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INTRODUCTION.

This collection of papers, which has been compiled under the instructions of the Hon'ble Nawab Syed Shams-ul-Huda, M.A. B.L., Member, Executive Council, Bengal, from the records of the Government of Bengal and of the Bengal Board of Revenue, relates to the Hooghly Imambarah, a Muhammadan religious institution maintained out of the income of the Syedpur Trust Estate now in the district of Khulna. The papers have been arranged in chronological order and give a detailed account of the affairs of the Imambarah from 1815 to 1910. The trust was created by Hajee Muhammad Mohsin who inherited the zamindari of Pargana Syedpur from his half-sister, Mannoojam Khanum. The Hajee had no lawful heirs and he created a *wakf* of the said zamindari for religious and charitable purposes by the deed of appropriation, dated the 20th April 1806, and appointed Rajub Uli Khan and Shakur Uli Khan, Mutwallis or Trustees of the Endowment, authorizing either of them, in case of inability to discharge the duties of the trust, to appoint another trustee in his place. Agreeably to the terms of the deed, the Board of Revenue recognised the abovenamed persons as trustees and they managed the trust both during the life time of the appropriator and after his death.

In 1220 B. S. (1813 A.D.) Shakur Uli Khan, being seriously ill, appointed his son Bakur Uli Khan to be trustee in his place and shortly after died, and in the same year Rajub Uli Khan who had become very old and infirm in like manner appointed his son Wasiq Uli Khan to succeed him in the management of the trust.

In 1818 Government was compelled to take upon itself the procuratorship of the endowment in consequence of the misappropriation of its funds by the abovenamed Mutwallies (Bakur Uli and Wasiq Uli), and appointed Akbar Uli Khan in their place to manage the endowment. Upon this litigation ensued, the result of which was that in a decree passed in 1836 the Sudder Dewany Adawlat supported Government in its interference. A list of the Mutwallis showing under what authorities they were appointed is given below.

At the commencement of this compilation has been placed a consolidated list of the papers printed and of those eliminated. There follows a photograph of the original Waqfnamah in Persian, alluded to

above. An English translation of it prepared by the Sudder Dewany Adawlut will be found in the judgment of that Court in the case of Wasiq Uli *versus* Government, dated the 22nd September 1836, which has also been incorporated in the book. In addition to these has been given a summary of certain extracts from "Tabaqua-i-Mohsinya," a Persian History of the Imambarah written by Nawabzada Syed Ashrafuddin Ahmad, Khan Bahadur, the present Mutwalli, showing the relation between Salahuddin Muhammad Khan, the original founder of the Imambarah and Hajee Muhammad Mohsin. Another document bearing on the same subject, viz. the report of 1st January 1835 of Mr. Sutherland, Pleader employed on behalf of Government, in the case of Wasiq Uli *versus* Government, has been likewise incorporated in this publication. To facilitate the tracing of information on particular points an alphabetical index has been added at the end.

Names of Mutwallis.	Authorities under which they were appointed.
1. Rajub Uli Khan 2. Shakur Uli Khan	Joint Mutwallis Appointed by the Waqf-namah of the testator.
3. Bakur Uli Khan	Verbally appointed by his father Shakur Uli in Bysakh 1220 B. S. (April 1813 A.D.)
4. Wasiq Uli Khan	By a Towleutnamah executed by his father Rajub Uli dated 13th January 1814.
5. Akbar Uli Khan	G. O. No. 833, dated 7th August 1818 ( <i>vide</i> also Board's letter of 16th July 1819).
6. Ghalib Ali (son-in-law of Akbar Uli), temporarily	Hooghly Local Agents' No. 26, dated 22nd June 1836.
7. Zainuddin Hossain, temporarily	Hooghly Local Agents' No. 28, dated 29th June 1836.
8. Syed Keramat Ali	G. O. No. 12, dated 3rd January 1837.
9. Syed Ashrafuddin Ahmed	G. O. No. 1302T, dated 25th June 1875.

A PHOTOGRAPH of the original Waqf-namah, dated the 20th April 1806, of the late Hajee Muhammad Mohsin, by which he dedicated his landed properties to religious and charitable purposes, is placed at the beginning of the book. An English translation of it will be found at page 225, in the judgment, dated the 22nd September 1836, of the Sudder Dewany Adawlut, in the case, Wasiq Alee Khan *versus* the Government.

**List of papers arranged chronologically from 1815 to 1910 relating to the Hooghly Imambarah.**

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Mismanagement of the Imambarah and proposal for the appointment of an Ameen.	Letter, dated the 4th August 1815, from the Board of Revenue to the Vice-President and Deputy Governor in Council, reporting the mismanagement of the Imambarah at Hooghly and unfitness of the joint Mutwallies, and proposing to appoint an Ameen (Manager) for the supervision of the affairs of the institution (the Imambarah.)	1	
	Letter, dated the 6th September 1815, from the Government to the Board of Revenue, sanctioning the appointment of an Ameen.	3	
Appointment of Syed Akbar Alee Khan as Ameen for the supervision of the affairs of the Imambarah.	Letter, dated the 10th November 1815, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, intimating that the Board have accorded sanction to the appointment of Syed Akbar Alee Khan as an Ameen.	5	
	Letter, dated the 24th November 1815, from the Government to the Board of Revenue, approving the appointment of Syed Akbar Alee Khan as Ameen of the institution at Hooghly.	6	
	Letter, dated the 15th January 1816, from the Local agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, requesting to grant a fresh sunnad to Syed Akbar Ali Khan, vesting him with the exclusive control in the management of the institution of Salahuddin Muhammad Khan at Hooghly.	7	Copy of dakhast referred to in this letter is not traceable.

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	Letter, dated the 5th March 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents, Jessore, directing the Ameen, Syed Akbar Alee Khan, to proceed to the head catchery of the Pergunnah for the purpose of forming the mufassil settlement and generally to superintend the affairs of the estate.	8	
	Letter, dated the 28th March 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, forwarding a darkhast of Ameen, Syed Akbar Alee Khan, informing the Collector that the accounts and papers regarding the estate over which he was placed as Controller and Manager were, according to the declaration of the Mutwallees, destroyed by fire.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 3rd April 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, forwarding a darkhast presented to him by Akbar Alee Khan, saying that the true and actual resources of the estate could not be ascertained but by general measurement of it.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 9th April 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, informing that the Board consider it expedient to place the estate under sequestration, and directing to depute persons to take charge of it and to realise the arrears due.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 26th April 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Sudder Dewanny Adawlut, acknowledging the receipt of a proceeding of the Sudder Dewanny Adawlut in the case, Ghalib Alee <i>versus</i> Rojub Alee and others regarding the attachment of the estate by the Government for an arrear of revenue.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 27th May 1816, from the Collector, Jessore, to the Board of Revenue, suggesting, for the conduct of the business of the estate, the employment of persons in the estate wholly independent and unconnected with it, and not those who were employed during the life of the Hajee in whose time the estate was in arrears.	9	
	Letter, dated the 12th June 1816, from the Collector, Jessore, to the Board of Revenue, informing that the arrears due to Government on account of the rents of the estate for the Bengali year 1222 are irrecoverable.	11	

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	Letter, dated the 13th June 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, asking for the Board's opinion about the forming of certain mahals comprised in the estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 14th June 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the Collector's letters dated the 27th May 1816 and 12th June 1816, informing that they have no objection to surrendering the estate again to the Mutwallees, if they agree to certain stipulations concerning the management of it, and that what they desire is to appropriate the profits of the estate to the purposes prescribed in the toweleuthnama.	13	
Surrender of the estate again to the joint Mutwallees on condition for good management.	Letter, dated the 9th July 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, intimating in reply to the above letter that he has surrendered the estate to the former Mutwallees, Rajab Alee and Baqir Alee, on certain conditions for good management.	15	
	Letter, dated the 12th July 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, approving the surrender of the estate to the Mutwallees.	16	
	Letter, dated the 22nd August 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, forwarding certain petitions of jamadars and burkundazes attached to the estate under the superintendence of Rajab Alee and Baqir Alee for the non-payment of their pay.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 27th August 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, asking for a statement showing the amount of collections from the mufassil and the amount collected up to date.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 1st September 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, submitting a petition of Baqir Alee Khan, one of the joint Mutwallees for the non-receipt of his mushahara.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 6th September 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, declining to pay the mushahara of Baqir Alee Khan referred to above.	...	Not printed.

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A notorious character named Mohamad Ashin brought into the catchery of the Mutwallees at Syedpur by Baqir Alee Khan.	Letter, dated the 7th September 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, informing that a man of notorious character named Mohammad Ahsin was brought into the catchery of the Mutwallees at Syedpur by the Mutwallee, Baqir Alee Khan.	17	
	Letter, dated the 17th September 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, informing that the Board, being Revenue authorities, cannot take any steps against Muhammad Ahsin.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 23rd September 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, reporting disobedience on the part of the Mutwallees in not sending him the <i>Jumma Wasil Baki</i> accounts of the Trust Estate.	18	
Conduct of the joint Mutwallees in disobeying the orders of the Collector of Jessore.	Letter, dated the 24th September 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, reporting the conduct of the Mutwallees in disobeying his orders.	19	
	Letter, dated the 4th October 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the Collector's letter dated the 23rd September 1816, directing to threaten the Mutwallees with a daily fine on their failure to furnish him with the accounts of the estate.	21	
	Letter, dated the 4th October 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, authorising him to draw bills on the Collector of Bardwan for the amount of Rs. 4,000 to be spent on the Imambarah and wages of the servants of the establishment.	22	
	Letter, dated the 4th October 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to his letter dated the 24th September 1816, intimating that an arrangement will be made for the better management of the estate of Syedpur.	23	
	Letter, dated the 14th October 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, informing that Munshi Muhammad Ahsin has been prohibited from interfering with the business of the estate, and that Digamber Dutt has been allowed to act as Dewan.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, dated the 15th October 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenues, forwarding a statement of the revenues due from the Mutwallees of the pergannah Syedpur.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 18th October 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, refusing to accept the Collector's action re-appointing Degumber Dutt as Dewan of the estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 18th October 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, requesting to furnish the Board with a <i>jumma</i> and <i>church</i> or a statement of receipts and disbursements.	...	Not printed.
Board's resolution for the better management of the estate and the institution at Hooghly under regulation 19 of 1810.	Resolution of the Board of Revenue, dated the 12th November 1816, calling on the Collector of Jessore to submit the <i>Jumma Wasil Baki</i> accounts of the Malguzari estate of Syedpur, with a view to removing the Mutwallees, Rajub Alee Khan and Baqir Alee Khan, and providing for better management of the estate and the Institution at Hooghly under regulation 19 of 1810.	24	
Charges for the performance of Mohurrun at Moorley.	Letter, dated the 13th November 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, forwarding a list showing the charges for the performance of the Mohurrun, etc., at Moorley and other stations subordinate to Pergannah Syedpur, and asking for the Board's instructions as to whether the Treasurer, on the part of the Collector, is to advance the sum of Rs. 163-8 to the Mutwallees for the purpose.	25	
Board's resolution for attachment of the estate for arrears of revenue due to Government.	Resolution of the Board of Revenue of the 15th November 1816, directing the Collector of Jessore to put the estate under immediate attachment owing to arrears of revenue due to Government against the estate, and to invest Akbar Alee Khan with the charge of the entire collections of it as Sezawal till Board's further orders, and rejecting the application of the joint Mutwallees for the Mohurrun expenses at Moorley for the time being.	26	

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Investiture of Syed Akbar Alee Khan with the entire control of the estate and the institution.	A sunnud, dated the 15th November 1816, issued by the Board of Revenue to Syed Akbar Alee Khan (Uli Akbar Khan), the Ameen of the estate of Syedpur, vesting him with the entire control of it and the institution.	27	
An abstract of <i>Jumma Wasil Batee</i> accounts of the Malguzaree estates of Syedpur.	Letter, dated the 22nd November 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's resolutions dated the 12th and 15th November 1816, submitting an abstract of the <i>Jumma Wasil Batee</i> accounts of the Malguzaree estates of Syedpur.	28	
	Letter, dated the 25th November 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's letter dated the 15th November 1816, informing that necessary proclamation of the attachment of the estate and of the appointment of Akbar Alee Khan as Sezawal has been issued to talookdars, rayats and farmers.	29	The proceeding referred to in this letter is not traceable.
	Letter, dated the 29th November 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the above letters, approving the measures taken by the Collector to carry into effect the Board's resolution of the 15th November 1816 in regard to the attachment of the estate by Government for arrears of revenue.	31	
	Letter, dated the 19th December 1816, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, asking for sanction of the Board to the appointment of Patwaris in several villages of the estate, and to undertake a thorough measurement of the lands in order to secure better management of the internal affairs of it.	33	
Appointment of Patwaris in several villages of the estate.	Letter, dated the 27th December 1816, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the above letter, authorising the Collector to sanction the appointment of Patwaris in those villages where there are none, and disallowing persons holding situations on the establishment of the estate to hold farms.	39	

