & if possible gett her over the barr next full moon.

The Deputy Governor read his Acctt. of the Rt. Honble. United Company's Cash for the month of December which was examined & past, particulars of which are as enter'd next after this Consultation.

He also read the Mint Acc**. Coinage of Pagodas & fanams for the	year
1708 which was examin'd & past, the Rt. Honble. United Company's	Duty
thereon, with wt. seald up for Musters in Pagodas & fanams is, 121. 12.	
Out of which in thirteen papers seal'd up in Pags	26
& in nine papers fanams 90 wch. at 18 fa. per Pag	5

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— JANUARY 1708–09 —

Mr. John Bulteel being sick & gone to Madrass Mr. John Berlue brought in & read his Acc^{tts}. of Beetle, Tobacco & Ganjee of Tavenapatam for the months of Sept^z., October & November, the ballance of which being Pag^s. fa. ca.

149. 31. 5 he now pays into the R^t. Hon^{ble}. United Company's Cash.

Mr. John Berlue who in the absence of Mr. John Bulteel takes charge of the Beetle & Tobacco Custom of Tevenapatam also read his Acc^{tt}. thereof for Pags. fa. ca.

Pags. fa. ca. the month of December, & pays in on that Account 36. 35. 2.

> GABRIEL ROBERTS. EDM^D. MOUNTAGUE. JOHN BERLU. JOHN BRIDGES. RICHARD HARRISON. DUKE FAUNCE. PHILIP BAKER.

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This morning Mr. Davenport Super Cargoe of Captain W^m. Weld arrived here from Pullicherry overland, who belonged to the Morning Starr from the West Coast bound to Madrass was taken by the French ship S^t. Lewis on the 21th. December in sight of Madrass the ship being released, she came from Pullichery to an Anchor in this Road this morning.

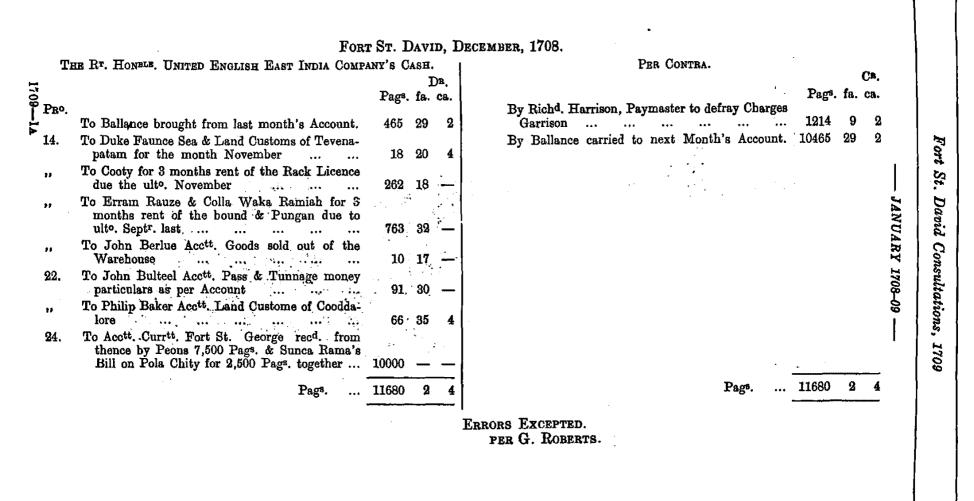
Dispatch'd a Gen^{II}. Lett^r. to the Hon^{ble}. President & Councill of Madrass dated this day.

This day came to an Anchor in Cuddolore Road John St. Pedro from Madrass belonging to [sic].

Peter Jacob & John Johnson are enter'd to serve the R^t. Hon^{ble}. United Company for three years Europians, Anthony de Praie Coffrey at Topasses pay obliged to serve for three years.

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The Maddapollam Yatch was arrived over the Barr into Cooddalore Road.



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— JANUARY 1708–09 —

AT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^{LL}. GABRIEL ROBERTS ESQ^R. DEPUTY GOVERNOUR. MR. EDMOND MOUNTAGUE. MR. JOHN BERLU.

Monday 17²¹¹.

MR. JOHN BRIDGES. MR. DUKE FAUNCE. MR. RICH^P. HARRISON.

MR. PHILIP BAKER.

Mr. Edm^d. Mountague read his Acc^{tt}. Beatle, Tobacco & Ganjee of Cuddolore for the month of December, the Ballance of which being two hundred twenty five pag^s. thirty two fanams & one Cash, which he now pays into the R^t. Hon^{ble}. United Company's Cash, said Acc^{tt}. was examined & past.