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Death of Rajab Alee Khan.	Letter, dated the 28th January 1817, from the Collector of Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, reporting the death of Rajab Alee Khan, one of the joint Mutwallees of the Imambarah.	42	
Internal management of the estate of Pergannah Syedpur.	Letter, dated the 28th March 1817, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's letter dated the 27th December 1816, giving a long account of the internal management of the estate of Pergannah Syedpur.	43	Some enclosures are not traceable.
	Letter, dated the 8th April 1817, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the above letter, issuing necessary instructions to the Collector in regard to the internal management of the estate with reference to the points noted in the Collector's letter referred to.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 9th May 1817, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, directing to submit a list of pensioners and servants who were borne on the establishment of the Hooghly Imambarah.	53	
	Letter, dated the 25th June 1817, from the Local Agent at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, asking for sanction to proceed with the Ameen on inquiry in connection with the preparation of a list of pensioners.	54	
	Letter, dated the 27th June 1817, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, forwarding a statement of the settlement of the 4 annas of Pergannah Syedpur.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 1st July 1817, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the above letter sanctioning the settlement of the 4 annas of Pergannah Syedpur.	...	Not printed.
Preparation of a list of pensioners.	Letter, dated the 1st July 1817, from the Board of Revenue to Mr. D. C. Smyth, Local Agent at Hooghly, in reply to the above letter dated the 25th June 1817, sanctioning the proposal in connection with the preparation of a list of pensioners.	55	

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	Letter, dated the 1st July 1817, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the Collector's letter dated the 27th June 1817, sanctioning the settlement of the 4 annas of Pergannah Syedpur.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 15th August 1817, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, informing that he has succeeded in farming several mahals in Pergannah Syedpur, and forwarding a statement showing the nature of the settlement of the 4 annas share of the Pergannah.	...	Not printed.
	Extract from a letter from the Local Agents at Hooghly, dated the 15th August 1817, regarding Wasiq Alee's monthly allowance.	56	
	Extract from a letter, dated the 29th August 1817, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, regarding Board's views on the subject of Wasiq Alee's monthly allowance.	57	
Suspension of Baquir Alee Khan and Wasiq Alee Khan, and appointment of Akbar Alee as Ameen.	Letter, dated the 12th September 1817, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the Collector's letters dated the 13th August 1817* and the 15th August 1817, ordering the suspension of Baquir Alee Khan and Wasiq Alee Khan, Mutwallees of the Imambarah, on account of the embezzlement of the funds of the Trust Estate by them, and appointing Syed Akbar Alee Khan as Ameen of the estate.	59	Not traceable.*
	Letter, dated the 27th February 1818, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, asking for a report on any grievances or malpractices in the present administration of the endowment.	63	
Institution of a suit in the Supreme Court by Torab Alee, younger son of Shakir Alee, against Akbar Alee for the recovery of the money alleged to have been lent by him to Akbar Alee Khan.	Letter, No. 637, dated the 12th June 1818, from the Government to the Board of Revenue, requesting to afford necessary assistance to Akbar Alee Khan in connection with the suit, Torab Alee Khan <i>versus</i> Akbar Alee Khan.	65	
	Representation of Syed Akbar Alee Khan to the Board of Revenue, dated the 27th June 1818, respecting the suit instituted by Torab Alee Khan against him referred to above.	69	

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Appointment of Akbar Alee Khan as Mutwallee.	Letter, No. 833, dated the 7th August 1818, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, vesting the Ameen, Saiyid Akbar Alee Khan, with the charge of the estate and the institution at Hooghly.	73	
	Letter, dated the 11th December 1818, from the Government to the Board of Revenue, forwarding a petition of Wasiq Alee Khan, and asking for a report on the subject represented in his petition.	...	Not printed.
Embezzlement of the funds of the endowment, and profligate expenditure by Wasiq Alee and Baqir Alee.	Letter, dated the 16th July 1819, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of India, reporting the embezzlement of the funds of the endowment, and profligate expenditure shown in accounts by the joint Mutwallees (Wasiq Alee Khan and Baqir Alee Khan).	77	
	Letter, dated the 12th June 1820, from the Judge of Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, forwarding an original petition filed in the Judge's Court by one Muhammad Hossain against Akbar Alee Khan, the Mutwallee of the Imambarah at Hooghly.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 16th June 1820, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, forwarding the petition made by one Muhammad Hossain against Akbar Alee Khan in the Judge's Court at Hooghly for inquiry and report.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 27th September 1820, from the Senior Judge of Alipore to the Board of Revenue, transmitting for consideration and orders of the Board of Revenue an original petition filed in the Judge's Court by Wasiq Alee Khan, an heir of Rajab Alee Khan.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 29th September 1820, from the Board of Revenue to the Senior Judge of Alipore, in reply to the above letter, informing that the measure on which Wasiq Alee Khan founds his complaint was adopted with the sanction of Government; and that should he actually institute a suit, the Local Agents and the Mutwallee would be prepared to defend it.	...	Not printed.

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Petition of plaint presented to the Judge of Hooghly by Wasiq Alee, claiming Rs. 7,800-6-9 from the Imambarah.	Letter, dated the 15th February 1821, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, acknowledging the receipt of Board's letter* dated the 5th December 1820, with a copy of a petition of plaint presented to the Judge of Hooghly by Wasiq Alee Khan, claiming Rs 7,800-6-9 from the Imambarah on account of a sum said to have been lent by his father (Rajub Alee Khan) to the late Hajee Mohammad Mohsin in 1212 A. H.	81	Not traceable.*
	Letter, dated the 27th February 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, instructing to take necessary steps to defend the suit pending in the Hooghly Dewanny Adawlut referred to above.	83	
Institution of a suit against the Government by Wasiq Alee Khan in the Provincial Court of Appeal at Calcutta.	Letter, dated the 2nd March 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, forwarding a copy of the petition of plaint filed in the Provincial Court of Appeal at Calcutta by Wasiq Alee Khan against the Government; and asking for a draft of the answer they (the Local Agents) would propose to file in the suit with reference to the correspondence which terminated in the removal of the late Mutwallees (Wasiq Alee Khan and Bagir Alee Khan).	84	
Petition of plaint filed in the Court of Appeal at Calcutta by Wasiq Alee for the recovery of a share in the towlent of 4 annas of Pergannah Syedpur.	Letter, dated the 5th March 1821, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, forwarding a copy of a petition of plaint filed in the Court of Appeal at Calcutta by Wasiq Alee Khan for the recovery of a share in the towlent of the 4 annas of Pergannah Syedpur; and requesting for their order for filing a proper reply on the part of Government.	85	
Division of the Trust Estate in putnee talooks.	Letter, dated the 9th March 1821, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, submitting his sentiment on the question of dividing the Trust Estate into putnee talooks.	87	
	Letter, dated the 16th March 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the Collector's letter dated the 5th March 1821 above, directing to move the Court to comply with the provisions of section 3, regulation 2 of 1814, and informing that necessary instructions will be sent to him after the receipt of the prescribed notification from the Court.	91	

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	Letter, dated the 23rd March 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the Collector's letter dated the 9th March 1821 above, informing that the Board would submit to the Government his (the Collector's) proposal for dividing the estate into putnee talooks.	92	
Defence of the suit preferred by Wasiq Alee against the Government in the Calcutta Provincial Court.	Letter, dated the 6th April 1821, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's letter dated the 2nd March 1821, suggesting the line of defence in the suit preferred by Wasiq Alee Khan, dismissed Mutwallee of the Imambarah, against the Government in the Provincial Court of Appeal.	93	
Arrears of Wasiq Alee's pension.	Letter, dated the 16th April 1821, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, submitting report on the petition of Wasiq Alee Khan for the arrears of his pension.	94	
Suits instituted against the Government by Wasiq Alee and one Muhammad Hossain in the Provincial and Zilla Courts respectively.	Letter, dated the 1st May 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, with reference to the Local Agents' letters dated the 16th April and 23rd* April 1821, on the subjects of the suits preferred against the Government by dismissed Mutwallee, Wasiq Alee Khan, and one Muhammad Hossain claiming Naib Mutwalleeship in the Provincial and Zilla Courts, respectively, transmitting Board's rubukarees* containing their sentiments with respect to the course of defence in the suits referred to.	95	* Not traceable.
Compliance of the Court of Appeal with the provisions of section 3, regulation 2 of 1814, in regard to the petition of plaint of Wasiq Alee Khan.	Letter, dated the 29th May 1821, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, informing that necessary measures have been adopted to move the Court of Appeal to comply with the provisions of section 3, regulation 2 of 1814, in regard to the petition of plaint of Wasiq Alee Khan.	96	
Defence of the case, Wasiq Alee Khan versus the Government.	Letter, dated the 1st June 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the above letter, forwarding a copy of the Board's rubukaree; and instructing the Collector to leave to the Local Agents, Hooghly, the defence of the case, Wasiq Alee Khan versus the Government.	97	



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	Letter, dated the 29th June 1821, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's letter dated the 26th June 1821, informing that the Acting Mutwallie, Akbar Alee Khan, has received no orders directing him to proceed to Jessore to supervise the affairs of the estate after making necessary arrangement for the discharge of the duties at Hooghly during his absence, and requesting to be supplied with fresh orders.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 30th June 1821, from the Collector of Jessore to the Board of Revenue, in reply to their letter dated the 26th March 1821, submitting an explanation for the non-realization of the balance of Rs. 1,227 outstanding against the Trust Estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 6th July 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of Jessore, in reply to the above letter, directing to investigate the real cause of non-realization of the balance referred to above.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 6th July 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Governor-General in Council, forwarding a copy of the Jessore Collector's letter dated the 30th June 1821, representing the inconvenience sustained by the landed proprietors and the ryots of the district of Jessore, owing to the discontinuance of the summary legal interference provided for the realization of the arrears of revenue.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 19th September 1821, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, submitting their report on the petition of Baqir Alee Khan, one of the deposed Mutwallies, for the arrears of his monthly allowance which was fixed to be Rs. 100 per mensem, and suggesting in the report not to pay the arrears of Baqir Alee's monthly allowance.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 25th September 1821, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, approving their (the Local Agents') suggestion in respect of the arrears of Baqir Alee's monthly allowance.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, dated the 24th January 1822, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, explaining the delay in nominating a person to fill the office of the Sheristadar at the Imambarah.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 4th February 1822, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, forwarding an urzee received from Mutwallie Akbar Alee Khan in which he has nominated Ramput Lall for the post of Sheristadar at the Imambarah to succeed Sree Narayan Das, and suggesting a pension of Rs. 10 per mensem to be granted to Sree Narayan.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 12th February 1822, from the Board of Revenue, to the Local Agents at Hooghly, approving the appointment of Ramput Lall as Sheristadar at the Hooghly Imambarah, and disapproving the Local Agents' proposal for the grant of pension to Sree Narayan Das.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 24th May 1822, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, sending the information asked for regarding the means of subsistence, and landed property of Hussain Alee, son-in-law of Shakir Alee Khan, one of the joint Mutwallies of the Imambarah; and requesting to consider the question of allowance to be given to him (Hussain Alee) for his support.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 9th April 1824, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, submitting a statement showing the annual and monthly expenses proposed by the Mutwallie on account of the Mad-rassa, Hospital, and Musafirkhana at Hooghly, and asking for sanction to these expenses.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 1310, dated the 7th May 1824, from the Board of Revenue to the Local Agents, Hooghly, according sanction to the above proposal.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 4th October 1825, from the District Judge of Hooghly to the Board of Revenue, forwarding a copy of the plaint* filed in the Judge's Court in the case, Wasiq Alee Khan, dismissed Mutwallie, <i>versus</i> the Government, respecting the possession of the Imambarah at Hooghly.	...	Not printed. *Not traceable

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Rules for the administration of the Trust Fund framed by the Board for the guidance of the Mutwallee.	Minute of the 3rd Member of the Sudder Board of Revenue, dated the 23rd March 1829, passing his views on the alleged misappropriation and abuse of the funds of the endowment by Mutwallee Akbar Alee Khan, and framing a set of rules to be observed in future in regard to the accounts rendered by the Mutwallee.	99	
Security furnished by Messrs. Mackintosh & Co. in favour of Akbar Alee for the proper management of the Trust Fund in future.	Letter, No. 45, dated the 25th March 1829, from the Commissioner of Revenue, Burdwan Division, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's letter No. 1029, dated the 2nd March 1829, inquiring whether the security to the amount of Rs. 10,000 given by Messrs. Mackintosh & Co. in favour of Syed Akbar Alee Khan may be accepted.	102	
	Letter, No. 1530, dated the 31st March 1829, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Revenue, Burdwan Division, forwarding a copy of their resolution dated the 23rd March 1829, together with the original papers and accounts referred to therein, relative to the management of the Syedpur endowment, and ordering that the Board will no longer require any security from the Mutwallee, Syed Akbar Alee Khan.	103	
Regular remittance of the surplus proceeds of the Syedpur estate by the Collector of Jessore to meet the current expenses of the Imambarah.	Letter, No. 1529, dated the 31st March 1829, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Revenue, Alipore, requesting to instruct the Collector of Jessore to adopt arrangements in concert with the Collector of Hooghly for the regular remittance of the surplus proceeds of the Syedpur estate to meet the current expenses of the Imambarah.	104	

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Future disposal of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the net proceeds of the Syedpur Estate.	Letter, No. 702, dated the 22nd September 1829, from the Commissioner of Revenue, Burdwan Division, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding copies of a letter, dated the 26th August 1829, from the Local Agents, and of two petitions* from the Mutwallee, Akbar Alee Khan; soliciting instructions in regard to the future disposal of the $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the net proceeds of the Syedpur estate, which was formerly allowed to be enjoyed by the Second Mutwallee at Jessore, whose post was abolished since the sale of the lands in putnee talooks, and which was ordered by the Board, in their resolution dated the 23rd March 1829, to be appropriated in liquidation of loans or outstanding balances; and suggesting the reduction of the allowance of the present Mutwallee, Akbar Alee, who in addition to his own share claims this $\frac{1}{4}$ th.	107	Not traceable.*
	Letter, No. 4513, dated the 3rd November 1829 from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, in reply to the above letter informing that the allowance of the present Mutwallee, Syed Akbar Alee Khan, was fixed at $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the net proceeds of the estate under the Board's resolution dated the 23rd March 1829, and that the resumed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the annual net proceeds of the estate, on account of the abolition of the post of the second Mutwallee at Jessore should be appropriated in liquidation of loans or outstanding balances.	109	
Advance of money from the Imambarah funds for the repairs of the Imambarah buildings.	Letter, No. 686, dated the 18th May 1830, from the Governor-General in Council to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to Board's letter* dated the 27th April 1830, refusing to sanction an advance from the Imambarah funds for the repairs of the Imambarah on account of the reason that if the decision of the appeal pending in His Majesty's Council regarding the sale of the whole estate at an aggregate sum of Rs. 5,84,973 by the Collector in putnee talooks be proved unfavourable to the purchasers, the whole amount of purchase money will have to be repaid to them.	111	Not traceable.*

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Dismissal of the suit pending in His Majesty's Council regarding the sale of the estate of Syedpur, by the Collector of Jessore, in putni talooks.	Letter, No. 128, dated the 8th June 1830, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Governor-General in Council, in reply to the above letter, informing that the suit regarding the sale of the whole estate of Syedpur, by the Collector, in putnee talooks has been dismissed by His Majesty's Council, and asking for money for the reconstruction of the Imambarah from the funds belonging to it.	112	
	Letter, No. 901, dated the 6th July 1830, from the Governor-General in Council to the Sudder Board of Revenue, asking to be furnished with a statement of the receipts and disbursements of the funds, and also a statement of the amount which now stands to the credit of the endowment, to be calculated from the month of August 1821, when, it is understood, the talooks were sold by public auction at the Collector's office.	113	
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	Letter, No. 2260, dated the 6th May 1831, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding two estimates of repairs of the Imambarah buildings, and a copy of the wazeebul-urz of the Mutwallee.	...	Not printed.

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Appeal preferred by Akbar Alee Khan to the Sudder Dewany Adawlut against the decision of the Provincial Court in favour of Torab Alee in the case, Torab Alee <i>versus</i> the Collector of Jessore.	Letter, No. 1112, dated the 10th December 1832, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Sudder Board of Revenue, informing that the Mutwallee, Akbar Alee Khan, has preferred an appeal to the Sudder Dewany Adawlut, against the decision of the Provincial Court of Appeal in favour of Torab Alee in the case, Torab Alee <i>versus</i> the Collector of Jessore, and that Torab Alee has again appealed the case for the recovery of Pergannah Sohmal, which was dismissed by the Calcutta Court of Appeal, to the Sudder Dewany Adawlut.	121	
Minutes of the Senior and Second Members of the Sudder Board of Revenue containing their views in regard to the reinstatement of Wasiq Alee to the office of Mutwallee.	Letter, No. 29, dated the 12th February 1833, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government submitting minutes recorded by the Hon'ble Members of the Board containing their views in regard to the case, Wasiq Alee Khan, dismissed Mutwallee of the Imambarah, <i>versus</i> the Government, pending in the Sudder Dewany Adawlut.	123	

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	Letter, No. 24, dated the 28th January 1834, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of India, suggesting the employment of Mr. Sutherland for conducting, on the part of the Government, the case, Wasiq Alee Khan <i>versus</i> the Government pending in the Sudder Dewany Adawlut.	131	
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	Letter, dated the 15th July 1834, from the Officiating Judge of the 24-Pergannahs to the Commissioner of the Alipore Division, forwarding an extract from the proceedings of his Court in the case, Syed Alee Akbar Khan, Mutwallee of the Imambarah, <i>versus</i> Wasiq Alee Khan; and requesting to issue necessary orders for the sale of the lands belonging to Akbar Alee Khan in execution of a decree passed in favour of Wasiq Alee awarding him Rs. 14,849-7.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 1480, dated the 29th July 1834, from the Commissioner of the Alipore Division to the Judge of the 24-Pergannahs, forwarding a copy of a Persian proceeding held by him relative to the decree passed by the Judge in favour of Wasiq Alee in the case, Akbar Alee <i>versus</i> Wasiq Alee.	...	Not printed.
	Letter No. 1686, dated the 18th August 1834, from the Commissioner of the Alipore Division to the Collector of the 24-Pergannahs, requesting to send a statement of lands belonging to Akbar Alee, which the Collector will recommend for sale for the recovery of the amount payable by Akbar Alee to Wasiq Alee under the orders of the Zilla Court of the 24-Pergannahs.	..	Not printed.
	Letter No. 1687, dated the 18th August 1834, from the Commissioner of the Alipore Division to the Judges of Hooghly and the 24-Pergannahs, forwarding a copy of a Persian proceeding held by him relative to the case, Akbar Alee Khan <i>versus</i> Wasiq Alee Khan.	...	Not printed.
Misapplication of the lapsed one-ninth share assignable to the Second Mutwalli by Akbar Alee Khan for the purposes of $\frac{3}{4}$ ths and $\frac{1}{4}$ ths shares.	Letter, dated the 1st September 1834, from the Local Agent at Hooghly to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, informing that the amount in deposit on account of the $\frac{1}{4}$ th share assignable to the Second Mutwallee, whose post was abolished, has nearly been expended by Akbar Alee towards the purposes of the endowment in the $\frac{3}{4}$ ths and $\frac{1}{4}$ ths shares.	135	
Unauthorised expenditure incurred by Akbar Alee Khan in contravention of the Board's order of the 31st March 1829.	Letter, No. 2031, dated the 30th September 1834, from the Commissioner of the Alipore Division to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding the correspondence* relating to the proposed sale of the property at Kidderpore appertaining to the Imambarah at Hooghly under a decree passed by the Calcutta Court of Appeal, and informing that the present Mutwallee, Akbar Alee Khan, has incurred an unauthorized expenditure in contravention of the Board's order dated the 31st March 1829.	137	* Not traceable.

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Explanation asked for from Akbar Alee Khan of his misappropriation of a portion of the funds of the institution.	Letter, No. 639, dated the 23rd December 1834, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Alipore Division, asking for an explanation to show cause why the decree passed by the Provincial Court of Appeal in the case, Syed Akbar Alee Khan, appellant, <i>versus</i> Wasiq Alee Khan, respondent, was not communicated to them earlier, and for an explanation from Akbar Alee Khan of his misappropriation of a portion of the funds of the institution.	139	
A full report on the case, Wasiq Alee Khan, appellant, <i>versus</i> the Government, respondent, and two other cases as prepared by Mr. Sutherland.	Letter, dated the 1st January 1835, from Mr. J. C. Sutherland, pleader, employed by Government in connection with the case, Wasiq Alee Khan <i>versus</i> the Government, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, submitting a full report on the three cases noted below after they have been finally decided by the Sudder Dewany Adawlut:— (1) Wasiq Alee Khan ... Appellant, <i>versus</i> Government ... Respondent. (2) Turab Alee Khan ... Appellant, <i>versus</i> Curator of the Endowment at Hooghly and the Collector of Jessore ... Respondents. (3) Collector of Jessore and the Curator of the same ... Appellant, <i>versus</i> Turab Alee Khan ... Respondent.	141	It is stated in this report that Salabuddin is the husband of Hajee Muhammad Mohsin's half-sister, Manoojan Khanum, and that Rajab Alee is the father-in-law of Shakir Alee and Torab Alee, the younger son of Shakir Alee.
	Letter, No. 89, dated the 7th January 1835, from the Government of India to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding an extract from the proceedings of the Right Honourable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated the 5th January 1835, on the subject of the erection of an Arabic and Persian Madrassa and an English School defraying the expenses of the same from the Imambarah surplus funds deposited in the Treasury, and requesting to supply to the Government a statement of the present condition of the establishment and of the available funds of the Hooghly endowment.	...	Not printed.

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Suggestions for the amendment of Regulation 19 of 1810 regarding the administration of Trust Properties.	Letter, No. 5, dated the 13th January 1835, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, with reference to the Government letter No. 313, dated the 15th March 1833, submitting copy of a letter, dated the 1st January 1835, from Mr. Sutherland, pleader, employed on the part of the Government, with his report on the case, Wasiq Alee <i>versus</i> the Government, and suggesting an amendment of Regulation 19 of 1810, so far as it concerns the administration of the Trust properties.	149	
	Letter, No. 9, dated the 14th January 1835, from the Commissioner of the 18th Division, Alipore, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's letter No. 639, dated the 23rd December 1834, submitting a copy of the decree* passed by the Provincial Court of Appeal in the case, Akbar Alee Khan, appellant, <i>versus</i> Wasiq Alee Khan, respondent, and informing that the Collector of Jessore has been called on to furnish any explanation the Mutwallie may offer for misappropriating a portion of the funds of the institution.	151	Not traceable.*
	Letter, No. 50, dated the 2nd February 1835, from the Commissioner of Revenue, Alipore, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in continuation of the above letter and with reference to the Board's letter, No. 639, dated the 23rd December 1834, submitting two letters from the Collector of Hooghly relative to the decree awarded against the property at Kidderpore by the Provincial Court of Appeal in the case, Akbar Alee Khan, appellant, <i>versus</i> Wasiq Alee Khan, respondent, and a report relative to the misappropriation of a portion of the funds of the institution at Hooghly, and the explanation of the Mutwallie.	153	
	Letter, No. 1669, dated the 3rd March 1835, from the Government Agent at Fort William to the Sudder Board of Revenue, furnishing an account current of the Syedpur Trust Estate, brought down from the 1st August 1831 to the 28th February 1835.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 113, dated the 20th April 1835, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Local Agent at Hooghly, asking for an explanation on certain points on the subject of the appropriation, by Akbar Alee Khan, of the cash in deposit of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share to the contingencies of the $\frac{1}{4}$ ths and $\frac{1}{4}$ ths shares.	159	
Mutwallee's explanation for the misapplication of the cash in deposit of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share.	Letter, dated the 30th April 1835, from the Local Agent at Hooghly to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, stating that he passed no orders on Akbar Alee's urzee* sanctioning the cash in deposit on account of the $\frac{1}{4}$ th share to be spent in $\frac{1}{4}$ ths and $\frac{1}{4}$ ths shares, and submitting an explanation of the Mutwallee.	161	*Not traceable.
	Letter, No. 129, dated the 7th May 1835, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Local Agent at Hooghly, requesting to submit further explanation on certain other points from the Mutwallee, Akbar Alee Khan, relating to the misappropriation of the cash in deposit of the said $\frac{1}{4}$ th share.	165	
	Letter, dated the 16th May 1835, from the Local Agent at Hooghly to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, submitting further explanation from the Mutwallee on the subject of the misappropriation of the deposit on account of the said $\frac{1}{4}$ th share.	166	
Conduct of Mutwallee Alee Akbar Khan for misappropriating the cash in deposit of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share.	A note prepared by the Hon'ble Mr. Smith, the 2nd Member of the Board of Revenue, dated the 8th June 1835, on the conduct of Alee Akbar Khan, Mutwallee of the Hooghly endowment, for misappropriating the deposit of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the net proceeds of the estate.	167	