Mr. John Berlue read his Warehousekeeper's Acc^{tt}. for the month of December which was examined & past, the ballance of which being pag^s. 119. 1. 4 he now pays into the R^t. Hon^{ble}. United Company's Cash.

Mr. Philip Baker Land Customer of Coodalore reads his Acc^{tt}. thereof for the month of December which was examined & past, the Ballance whereof being Pag^s. 79. 30. 2 he now pays into the R^t. Hon^{ble}. United Company's Cash, particulars of said Acc^{tt}. is as entered next after this Consultation.

The Deputy Governor informs us that on the 10th of this month he had paid to Mr. Harrison, paymaster, eleven hundred & forty pag^s. & 16 fanams to defray Charges Garrison, which is approved off.

Mr. Duke Faunce read his Acc^{tt}. Sea & Land Customs of Tavenapatam for the month of December which was examined & past, & pays into the R^t. Hon^{blo}. United Company's Cash the ballance thereof being Pag^s. 12. 21. 4, particulars of said Acc^{tt}. is as entered next after this Consultation.

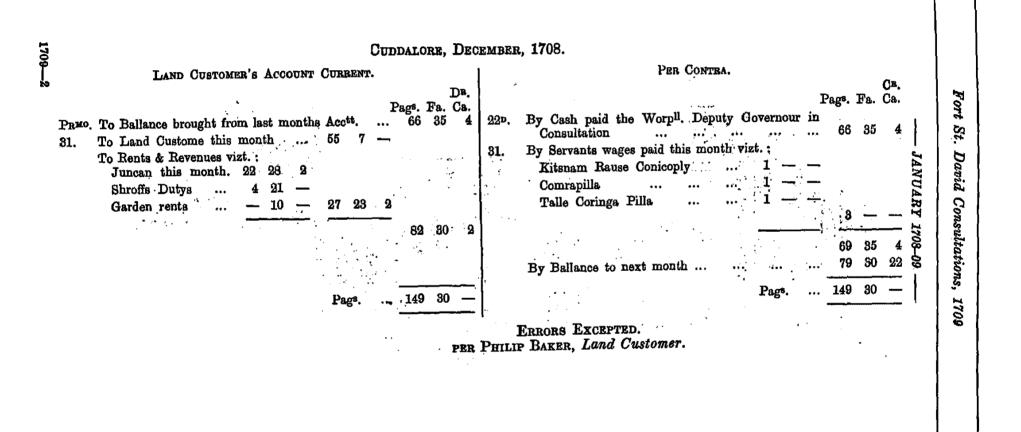
He also read his Storekeeper's Acc^{tt}. for the months of November & December which was examined & past.

A List was this day laid before us of severall stores wanting in this Garrison which was approved of & ordered to be sent the Hon^{ble}. the President & Councill of Madrass with our next Generall.

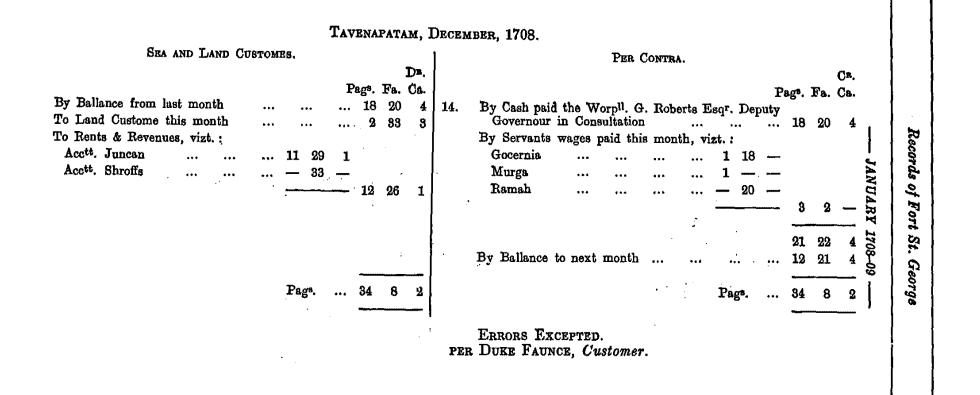
Received a Generall Letter from the Honble. President & Councill of Madrass dated the 15th Instant.

The Deputy Governour informs us that on the 10th of this month he had paid to Mr. Richard Harrison, Paymaster, eleven hundred & forty Pagodas & 16 fanams to defray Charges Garrison which is approved of.

> GABRIEL ROBERTS. EDM^D. MOUNTAGUE. JOHN BERLUE. JOHN BRIDGES. RICH^D. HARRISON. DUKE FAUNCE. PHILIP BAKER.