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	Letter, dated the 23rd June 1835, from the Local Agent at Hooghly to the Sudder Board of Revenue, submitting the accounts called for in the above letter.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 92, dated the 7th July 1835, from the Commissioner, Sunderbans at Barasat, to the Commissioner of Revenue, Jessore Division at Alipore, submitting the result of his inquiries into the condition of the settlement, concluded by the late Collector of Jessore, Mr. Maxwell, of that portion of the Trust Estate called Khalispur and Maheswarpassa, which together with another mahal formed one of the talooks into which the Trust estate of Syedpur was divided.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 7th July 1835, from the Local Agent at Hooghly to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding the original account book of the Hooghly Imambarah for the Bengali year from 1237 to 1239 for the Board's perusal.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 425, dated the 12th December 1835, from the Commissioner of 18th Division at Alipore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in continuation of his letter No. 395, dated the 20th October 1835, submitting his additional observations on the subject of the settlement, by Mr. Maxwell, the Collector of Jessore, of the Pergannah Khalispur-Moheswarpassa, after it was resumed from the putneedar, Munshi Muhammad Ameer, and reporting that a case, (Syed Ali Akbar Khan <i>versus</i> Hara Chunder Mitter) involving the question of the enhanced rent demandable under the settlement is pending in appeal before the Judge of Jessore. [The ryots considered the rent fixed by Mr. Maxwell to be too high, and so they objected to payment at the enhanced rate after the Pergannah came under the direct control of the Government.]	...	Not printed.

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The celebrated resolution of the Government of India of 1835, by which funds were provided for education and the Imambarah hospital out of the income of the Trust Estate.	Letter, No. 11, dated the 2nd January 1836, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding a copy of an extract, No. 108, dated the 28th October 1835, from the Government of India, who decided that the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the net income of the estate, lapsed pensions which were granted to those whose names were inserted in a list signed and sealed by the Hajee, and the interest of the fund accumulated partly in consequence of litigation between the Mutwallee and the Government and partly from the fines realized from the mode of management, vested in Government promissory notes, were to be applied to the purposes of education, and that the expenses for the maintenance of the hospital would remain a charge on the $\frac{1}{4}$ th share.	173	In the will of the Hajee there is no provision for the expenses on account of education and the maintenance of the hospital at Hooghly. The deed of endowment lays down that $\frac{3}{4}$ ths of the net income should be set apart for the maintenance of the Mutwallees, $\frac{1}{4}$ th for the observance of the religious festivities, the repairs of the Imambarah and the cemetery, and $\frac{1}{4}$ th in payment of the servants of the establishment and the pensions of those whose names have been mentioned in a separate list.
	Letter, No. 6, dated the 11th January 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Officiating Commissioner of Murshidabad at Hooghly, transmitting copy of India's resolution No. 108, dated the 28th October 1835, noted above, for his guidance and for communication to the Local Agents at Hooghly, and informing that the Revenue Accountant has been instructed to prepare, for submission to the Board, a statement of funds which will be available for the purpose of formation of a Collegiate Institution at Hooghly.	177	
	Letter, No. 2, dated the 11th January 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Accountant, Revenue Department, transmitting for his information, copy of India's resolution of 28th October 1835, regarding the disposal of the accumulated funds towards education, and asking for a statement of precise amount of funds which will be disposable for the purpose of forming a Collegiate institution.	178	
Average annual net profits of the endowed estate.	Letter, No. 3026, dated the 5th February 1836, from the Accountant, Revenue Department, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, informing that a statement exhibiting the annual net profits of the Trust estate calculated on an average of three years has been forwarded to the Commissioner of Revenue, Bardwan Division.	179	

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	Letter, No. 169, dated the 9th February 1836, from the Commissioner of Revenue, 14th Division at Chinsurah, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding his observation that a careful and minute inspection of the account of the Mutwallee by European Local Agents is necessary with a view to secure better management of the endowment, strictly in accordance with the India's resolution of 1835, and also transmitting a statement of the net profits of the endowed estate calculated on an average of three years.	185	
Investment of the cash in deposit in Government promissory notes.	Letter, No. 1759, dated the 17th February 1836, from the Government Agent at Fort William to the Accountant to the Revenue Department, stating that Rs. 8,98,400 were invested in Government promissory notes	187	
	Letter, No. 93, dated the 21st March 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, recommending the proposal of the Commissioner of Murshidabad for the appointment of Dr. Wise, the Secretary to the Local Committee, Hooghly Imambarah, as a Local Agent, Hooghly.	...	Not printed.
Board's suggestion to the Government for the removal of Akbar Alee Khan from Mutwalleeship.	Letter, No. 98, dated the 21st March 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, submitting, for orders of Government, certain documents relating to the misappropriation, by Syed Akbar Alee Khan, of Rs. 23,218, the assets of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share, and recommending the removal of Akbar Alee Khan, who is believed to have appropriated the money to his own benefit, and the framing of certain rules for the guidance of the Mutwallee in future.	189	
Investment of accumulated funds in Government securities.	Letter, No. 95, dated the 21st March 1835, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, in reply to Government letter No. 11, dated the 2nd January 1836, submitting an account current received from the Government Agent showing a sum of Rs. 8,98,400 invested in Government securities, which yield a yearly interest amounting to Rs. 44,394 inclusive of a cash balance of Rs. 5,243-10-10, and also an abstract statement prepared by the Local Agents on an average of three years' income of the Trust Estate.	196	

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Negligence on the part of the Hooghly Local Agents to keep up a due and systematic control over the affairs of the institution at Hooghly.	Letter, No. 34, dated the 21st March 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Officiating Commissioner of Murshidabad, forwarding the Board's observation that, owing to the neglect and inattention of the Local Agents at Hooghly to keep up a due and systematic control over the affairs of the institution, the accumulation of the lapsed 1/4th share was misappropriated by the Mutwallee, Akbar Alee Khan, in contravention of the Board's resolution, dated the 23rd March 1829, and directing the Local Agents to strictly attend to the Board's instructions given in this letter.	197	
	Letter, No. 43, dated the 29th March 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murshidabad, requesting to instruct the Local Agents at Hooghly to institute an inquiry into the Wasilut of Turuf Basandia during the period from Wasiq Alee's possession of a portion of the same to the date when he was dispossessed of it by the decision of the Sudder Dewany Adawlut, and to forward the result of the inquiry to the Board with his sentiments thereon.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 512, dated the 5th April 1836, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's letter No. 93, dated the 21st March 1836, communicating the sanction of Government to the appointment of Dr. Wise, Secretary to the Local Committee at Hooghly, as a Local Agent.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 529, dated the 12th April 1836, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding an extract from the proceedings of the Governor-General of India in Council, dated the 30th March 1836, containing instructions to the Government Agents to hold the interest of the accumulated fund of the endowment at the disposal of the Committee for appropriation in the manner ordered by Government in its resolution dated the 28th October 1835, and requesting to furnish the Committee of Public Instruction with the periodical reports of the proceeds of the zamindari in Jessore.	199	

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	Letter, No. 69, dated the 16th April 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Officiating Commissioner of Murshidabad, with reference to his letter No. 169, dated the 9th February 1836, to the Board, transmitting copy of Government order No. 512, dated the 5th April 1836, sanctioning the appointment of Dr. Wise as a Local Agent at Hooghly; and approving of the Commissioner's proposal that the investigation into the receipts and expenses of the endowment in the manner as suggested by him in his letter No. 100, dated the 27th January 1836 to the Local Agents, should be immediately commenced.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 149, dated the 18th April 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, with reference to letter No. 169, dated the 9th February 1836, from the Commissioner of Murshidabad, requesting to accord sanction to Dr. Wise's salary being paid from the Treasury of the Collector of Hooghly, and Government being reimbursed out of the fund of the Trust Estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 92, dated the 25th April 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, directing to furnish the General Committee of Public Instruction at Hooghly with periodical reports of the proceeds of the zamin-daree of Jessore appertaining to the Imambarah.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 601, dated the 26th April 1836, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Board's orders dated the 3rd November 1829 relative to Akbar Alee's misappropriation of the accumulated fund of the lapsed 1/4th share.	201	
	Letter, No. 558, dated the 2nd May 1836, from the Commissioner of Murshidabad to the Sudder Board of Revenue, submitting copies of correspondence respecting the sale of Kautaganj, kharij-towlent property in satisfaction of an amount decreed in favour of Wasiq Alee Khan.	...	Not printed.



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	Letter, No. 132, dated the 23rd May 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, requesting to move the Judge of Jessore to decide without delay the appeal pending in his Court involving the question of the enhanced rent demandable under the settlement referred to in the third paragraph of the Commissioner's letter No. 425, dated the 12th December 1835, on the grounds of the serious injury sustained by the parties.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 76, dated the 30th May 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murshidabad, in reference to his letter No. 558, dated the 2nd May 1836, requesting to petition the Government Vakil of the Court to the effect that the execution of the decree against Alee Akbar Khan in the case, Wasiq Alee Khan <i>vs.</i> Alee Akbar Khan, may be postponed for a short period to give the Local Agents opportunity to prefer their counter claims against Wasiq Alee Khan for the Wasilut of Turuf Basandia held by him during a long period under a forged <i>mokarraree istamuraree pattah</i> .	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 729, dated the 4th June 1836, from the Commissioner of the 14th Division, Murshidabad, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding copy of a statement exhibiting the amount of Wasilut collections of Turuf Basandia as asked for by the Board in their letter No. 43, dated the 29th March 1836.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 200, dated the 6th June 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, in compliance with the request contained in Government order No. 601, dated the 26th April 1836, forwarding the original Persian version* of the Board's orders, dated the 3rd November 1829, defining the Mutwallee's power in regard to the disposal of the net proceeds of the estate, and again recommending the removal of Syed Akbar Alee Khan from Mutwalleeship.	203	Not traceable.*

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	Letter, No. 814, dated the 7th June 1836, from the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, with reference to the Board's letter No. 149, dated the 18th April 1836, transmitting copy of an extract from the proceedings of the Government of India in the General Department, dated the 25th May 1836, on the subject of the procedure to be followed in drawing Dr. Wise's (Secretary to the Local Committee at Hooghly) salary and all other allowances of the institution about to be established at Hooghly with funds of the Syedpore Trust Estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 81, dated the 11th June 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murshidabad, forwarding a copy of the above letter and enclosures.	...	Not printed.
Dismissal of Syed Akbar Alee Khan.	Letter, No. 889, dated the 14th June, 1836, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, directing the immediate dismissal of Syed Alee Akbar Khan from the Mutwalleeship on account of his misappropriation of the funds of the lapsed 1/4th share, and the nomination of an individual as his successor, and also requesting to call upon Mr. Belli, the Local Agent at Hooghly, for an explanation to be submitted to Government for his connivance at the misappropriation of the funds in question. [Paragraph II of the Board's rules of the 23rd March 1829 provides for sufficient checks against this sort of malversation.]	205	
	Letter, No. 87, dated the 18th June 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murshidabad, remarking that the Board's orders of the 30th May 1836, regarding the postponement of the execution of the decree against Alee Akbar Khan by Wasiq Alee Khan, have not been carried into effect, and requesting to take early action to this end.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 234, dated the 20th June 1836, from the Commissioner of the 18th Division at Alipore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the Board's letter No. 132, dated the 23rd May 1836, on the subject of pergannahs Khalispore and Moheswarpassa, reporting that the case, Syed Alee Akbar Khan <i>versus</i> Hur Chauder Mitter referred to in his (Commissioner's) letter No. 425, dated the 12th December 1835, regarding the settlement of the said pergannahs by the Collector of Jessore, has been decided by the rejection of the appeal preferred by the Mutwallee to the Judge of Jessore.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 143, dated the 20th June 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, directing to remove Syed Akbar Alee Khan at once, and to conduct the current duties of the Imambarah by means of the Umlahs now in the Mutwallee's office until a successor can be appointed.	208	
Appointment of Ghalib Alee son-in-law of Akbar Alee, as Mutwallee in his place as a tentative measure.	Letter, No. 26, dated the 22nd June 1836, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Sudder Board of Revenue, reporting that Syed Akbar Alee Khan has been dismissed in accordance with the Board's orders, and Meer Ghalib Alee, son-in-law of Akbar Alee has been appointed for the present as Mutwallee, and that they have removed all the money belonging to the 1/4th share from the Imambarah to the Government treasury.	209	
	Letter, No. 147, dated the 25th June 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, in reply to the above letter, directing to place a trustworthy person except Meer Ghalib Alee, the son-in-law of the late Mutwallee, Akbar Alee in charge of the Imambarah, and to see that Ghalib Alee may not interfere in the management of the affairs of the institution.	210	
Appointment of Zainuddin Hussain as Mutwallee.	Letter, No. 28, dated the 29th June 1836, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, informing that they have selected Syed Zainuddin Hussain, the son of Moulvi Kurm Hussain Khan, for the present charge of the affairs of the Hooghly Imambarah.	211	

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	Letter, No. 155, dated the 5th July 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to Mr. Belli, Local Agent at Hooghly, forwarding copy of Government order No. 889, dated the 14th June 1836, and calling upon him to submit an explanation for his connivance at the misappropriation of the lapsed 1/4th share of the net proceeds of the estate by the late Mutwallee, Akbar Alee Khan.	212	
	Letter, No. 953, dated the 22nd July 1836, from the Commissioner of Revenue, 14th Division at Hooghly, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding copy of a letter from the Local Agents, and its enclosures, on the subject of the resources and present condition of the Syedpore Estate.	...	Not printed.
	Petition of Mirza Aman Alee Khan, a resident of Lucknow, son-in-law of Sultan Fatteh Hyder, son of the late Tippoo Sultan, dated the 11th August 1836, for the situation of Mutwallee of the Imambarah.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, dated the 20th August 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, submitting, for the consideration and orders of the Government, copies of notes involving a difference of opinion among the members of the Board regarding the selection of a suitable person for the office of Mutwallee in place of Syed Akbar Alee Khan removed.	213	
	Letter, No. 121, dated the 3rd September 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murrshidabad, in reply to his letter No. 953, dated the 22nd July 1836, directing to look into the internal management of the estate of Syedpur.	...	Not printed.
Notes of the Hon'ble Members of the Board of Revenue in regard to the selection of a suitable person for the office of Mutwallee in place of Syed Akbar Alee Khan removed.	Letter, No. 336, dated the 9th September 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, submitting notes of both the Senior and Second Members of the Board involving a difference of opinion in regard to the selection of a suitable person for the office of Mutwallee in place of Syed Akbar Alee Khan removed.	215	

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	A copy of judgment of the Sudder Dewany Adawlut, dated the 22nd September 1836, in the case, Wasiq Alee Khan, dismissed Mutwallee of the Imambarah, appellant, <i>versus</i> the Government, respondent.	223	
Proposal for the appointment of any respectable, experienced and honest Shia to the office of Mutwallee of the Imambarah, and retention of the services of Syed Zainuddin Hossain until a Mutwallee is permanently appointed.	Letter, No. 1340, dated the 27th September 1836, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, communicating that neither Mirza Mohammed Ishpahanee, a merchant of great respectability and wealth, nor Zainuddin Hossain is eligible for the office of Mutwallee; requesting to submit the name of any respectable, experienced and honest Shia employed in the Revenue or any other department, and directing that, pending the definite appointment of a Mutwallee, Moulvi Zainuddin Hossain should remain in charge of the office.	243	
	Minute of the Hon'ble the 3rd Member of the Sudder Board of Revenue, dated the 6th December 1836, recommending Zainuddin Hossain to be the Mutwallee of the Imambarah.	245	
	Letter, No. 512, dated the 26th December 1836, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, recommending Syed Keramat Alee for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah.	249	Some enclosures are not traceable.
Appointment of Syed Keramat Alee as Mutwallee of the Imambarah.	Letter, No. 12, dated the 3rd January 1837, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, sanctioning the nomination of Syed Keramat Alee as Mutwallee of the Imambarah.	251	
	Letter, No. 17, dated the 9th January 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to Syed Keramat Alee, Sudder Ameen, Ajmere, directing him to join the situation of Mutwallee of the Imambarah, and to report his arrival at Hooghly to the local authorities without delay.	251	
	Letter, No. 16, dated the 9th January 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Superintendent, Ajmere, forwarding copy of the above letter for his information.	252	

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	Letter, No. 18, dated the 9th January 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Local Agents at Hooghly, forwarding copies of the correspondence regarding the appointment of Syed Keramat Alee as Mutwallee of the Imambarah.	252	
	Letter, No. 192, dated the 4th February 1837, from the Commissioner of the 14th Division at Calcutta to the Sudder Board of Revenue, requesting to sanction an advance of Rs. 500 to the Acting Mutwallee, for which he applies, the amount being held subject to future adjustment from the Mutwallee's $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the net proceeds of the Trust Estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 25, dated the 13th February 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murshidabad, in reply to the above letter, sanctioning the advance of Rs. 500 to the Acting Mutwallee who is fully entitled to the $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the net proceeds of the Trust Estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 38, dated the 21st March 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murshidabad, requesting to be informed whether or not a suit has been instituted in the Hooghly Judge's Court against Wasiq Alee Khan for the recovery of the Wasibut due from Turuf Basandia, and instructing to take steps in this direction and to report the Board accordingly.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 101, dated the 16th May 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Secretary to the Committee of Public Instruction at Hooghly, requesting to be informed if the accommodation for the college of Haji Muhammad Mohsin and its subordinate elementary departments is to be provided for, either by purchasing Messrs. Perron's and Haldar's houses at Chinsurah, or by appropriating a portion of the Imambarah ground at Hooghly.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 396, dated the 1st June 1837, from the Secretary to the General Committee of Public Instruction to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, informing that, on receipt of the report of deputation sent by them (the General Committee of Public Instruction), they will decide upon the location of the College in question.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 506, dated the 18th July 1837, from the Secretary to the Committee of Public Instruction at Fort William to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding for information the correspondence between the Principal of the College of Muhammad Mohsin, and the Secretary to the Committee of Public Instruction on the subject of the plan to be selected for the permanent building for the College in question, and informing that the Committee approves the purchase of the houses at Chinsurah of Messrs. Perron and Prawn Kishen Haldar.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 373, dated the 25th July 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, recommending to place the Imambarah building under the Divisional Executive Engineer, with instructions to beautify it, and to make provisions for the hospital and the musafirkhana, either by constructing new buildings, or by appropriating the old ones at Hooghly left vacant owing to the removal of the College to two large houses at Chinsurah.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 100, dated the 26th July 1837, from the Local Agents at Hooghly to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding the second quarterly return for the year 1837 of the Imambarah and the hospital expenses, and also reporting that the present hospital building is incommodious for the patients.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 1215, dated the 29th July 1837, from the Commissioner of Revenue, 14th Division at Hooghly, to the Sudder Board of Revenue, proposing to institute suits for the recovery of of the kharij-towleut mahals, viz., Malouncha and Kantaganj said to have been fraudulently alienated from the endowment by one Muhammad Hussain.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 1158, dated the 8th August 1837, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, approving the Board's measure of placing the Trust estate under the immediate management of the Collector of Jessore for realising the outstanding balances.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 137, dated the 8th August 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murshidabad, in reply to the Local Agent's letter No. 100, dated the 26th July 1837, approving the Imambarah quarterly returns, and remarking that the hospital return is quite satisfactory; and informing that the Executive Engineer has been instructed to prepare the plan and estimate for beautifying the Imambarah and affording accommodation for the hospital and the school in consultation with the Commissioner and the Local Agents.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 158, dated the 12th September 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Murshidabad, in reply to his letter No. 1215, dated the 29th July 1837, rejecting the Commissioner's proposal for the institution of a suit for the restoration of the talook of Malouncha owing to the insufficient grounds to support their claim, and sanctioning that for the recovery of the mahal of Kantagunge, in the Sudder Dewany Adawlut.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 475, dated the 19th September 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, recommending Mr. A. T. Smith to be Deputy Collector of Jessore under Regulation IX of 1833 for the superintendence of the Trust Estate of Syedpore in place of the present Superintendent who has proved himself unfit for the post.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 1369, dated the 26th September 1837, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, approving the appointment of Mr. A. T. Smith as Deputy Collector of Jessore.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 291, dated the 24th October 1837, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, informing that Mr. A. T. Smith has been appointed as Superintendent of the Trust estate in place of the old incumbent, and requesting to direct the Collector of Jessore to render Mr. Smith every assistance he may require for the realization of the outstanding balances and the current revenue from the estate.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 583, dated the 14th December 1837, from the Commissioner of the 18th Division, at Alipore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, asking for the sanction of Government to appoint an Engineer to solely superintend the construction of the Imambarah erections at Hooghly.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 60, dated 27th February 1838, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, communicating the Board's observation in regard to the kharij-towlent estates, viz., Maloucha and Kantaganj, and asking for a detailed account of them.	253	
	Letter, No. 146, dated the 27th March 1838, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, forwarding a letter from the Commissioner of Jessore and a report from the Local Agent at Hooghly, recommending the removal of Syed Keramat Alee, the present Mutwallee, who was held guilty of inspecting the accounts of the collections of the Imambarah Estate in defiance of the Local Agent's order.	255	Most of the enclosures are not traceable.
Mutwallee's power in the management of the Imambarah.	Letter, No. 712, dated the 17th April 1838, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, observing that the conduct of the Mutwallee, Syed Keramat Alee, is neither blameable nor deserving of dismissal, and defining the Mutwallee's power in the management of the Imambarah.	261	
An account of the kharij-towlent estates.	Letter, No. 224, dated the 30th April 1838, from the Commissioner of Jessore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding a letter from the Local Agent at Hooghly, No. 19, dated the 24th April 1838, containing an elaborate account of the kharij-towlent estates as asked for by the Board in letter No. 60, dated the 27th February 1838.	263	
	Letter, No. 197, dated the 15th May 1838, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, in reply to the above letter, sending the Board's opinion that the kharij-towlent estates are altogether distinct from the Trust Property, and should therefore be discharged from the Imambarah accounts.	265	

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	Letter, No. 205, dated the 15th May 1838, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, forwarding copy of Government order No. 712, dated the 17th April 1838, giving instructions to make regular payment of money to the Mutwallee on account of the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share for the Imambarah and the $\frac{1}{3}$ th for himself, and to allow him to inspect the account books.	267	
Syed Keramat Alee's refusal to allow the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share to be charged with the expenses of the Imambarah hospital.	Letter, No. 378, dated the 25th July 1838, from the Commissioner of the 18th Division at Alipore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding copy of a letter from the Local Agents at Hooghly, complaining against the Mutwallee, Syed Keramat Alee, who did not allow any part of the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share to be charged with the expenses of the Imambarah hospital at Hooghly.	269	
Miscellaneous expenses unconnected with the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share to be met from the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share, and payment in advance to the Mutwallee on account of $\frac{1}{3}$ ths and $\frac{1}{3}$ th shares.	Letter, No. 403, dated the 3rd August 1838, from the Commissioner of the 18th Division at Alipore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to Board's letter No. 205, dated the 15th May 1838, suggesting that all miscellaneous expenses not immediately connected with the purpose for which the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share was set aside be defrayed from the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share, and that payments on account of the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths and $\frac{1}{3}$ th shares may be made to the Mutwallee in advance without any interference on the part of the Local Agents.	271	
	Letter, No. 447, dated the 7th August 1838, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, recommending that in the matter of alterations and repairs of the religious buildings the Mutwallee should be left exclusively to exercise his discretion.	...	Not printed.
Expenses on account of the Imambarah hospital to be charged to the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share.	Letter, No. 404, dated the 7th August 1838, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, in reply to his letter No. 378, dated the 25th July 1838, directing to draw the attention of the Local Agents to India's resolution of the 28th October 1835, which ruled that expenses on account of the hospital should be charged to the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share, and not to the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share.	274	