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AT A CONSULTATION

Present

THE WORP^{LL}. GABRIEL ROBERTS ESQ^R. DEPUTY GOVERNOR. MR. EDM^D. MOUNTAGUE. MR. JOHN BERLU

	DM ^D , MOUNTAGUE.	Mr. John Berlu.
Mr. J	OHN BRIDGES.	MR. RICH ^D , HARRISON.
MR. I	JUKE FAUNCE.	MR. PHILIP BAKEB.
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Read a Gen^{II}. Letter from the Hon^{ble}. President & Councill dated 15th Instant in which they direct we make up the Merchants Accounts of last Investment to the beginning of this month and give our Bills on them for the Ballance of all their Accounts.

Order'd that M^r. Edm^d. Mountague drawes out the Accountts accordinly [sic] and that Bills be given them pursuant to said directions.

Mr. Mountague was inform'd that pursuant to his request in his letter to the Hon^{ble}. President and Councill of Madrass he is in the abovesaid Gen¹¹. Letter permitted to lay down the Company's service.

It is also in the abovesaid Generall, Direction that we send Mr. Berlu to Madrass with all expedition also Mugana Dubash, who were this day inform'd thereof & order'd to prepare themselves to depart as soon as possible, being designed with the present from Madrass to the Great King, Shaw Allum.

Mr. Rich^d. Harrison, Paymaster, read his Paymaster's Account for the months of November & December which was examined & past particulars of which are as enter'd after this Consultation.

The rent of the Ferry Boat expireing the ult^o. November last, & the rate of paying for passing the same not being settled, it was by order of a Consultation the 2d. December last, referred to a further consideration, which being now agreed on in manner following, that all the R^t. Hon^{ble}. United Company's servants, & that servants, soldiers, Peons & others who receive monthly pay from them are excused from paying the Ferry Boat any duty, & all boats that pass with goods, or People up & down the river are also excused, & all others who doe pass on the Ferry Boat pay the accustomary passage money & that the Company pay for the repairing their boats, after which said terms, were published, declared & then put at Outcry, & Mollim being the greatest bider offering sixty four pagodas, It was agreed he have the same for two years & that the rent commence from the ult^o. November last.

Mr. John Bridges read his Account Sea Customes of Cuddalore for the month of December which was examin'd & past particulars of which are enter'd next after this Consultation & pays into the R^t. Hon^{ble}. United Company's Cash on that Account 125 pagodas.

> GABRIEL ROBERTS. EDMUND MOUNTAGUE. JOHN BERLUE. JOHN BRIDGES. RICHARD HARRISON. DUKE FAUNCE. PHILIP BAKER.

Receaved a Generall Letter from the Hon^{ble}. President & Councill of Madrass dated 15th Instant.