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Local Agents' duty in connection with the Imambarah confined to inspection of the accounts of the ½ths share.	Letter, No. 427, dated the 21st August 1838, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, in reply to his letter No. 403, dated the 3rd August 1838, instructing to direct the Local Agents to confine their duties in connection with the Imambarah to the inspection of the accounts of the ½ths share, and to meet the charges on account of the hospital from the ½ths and not from the ¼ths share and to pay no advance to the Mutwallee.	275	
Petition of Wasiq Alee Khan to the Government of India, giving a detailed account of the case, Wasiq Alee versus the Government.	Letter, No. 196, dated the 5th February 1839, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, asking for a detailed elucidation of the case, Wasiq Alee Khan, appellant, versus the Government, respondent, as desired by the Government of India whom Wasiq Alee memorialised to regain his situation of Mutwallee.	277	
Wrongful charge of certain items of expenditure to the ½ths and ¼ths shares which should have been met from the ½ths share.	Letter, No. 190, dated the 10th June 1839, from the Commissioner of Jessore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, reporting that the ½ths share was wrongfully charged with several items of expenditure which should have been met by the funds of the ½ths share and the kharij-towleut estate; that the Collector of Jessore occasioned a considerable loss to ½ths and ¼ths shares by deducting the expense of establishment for the management of the estate from the surplus proceeds which he should have wholly remitted to the Local Agents at Hooghly, first, and then received back from them the establishment charges out of the ½ths share; and that the Imambarah buildings were in a perfectly disgraceful state.	295	
	Letter, No. 774, dated the 11th June 1839, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, requesting to send up the information asked for in Government letter No. 196, dated the 5th February 1839, regarding the case of Wasiq Alee Khan.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 168, dated the 2nd July 1839, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, in reply to his letter No. 190, dated the 10th June 1839, asking to explain in details what items of expenditure burdened the ½ths share, which should have been charged to the ½ths share.	298	

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	Letter, No. 10, dated the 9th July 1839, from the Commissioner of Jessore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, saying that in appropriating the money for the expenses of the management of the endowment, ½ths and ¼ths shares have been wrongfully charged.	299	
	Letter, No. 188, dated the 17th July 1839, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, in reply to the above letter, asking for further information showing under what circumstances certain expenses were charged erroneously to ½ths and ¼ths shares.	300	
<i>Précis</i> of all correspondence and records connected with the removal of Wasiq Alee Khan from Mutwalleeship, and minutes of the Hon'ble Members of the Board regarding the defence of the case, Wasiq Alee versus the Government in the Sudder Dewanny Adawlut by the Government.	Letter, No. 354, dated the 17th July 1839, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, in reply to Government order No. 196, dated the 5th February 1839, submitting an abstract of all the correspondence and records connected with the removal of the Mutwallee, Wasiq Alee Khan, and the appointment of Alee Akbar Khan in his place; and also an abstract of the correspondence of 1832-33, and minutes of the Hon'ble Members of the Board regarding the defence of the case, Wasiq Alee Khan versus the Government in the Sudder Dewany Adawlut by the Government.	301	The original documents referred to in this letter are not traceable.
	Letter No. 652, dated the 24th December 1839, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, submitting a report on the petition presented to His Honour the Deputy Governor of Bengal by one Shaikh Sukhawat Alee and others relative to the alleged misconduct of the Mutwallee, Syed Keramat Alee.	309	
	Letter, No. 2, dated the 2nd January 1840, from the Commissioner of the 18th Division at Alipore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, informing that he will direct the Local Agents at Hooghly to remit to the Committee of Public Instruction the surplus from the deposit of the lapsed ½th share, which the Local Agents may have at their disposal after meeting the expenses of the decree obtained by Wasiq Alee Khan against the estate of the late Hajee.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 108, dated the 16th January 1840, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to Board's letter No. 652, dated the 24th December 1839, asking them to state clearly what exact charges were made against the Mutwallee.	311	
	Letter, No. 6, dated the 22nd January 1840, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Committee of Public Instruction, informing that there is not any available surplus amount beyond what may remain on account of the deposit of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share after paying from it the amount decreed by Wasiq Alee Khan against the estate of the late Hajee Muhammad Mohsin.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 111, dated the 7th February 1840, from the General Committee of Public Instruction to the Sudder Board of Revenue, informing that the committee have not received the accumulated deposit of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the Imambara Trust fund, and also a further sum arising from lapsed pensions, which are available for the purpose of education, and requesting to remit the money regularly to the committee monthly or otherwise.	...	Not printed.
Charges brought against Syed Keramat Alee.	Letter, No. 88, dated the 18th February 1840, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, in reply to Government order No. 108, dated the 16th January 1840, suggesting that an investigation may be made into the conduct of Syed Keramat Alee, the Mutwallee of the Imambarah, against whom certain charges were brought by several persons in two petitions.	312	
	Letter, No. 12, dated the 19th February 1840, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the General Committee of Public Instruction, in reply to Committee's letter No. 111, dated 7th February 1840, informing that the Board have made arrangement to the effect that the accumulated deposit of the lapsed $\frac{1}{4}$ th share may regularly be remitted to the General Committee of Public Instruction.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 48, dated the 19th February 1840, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, requesting to instruct the Collector of Hooghly to remit the $\frac{1}{4}$ th share to the General Committee of Public Instruction as soon as the proceeds of the estate are received at the Collector's Treasury and divided into shares, and to bring to the Commissioner's notice any irregularity on the part of the Collector of Jessore in the collections.	...	Not printed.
Decree obtained by Wasiq Alee Khan, the dismissed Mutwallee, against the estate of the late Hajee.	Letter, No. 206, dated the 29th April 1840, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, forwarding for the orders of Government copy of letter No. 102, dated the 13th April 1840, from the Commissioner of Jessore, and suggesting to pay to the District Judge of Hooghly from the Hooghly Collector's Treasury the amount of Rs. 7,496-9-7, being the interest due on account of a decree obtained by Wasiq Alee Khan, the dismissed Mutwallee against the estate of the late Hajee.	313	Some years after the demise of the late Hajee Mohammad Mohsin a suit was instituted in the Civil Court by Wasiq Alee Khan for the recovery of the principal (Rs. 19,000) and its interest alleged to be due upon a bond purporting to have been executed by the Hajee, and a decree was obtained against the estate of the Hajee by Wasiq Alee.
	Letter, No. 714, dated the 12th May 1840, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, sanctioning the Board's proposal to authorise the Collector of Hooghly to advance the sum of Rs. 7,496-9-7 on account of the interest of the sum decreed by Wasiq Alee Khan against the estate of the late Hajee.	317	
	Letter, No. 127, dated the 27th May 1840, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, informing that the Government has authorised the Collector of Hooghly to advance the sum of Rs. 7,496-9-7 from the Government Treasury in payment of interest due on account of a decree obtained by Wasiq Alee Khan against the estate of Hajee Muhammad Mohsin.	318	

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Proposal for the re-erection of the entire Imambarah building.	Letter, No. 18 C. T., dated the 27th November 1840, from the Commissioner of Jessore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, transmitting copies of correspondence between him and the Local Agents at Hooghly, and recommending to the Board the Mutwallee's proposal for taking upon himself the duty of making the repairs of the Imambarah subject to final test of the work by the Superintending Engineer, for which purpose he has in his hand Rs. 34,664 accumulated from the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share.	321	The Mutwallee's application referred to in the Local Agent's letter is not traceable.
	Letter, No. 660, dated the 26th December 1840, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, recommending the Mutwallee's proposal in the above letter as regards the repairs to the Imambarah subject to final examination of the work by the Executive Engineer.	327	
	Letter, No. 73 dated the 12th January 1841, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, sanctioning the above proposal, and asking for a report from the Executive Engineer after the completion of the repairs.	328	
Increase in the expenditure of the Imambarah establishment on account of Zakerans.	Letter, No. 169, dated the 12th August 1841, from the Commissioner of Jessore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, informing that there has been an increase in the expenditure of the Imambarah establishment on account of Zakerans who have hitherto been paid from the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share but now paid from the $\frac{2}{3}$ ths share.	329	
	Letter, No. 153, dated the 25th August 1841, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, informing that the Board have no objection to the increased establishment on account of Zakerans, the funds of the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share being amply sufficient to meet such a charge.	331	

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	Letter, No. 253, dated the 18th November 1841, from the Commissioner of the Jessore Division to the Sudder Board of Revenue, forwarding a report from Mr. Smith, Superintendent of the Syedpur Trust Estate, relative to the management of the Trust property, during the years 1840-41, and statement of the balances therein referred to.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 278, dated the 30th December 1841, from the Commissioner of Jessore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, submitting with his remarks copy of a letter from the Collector of Jessore, and its enclosures, and recommending that the charges of the mufassil collections of pergaanabs Khallispore and Maheswarpara from the years 1239 to 1243 B. S., viz., Rs. 7,959-4-9, which is an irrecoverable amount, may be written-off.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 53, dated the 1st March 1842, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, in reply to the above letters, sanctioning the writing-off of the amount.	...	Not printed.
Sentiments of the Hon'ble the Court of Directors on the claim of Wasiq Alee Khan to be restored to the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah.	Letter, No. 187, dated the 6th February 1843, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, transmitting an original letter from the Government of India, with the extract proceedings referred to therein, containing the sentiments of the Hon'ble Court of Directors on the claim of Wasiq Alee Khan to be restored to the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah, and requesting to furnish the information required by the Supreme Government as to the present state and distribution of the funds of the endowment of the late Hajee.	333	Wasiq Alee's memorial to the Court of Directors is not traceable.
	Letter, No. 211, dated the 18th June 1843, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, transmitting a letter, No. 9, dated the 11th May 1843, from the Local Agents at Hooghly, containing the information relative to the present state and distribution of the funds of the endowment as asked for in the above letter.	337	Persian enclosures are not traceable.



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	Letter, No. 18, dated the 14th January 1846, from the Officiating Collector of Jessore to the Sudder Board of Revenue, submitting for the Board's orders certain papers which the Commissioner of Jessore has declined to forward, relative to the charge of embezzlement preferred by the Mutwallee of the Imambarah against Mr. Smith, Superintendent of the Trust estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 30, dated the 5th February 1846, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Jessore, in reply to the above letter, remarking that the charges brought by the Mutwallee of the Imambarah against Mr. A. T. Smith, Superintendent of the Trust estate, are altogether false and groundless, and should have been communicated to the Board by the Commissioner, and directing that the Mutwallee may be reprimanded through the Local Agents for bringing such charges.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 65, dated the 4th March 1846, from the Commissioner of the Jessore Division to the Sudder Board of Revenue, with reference to the above letter, informing that he has reprimanded the Mutwallee, and submitting his explanation for the non-submission of Mr. Smith's refutation of the charges preferred by the Mutwallee against him.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 404, dated the 3rd September 1846, from the Commissioner of the Jessore Division to the Sudder Board of Revenue, proposing to place at the disposal of the Mutwallee the accumulations of the $\frac{1}{4}$ th share of the endowment for appropriation in repairing the buildings of the Imambarah and for necessary increase of the servants of the establishment.	339	The Persian Rubukaree of the Mutwallee is not traceable.
	Letter, No. 466, dated the 7th October 1846, from the Commissioner of the Jessore Division to the Sudder Board of Revenue, in reply to Board's letter No. 340,* dated the 23rd September 1846, suggesting that in future all accumulations of the Trust fund in the Collector's treasury should be discontinued; and that whenever these accumulations amount in any share to more than Rs. 5,000, reserving this sum for current expenses, surplus of each year in each share ought to be at once placed at interest in Government securities to the credit of the share to which it appertains.	343	Some enclosures are not traceable.  Not traceable.*

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	Letter, No. 435, dated the 28th November 1846, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Jessore Division, in reply to the above letter, approving the proposal referred to therein in the matter of accumulated surplus of the Imambarah fund.	345	
	Letter, No. 397, dated the 1st October 1847, from the Commissioner of Jessore Division to the Sudder Board of Revenue, submitting for Board's orders copies of letters from the Local Agents of Hooghly relative to the appointment, by the Mutwallee, Syed Keramat Alee, of one Moulvi Meer Mohammed at a monthly salary of Rs. 100 for the performance of certain duties of the Imambarah.	347	
	Letter, No. 342, dated the 26th October 1847, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Jessore Division, in reply to the above letter, communicating that the Mutwallee is competent to appoint Meer Muhammad at a monthly salary of Rs. 100, and that the Board consider the Mutwallee's conduct in regard to Meer Muhammad's appointment disrespectful to the Local Agents, and they request that this may be pointed out to him with an admonition.	352	
Application of Syed Keramat Alee for pension.	Letter, No. 204, dated the 22nd November 1858, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, forwarding with his recommendation an application from Syed Keramat Alee, Mutwallee of the Imambarah, for a pension, and a copy of the Local Agent's letter recommending the grant to him of a pension equal to one-third of his salary (viz., Rs. 700) per mensem.	353	
	Letter, No. 307, dated the 1st December 1858, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, in reply to the above letter, requesting to report whether the grant of the pension solicited by the Mutwallee is compatible with the provisions of the Deed of Trust.	355	

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YY	Letter, No. 230, dated the 10th December 1858, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, submitting an old translation of the Deed of Trust founding the Hooghly <sup>*</sup> Imambarah, and recommending the grant of a pension to Syed Keramat Alee.	356	
	Letter, No. 329, dated the 17th December 1858, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Burdwan, in reply to the above letter, communicating the Board's views that the grant of pension to a Mutwallee would be contrary to the Deed of Trust, and that they are, therefore, unable to recommend it to Government.	357	
	Extract, paragraph 10 of the letter No. 333, dated the 19th January 1863, from the Government of Bengal to the Sudder Board of Revenue, asking for a report on the general condition of the Syedpur Trust estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 28, dated the 20th February 1863, from the Sudder Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Nuddea, asking for a report showing why the funds made over last year from the Trust Estate to the Imambarah were insufficient and less than usual; for a report showing the results of the institution and withdrawal of the resumption suits; and also for a statement showing the number of suits decided for and against the Trust Estate and the number withdrawn.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 35, dated the 20th February 1863, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, requesting to dispose of the Hooghly Local Agents' reference made to him concerning the re-erection of the Moorley Imambarah in Jessore from savings effected from the funds allotted for the support of the Hooghly Imambarah.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 440 B., dated the 21st February 1863, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, forwarding in original a petition <sup>*</sup> from the Mutwallee of the Hooghly Imambarah soliciting permission to expend Rs. 8,047-3-3½ for re-erection of the Imambarah at Moorley in Jessore, and recommending to sanction the expenditure out of the savings of the 1/3th share.	359	* Not traceable.

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	Letter, No. 470, dated the 19th March 1863, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, submitting copy of letter No. 3, dated the 16th March 1863, from the Local Agents of Hooghly, relative to the complaint of the Mutwallee on account of an insufficient amount remitted to him (the Mutwallee) for the expenses of the Imambarah, and asking for a copy of the Mutwallee's complaint to the Board.	...	Not printed.
Re-construction of the Moorley Imambarah.	Letter, No. 47, dated the 19th March 1863, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, in reply to his letter No. 440 B., dated the 21st February 1863, sanctioning the expenditure of Rs. 8,047-3-3½ for the reconstruction of the Imambarah at Moorley out of the savings effected from the amount allotted for the expenses of the Hooghly Imambarah.	361	
	Letter, No. 74, dated the 16th April 1863, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, with reference to his letter No. 470, dated the 19th March 1863, informing that no formal written complaint was made by the Mutwallee to the Board relating to the insufficiency of the funds for the Imambarah, but, in the course of conversation with one of the members of the Board, the Mutwallee mentioned that the remittances from the Syedpur Trust Estate were this year less than usual and insufficient; and also calling for a report on the subject, with a comparative statement showing the amount of remittances made in each of the years 1860-61, 1861-62 and 1862-63 for the Imambarah.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 692, dated the 28th April 1863, from the Commissioner of the Nuddea Division to the Board of Revenue, submitting copies of two letters from the Collector of Jessore, giving, in full details, the information called for by the Board in their letter No. 28, dated the 20th February 1863, relative to the Trust Estate.	...	Not printed.

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	Letter, No. 9, dated the 5th May 1863, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue submitting a comparative statement showing the amount of remittances made in each of the years 1860-61, 1861-62 and 1862-63 from the Trust Estate for the Imambarah.	...	Not printed.
✓	Letter, No. 84, dated the 6th May 1863, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Nuddea Division, requesting to send up the names of eight or ten Muhammadan gentlemen qualified to act as trustees for Muhammad Mohsin's endowment under section 7 of Act XX of 1863.	361	
	Letter No. 16, dated the 8th May 1863, from the Commissioner of the Nuddea Division to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, informing that he has no acquaintance with any Muhammadan gentlemen qualified to act as Trustees for the endowment.	362	
✓	Letter, No. 95, dated the 13th May 1863, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, requesting to send up the names of eight or ten Muhammadan gentlemen qualified to act as Trustees for Muhammad Mohsin's endowment under section 7 of Act XX of 1863.	363	
	Letter, No. 62, dated the 30th May 1863, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, submitting the names of five Muhammadan gentlemen to act as Trustees under section 7 of Act XX of 1863.	364	
	Letter, dated the 6th June 1863, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, in continuation of the above letter, submitting a list of the names of some Muhammadan gentlemen qualified to act as Trustees of the endowment of the late Hajee Muhammad Mohsin.	365	

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	Letter, No. 166, dated the 9th June 1863, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, with reference to paragraph 10 of Government order No. 333, dated the 19th January 1863, submitting a report regarding the general condition and management of the Trust Estate, with an explanation showing how the remittance for the Imambarah during the year 1861-62 was insufficient and less than usual.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 2517, dated the 18th June 1863, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, informing that the explanation given on the various points connected with the management of the Trust is considered by the Lieutenant-Governor to be satisfactory, and asking for a report on the result of certain resumption suits.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 169, dated the 24th June 1863, from the Board of Revenue to (1) Captain W. N. Lees, (2) Maulvi Abdul Lateef Khan Bahadur and (3) Munshi Amir Ali, forwarding a list of Muhammadan gentlemen selected by the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division as qualified to hold the appointments of Trustees to the Imambarah, and asking for their opinion about these gentlemen.	367	
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	Letter, dated the 5th August 1863, from Captain W. N. Lees, L.L.D., Visitor and Director, Hooghly Madrassa, to the Board of Revenue in reply to Board's letter No. 169, dated the 24th June 1863, giving his opinion on the eligibility of the gentlemen named in the Board's letter referred to to act as Trustees to the Imambarah endowment.	375	
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	Letter, No. 2034, dated the 15th October 1863, from the Superintendent and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs, Bengal, to the Government of Bengal, in continuation of the above letter submitting his further observations on the question of the management of the Syedpur endowment under the provisions of Act XX of 1863.	383	

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Repairs to the Imambarah at a cost of Rs. 10,000 met from the savings of the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share.	Letter, No. 64A., dated the 12th May 1870, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, in reply to the above letter, approving the action of the Mutwallee and the Local Agents in carrying out the repairs of the Imambarah at a cost of Rs. 10,000 met from the savings of the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share.	401	
Delay of 7 years in making over the religious portion of the Trust to a Committee of Management owing to the difficulty of procuring suitable candidates for the charge.	Letter, No. 95A., dated the 29th July 1870, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, informing that there has been much delay (7 years since the Government order was passed) in making over the Trust estate attached to the Imambarah to a Committee of Management owing to the difficulty of procuring suitable candidates for the charge, and requesting to secure the services of at least three gentlemen of known character and position.	402	W
	Letter, No. 761A., dated the 11th November 1870, from the Officiating Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, submitting copy of a letter from the Local Agents, and its enclosures, on the subject of electing a committee of five gentlemen as Trustees to the estate.	403	Board's letter No. 1787A., dated the 25th November 1869, forming an enclosure to this letter is not traceable.

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	Letter, No. 69A., dated the 20th January 1871, from the Board of Revenue to the Collector of the 24-Pergannahs, with reference to the above letter requesting to be furnished with the addresses of the persons therein nominated as members of the Syedpur Trust Committee.	406	The Collector of the 24-Pergannahs acted temporarily as Commissioner of the Burdwan Division referred to in the above letter No. 761A., dated 11th November 1870.
	Letter, No. 580 G., dated the 31st January 1871, from the Collector of the 24-Pergannahs to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, giving the addresses of the gentlemen referred to therein.	407	
	Letter, No. 142A., dated the 7th July 1871, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, with reference to Government order No. 4117, dated the 21st March 1865, asking for the sanction of Government to the appointment of (1) Munshi Ameer Alee, (2) Mirza Kasim Alee and (3) Agha Abbas Teharini as members of the committee of the Syedpur Trust.	408	*Not traceable.
	Letter, No. 2725, dated the 21st July 1871, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, sanctioning the appointment of the three gentlemen mentioned therein.	409	✓✓
Appointment of the members of the Committee of Management for the Syedpur Trust.	Bengal Government notification, dated the 29th July 1871, publishing the names of the three gentlemen noted above as members of the committee for the management of the Syedpur endowment.	410	✓
	Resolution of the Government of Bengal, General Department (Education), dated the 29th July 1873, affording increased educational facilities to Mahomedans in Bengal with the help of the secular portion of the Mohsin Endowment Fund.	735	✓
	Letter, No. 23, dated the 7th April 1874, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, asking for sanction to the appointment of Maulvi Mirza Wahid Alee as a member of the Committee of Management for the Imambarah <i>vice</i> Mirza Kasim Alee, deceased.	411	

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✓	Letter, No. 199A., dated the 22nd April 1874, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, pointing out the true nature of the committee appointed under Act XX of 1863, which is not clearly understood by him.	412	✓
	Letter, No. 94, dated the 29th April 1874, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue in reply to the above letter, submitting the proposal made by the Local Agents of Hooghly for the appointment of a third member of the committee for the Trust, and reporting that the Local Agents did not make over to the Committee the charge of the Imambarah property.	413	✓
	Letter, No. 231 A., dated the 11th June 1874, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, submitting copy of a letter, No. 225, dated the 2nd June 1874, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, with enclosures, on the subject of the appointment of a successor to the deceased Mirza Kasim Alee, late member of the committee for the management of the Imambarah, and recommending the Commissioner's proposal that the Mutwallee should not be allowed to make new nomination in place of those who were appointed under Government order No. 2725, dated the 21st July 1871.	415	
	Letter, No. 1505, dated the 6th July 1874, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, expressing dissatisfaction at the delay which has occurred in carrying into effect the Government order No. 2725, dated 21st July 1871 (viz., appointment under Act XX of 1863, of three members to serve on the committee with full powers of the Board and the Local Agents), and desiring to increase the number of the members.	419	✓
	Letter, No. 324A., dated the 24th August 1874, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, in reply to the above letter, recommending to make an application to the Civil Court at Hooghly, praying that Mirza Wahid Alee be appointed to the vacancy in the Committee of Trustees for the Imambarah, and that the duties of the Trust be transferred to the committee.	421	