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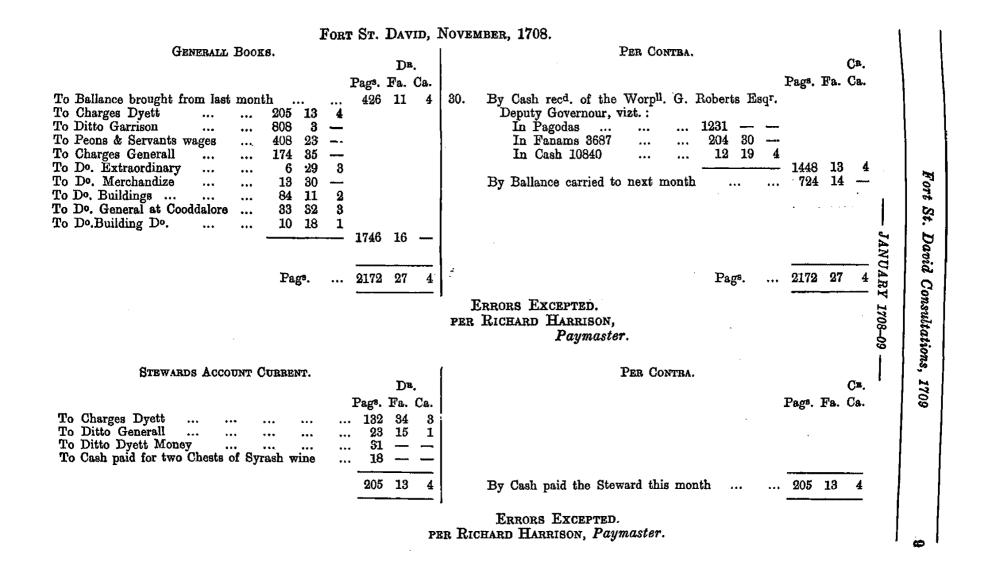
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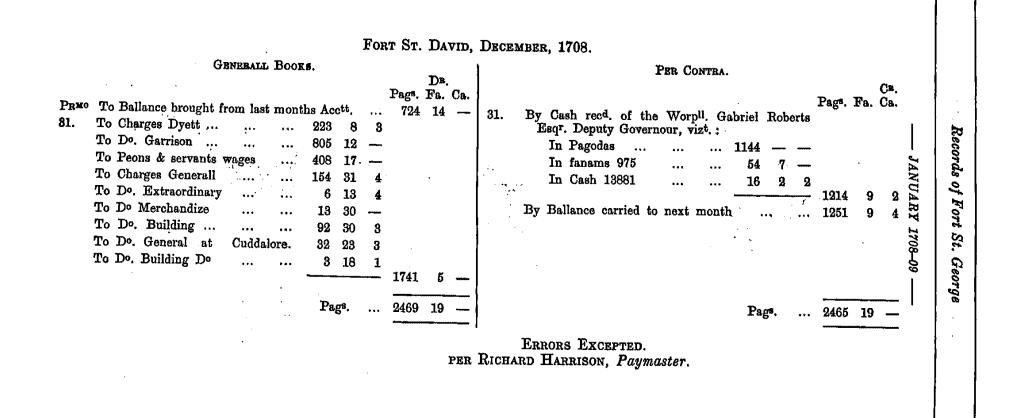
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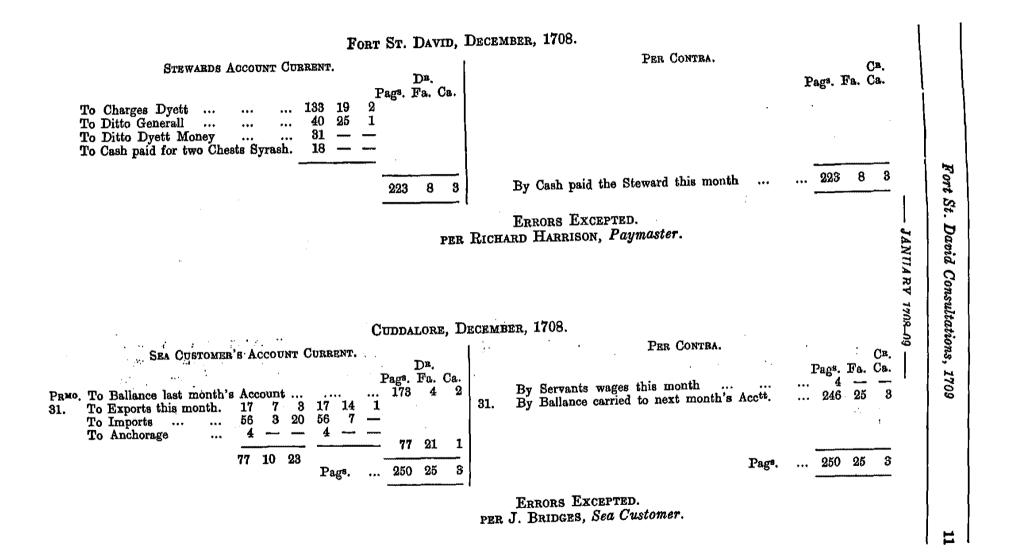
- No. 1. General Books, Letter F., a second copy cominceing primo May, 1707, ending ult^o. April, 1708.
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 - 3. Copy of Consultations, Diary &c*. Acc^{tt}. Cash cominceing primo January, 1707, ending ult^o. Dec^r. 1708.
 - 4. Sea Customer's Acctt. Cuddolore for the year 1708.
 - 5. Paymaster's Acc^{tt}. for the year 1708.
 - 6. Sea & Land Customer's Acctt. of Tavenapatam for the year 1708.
 - 7. Land Customer's Acctt. of Cuddolore for the year 1708.
 - 8. Acc^{tt}. Tobacco, Beetle & Ganjee of Tavenapatam for the year 1708.
 - 9. Acc^{tt}. Tobacco, Beetel & Ganjee of Coodalore for the year 1708.
 - 10. Storekeeper's Acctt. for the year 1708.
- The Riseing Sum Smack arrived here from Madras.
 - Mr. John Berlu, sett out for Madrass according to an order in a Generall Letter from the Hon^{ble}. President & Councill there, dated 15th Instant, to goe with the Present to the Great King, Shaw Allum.

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