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	Letter, No. 2164, dated the 13th October 1874, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, approving the Board's proposal referred to therein and requesting to submit a report on the subject of a pension to be granted to Syed Keramat Alee who has submitted an application, dated the 18th September 1874, for the same, and also asking as to whether he is entitled to appoint his successor, and, if not, what arrangement should be made in his place.	424	
Application of Syed Zainuddin Hossain for Mutwalleeship.	Application of Syed Zainuddin Hossain, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, dated the 14th December 1874, to the Board of Revenue, for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah in place of Syed Keramat Alee.	425	
	Letter, No. 238, dated the 30th January 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in continuation of the above letter, enquiring the result of the application made to the Hooghly Civil Court for the appointment of Mirza Wahid Alee as a member of the Syedpur Trust Committee.	426	
	Letter, No. 261, dated the 2nd February 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in continuation of the above letter, calling for the Board's opinion regarding the amount of pension which should be granted to the present Mutwallee, Syed Keramat Alee.	427	
Application of Agha Muhammad Takee Sherazee for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah.	Application made by Agha Muhammad Takee Sherazee, dated the 8th February 1875, to the Board of Revenue, for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah in place of Syed Keramat Alee.	428	
	Letter, No. 64A., dated the 8th March 1875, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, in reply to Government order No. 2164, dated the 13th October 1874, forwarding correspondence on the subject of the grant of a pension to Syed Keramat Alee, who served under Government as Mutwallee for 37 years.	429	

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Grant of a pension to Syed Keramat Alee.	Letter, No. 701, dated the 18th March 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in reply to Board's letter No. 64A., dated the 8th March 1875, sanctioning the grant to Syed Keramat Alee of a pension of Rs. 3,775 per annum equal to moiety of his average salary for the last ten years, and informing that in recognition of the Mutwallee's political services a recommendation will be made to the Government of India for the grant of an additional pension so as to bring up the amount of his pension to Rs. 5,000 annually, and that full weight should be given to any recommendation which the Mutwallee may make in regard to the appointment of his successor.	442	
Proposal for the grant of an additional pension to Syed Keramat Alee.	Letter, No. 703, dated the 18th March 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Government of India, recommending the grant to Syed Keramat Alee of an additional pension in consideration of his political services prior to his appointment as Mutwallee of the Imambarah.	443	
	Letter, No. 712, dated the 19th March 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, returning the applications of Sayid Zainuddin Hussain and Agha Mohammad Takee for the post of Mutwallee of the Imambarah, and saying that their cases will be considered when the question of the grant of a pension to Syed Keramat Alee and of the appointment of his successor will be taken up.	444	
Petition of the Moghul Shia community of Calcutta regarding the appointment of a successor to Syed Keramat Alee.	Endorsement, No. 749, dated the 24th March 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, forwarding a petition from the Moghul Shia community of Calcutta regarding the appointment of a successor to Syed Keramat Alee.	445	✓

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Application of Agha Abbas Teharani for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah.	Memorandum, No. 798, dated the 31st March 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, forwarding an application of Agha Abbas Teharanee for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah in place of Syed Keramat Alee.	446	
Rejection of the application made to the District Judge of Hooghly relating to the appointment of Wahid Alee as a member of the committee in place of Kasim Alee, deceased.	Letter, No. 209A., dated the 8th April 1875, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, in reply to Government order No. 238, dated the 30th January 1875, forwarding copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, intimating that the District Judge of Hooghly has rejected the application made by the Government in regard to the appointment of Wahid Alee as a member of the Committee of Management for the Imambarah in place of Kasim Alee, deceased.	447	✓ ✓
	Letter, No. 12T., dated the 14th April 1875, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, returning with his report the petition of the Moghul Shia community of Calcutta, and its English translation relating to the appointment of a successor to Syed Keramat Alee.	451	Board's letter No. 139A., dated the 29th April 1875, is not traceable. ✓
	Letter, No. 979, dated the 20th April 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in reply to Board's letter No. 209 A., dated 8th April 1875, requesting to submit the names of five gentlemen fully qualified to be members of the Committee of Management for the Imambarah.	454	
Qualifications and antecedents of each of the candidates for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah in place of Syed Keramat Alee.	Letter, No. 89, dated the 6th May 1875, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, forwarding for information copy of a letter from the Local Agents at Hooghly, containing their criticisms on the qualifications and antecedents of each of the candidates for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah in place of Syed Keramat Alee.	✓ 455	Board's letters No. 127, dated the 22nd March 1875, and No. 187, dated the 20th April 1875, referred to in this letter, are not traceable.

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	Letter, No. 135, dated the 28th May 1875, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, submitting copy of a letter from the Local Agents at Hooghly, reporting that Agha Abbas Teharanee desires to stand as a candidate for the appointment of Mutwallee of the Imambarah in preference to his nomination as a member of the Committee of Management for that institution.	461	
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	Letter, No. 1326, dated the 31st May 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Government of India, submitting for orders letter No. 88, dated the 13th May 1875, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, recommending that Syed Keramat Alee's present of his library to the Imambarah be duly acknowledged.	465	
	Memorandum, No. 1327, dated the 31st May 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, forwarding copy of the correspondence relating to the present of Syed Keramat Alee's library to the Imambarah.	466	
	Letter, No. 349 A., dated the 5th June 1875, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, submitting a report on the applications for the Mutwalleeship of the Imambarah in place of Syed Keramat Alee, and recommending Syed Ashrafuddin Ahmed for the situation.	467	

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	Letter, No. 1076, dated the 29th June 1875, from the Government of India to the Government of Bengal, in reply to Bengal Government letter No. 1326, dated the 31st May 1875, accepting Syed Keramat Alee's present of his library to the Imambarah, and suggesting that if there be any strong feeling against the removal of the old library to the Hooghly College, the books may be restored to the Imambarah, and brought under the same arrangement as may be made for the preservation of the new library.	472	
	Memorandum, No. 309 A., dated the 1st July 1875, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, forwarding copy of Government order No. 1302 T., dated the 25th June 1875, for information, and requesting to arrange for the charge of the Imambarah being made over to the newly appointed Mutwallee, Syed Ashrafuddin Ahmed.	473	
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	Letter, No. 1699, dated the 9th July 1875, from the Government of Bengal to Syed Keramat Alee, Mutwallee of the Imambarah, informing that his offer to present his library to the Imambarah has been accepted, and conveying an expression of both the Viceroy's and Lieutenant-Governor's thanks, and cordial appreciation of his valuable gift.	475	
	Letter, No. 1700, dated the 9th July 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, calling for a report as to the state of local feeling on the subject of the removal of the old library of the Imambarah to the Hooghly College.	476	✓



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Appointment of a committee consisting of five members for the management of the Imambarah.	Notification by the Government of Bengal, dated the 20th July 1875, appointing a committee for the management of the religious portion of the Trust Estate.	477	VVV
	Letter, No. 1822, dated the 23rd July 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, informing that the five gentlemen named within have been appointed to act as a committee in the district of Hooghly for the management of that portion of the proceeds of the estate which is appropriated to religious uses.	478	V
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	Letter, No. 479A., dated the 5th November 1875, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Burdwan, expressing regret at the death of Syed Keramat Alee.	486	
	Letter, No. 518, dated the 26th November 1875, from the Commissioner of Burdwan to the Board of Revenue, submitting a report regarding the duties to be made over by the Local Agents of Hooghly to the committee appointed by Government in respect of that portion of the proceeds of the Trust Estate which is appropriated to religious uses.	487	V
	Letter, No. 530A., dated the 7th December 1875, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of Burdwan, requesting to furnish any information regarding the Kharij towleut estates.	491	
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	Letter, No. 571, dated the 11th December 1875, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, in reply to Board's letter No. 530A., dated the 7th December 1875, forwarding copies of correspondence containing information about the Kharij towleut property.	493	
	Memorandum, No. 2969, dated the 18th December 1875, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, forwarding copy of letter, No. 627F., dated the 11th December 1875, from the Government of India, for information.	503	

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	Letter, No. 219, dated the 26th January 1876, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, Bengal, stating, in reply to the above letter, that the orders of 1863, appointing the Committee of Management, should be now carried into effect, that a sum of Rs. 750 per month should be granted for the expenses of the religious establishments from the 1/3th share of the estate income, that the Kharij towlent lands should be considered as vested in the religious manager of the Imambarah, and that the proceeds of the ferry should be counted as belonging to the Syedpur estate and not to the Kharij towlent lands.	515	✓
	Memorandum No. 49A., dated the 5th February 1876, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, with reference to his letter No. 571, dated the 11th December 1875, forwarding copy of the above letter with connected correspondence for guidance, and directing to report the transfer of the charge of the Imambarah to the Committee of Management.	517	✓
	Letter, No. 694, dated the 12th February 1876, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, requesting to be furnished with two spare copies of the printed correspondence regarding the management of the religious portion of the proceeds of the Trust estate.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 60 A., dated the 16th February 1876, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, in compliance with the above letter forwarding printed copies of the correspondence on the subject referred to above.	...	Not printed. ✓

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	Letter, No. 14, dated the 6th April 1876, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, forwarding copy of a letter from the Local Agents of Hooghly, reporting that the committee appointed under Act XX of 1863 for the management of the religious portion of the Syedpur Estate have not yet entered on their functions formally.	...	Not printed. ✓
Transfer of the charge of the Imambarah to the committee appointed under Act XX of 1863.	Letter, No. 129, dated the 23rd May 1876 from the Commissioner of Burdwan to the Board of Revenue, reporting on the transfer of the charge of the Imambarah to the committee appointed under Act XX of 1863.	519	VVV
	Letter, No. 320 A., dated the 14th August 1876, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, requesting submission of further report promised by the Local Agents at Hooghly on the subject of the transfer of the charge of the Imambarah to the committee appointed under Act XX of 1863.	...	Not printed. ✓
	Letter, No. 262 T., dated the 11th September 1876, from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, explaining the inability of the Local Agent at Hooghly to submit further report as promised by him on the subject reported to therein.	...	Not printed.
	Letter, No. 414, dated the 8th November 1876, from the Board of Revenue to the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, requesting submission of further reports regarding the Trust Estate.	...	Not printed.
Separation of the religious portion of the fund from the secular, and to draw the same from the funds deposited in the Hooghly treasury.	Memorandum, No. 656 A., dated the 20th November 1876, from the Board of Revenue to the Government of Bengal, with reference to Government order No. 219, dated the 26th January 1876, forwarding copy of a letter from the Commissioner of the Burdwan Division, requesting Government to authorise the Committee of Management of the Imambarah to separate the religious portion of the fund from the secular, and to draw the same from the funds deposited in the Hooghly treasury.	525	✓

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Transfer of certain Kharij tomlent properties to the committee for the management of the Imambarah.	Letter, No. 2158, dated the 9th August 1877, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, in reply to the above letter, sanctioning the proposal referred to therein.	532	
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	Letter, No. 25, dated the 10th May 1881, from the Committee of Management of the Imambarah to the Government of Bengal, urging the necessity for the repairs of the Imambarah, and requesting to debit the cost of repairs to the surplus proceeds of the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share of the endowment.	541	
	Memorandum, No. 316 T., dated the 26th May 1881, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, forwarding the above letter, and asking for a full report on the subject with a statement of the present condition of the Imambarah fund.	542	

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	Letter, No. 868 T., dated the 30th July 1881, from the Government of Bengal to the Committee of Management of the Imambarah, in reply to their letter, No. 25, dated the 10th May 1881, informing that Government may make a grant from the surplus proceeds of the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share for the repairs of the Imambarah, if the committee cannot meet the expenditure from the amount at their disposal.	551	
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	Memorandum, No. 1931 B., dated the 20th September 1881, from the Public Works Department to the Revenue Department of this Government, with reference to the above memorandum submitting a report called for therein.	553	
	Letter, No. 1331 B., dated the 15th April 1882, from the Public Works Department to the Revenue Department of this Government, forwarding plans and estimate* for the repairs to the Imambarah buildings.	555	Not traceable.*
	Letter, No. 1346-481 L. R., dated the 23rd May 1882, from the Government of Bengal to the Board of Revenue, asking for a report showing what sum would be available from the $\frac{1}{3}$ ths share for the repairs to the Imambarah.	556	
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	Letter, No. 583 T.-R., dated the 16th October 1882, from the Government of Bengal to the Solicitor to the Government of India, asking for an expression of his opinion regarding the competency of Government to devote any portion of the surplus funds of the $\frac{1}{4}$ ths share of the endowment to the repairs of the Imambarah buildings.	577	
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	Letter, No. 206, dated the 17th March 1890, from the Government of Bengal to the Accountant-General, Bengal, sanctioning the distribution of the surplus balance of Rs. 28,532-7-1 at the credit of the Syedpur estate on the 31st March 1889.	584	
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