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**Sandbach, Tinné and Co., Liverpool papers (MS.677)**

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<b>Reference</b>	<b>Date(s)</b>	<b>Object title</b>	<b>Scope and content</b>
MS.677/1(i)	1808 July 31	Letter from James McInroy to Samuel Sandbach	About the month's profit values, including those of salt, which he mentions is in demand. He also discusses Bean's absence, other trade matters, and a later arrangement.
MS.677/1(ii)	1808 August 3	Letter from James McInroy, in Demerary, to Samuel Sandbach, in Liverpool	Discusses a complaint, arrangements with Buchanan, the quality of the goods from Glasgow, and trade with America. Also mentions the preferred months for the coffee planters.
MS.677/2	1810 November 9- 1811 January 10	Letter with invoices from James McInroy, in Glasgow, to Samuel Sandbach, in Liverpool	Includes three invoices of sundries shipped to Demerary by McInroy Parker and Co, dated December 1810, and two alterations to invoices in November 1810. A letter included discusses credit sales, lack of cash in Demerary, and issues with freights.

MS.677/3	1815 May 13	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co	About debts and the need to draw bills on the House of Glasgow for the value of their estates, colony taxes, and the King's taxes. Also discusses a shipment of 81 bales, and ways to protect their interests.
MS.677/4(i)	1816 July 16	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to P. J. Tinné	Discusses the scarcity of money, Timmerman's sequestration, malfunctions with grinding machinery in the production of coffee, the effect of a late disturbance at Barbados, and other matters of the Estates. Also express concern over Mr. Boode's brother whom they have upset by declining him an accommodation for purchasing a number of slaves.
MS.677/4(ii)	1816 July 4- 1816 July 16	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to P. J. Tinné	Includes a copied letter from Manget requesting their security in endorsing the bills for the purchase of an estate, and discussing his method of payment. Also includes a copied letter from Perry and Henry confirming that the instalments for the estate have been taken up.
MS.677/5(i)	1816 December 6- 1816 December 17	Letters to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (Original of Eliza), and McInroy, Parker and Co (Original of Oscar)	About the shipping of goods including sugar and coffee, trade routes, expected arrival times of different ships, and the Oscar's capacity. Also includes a dispute over a commission charge, Underwood and Co's issues with the Customs House, and a dispute over freight rates with the planters, who are seeking a general reduced rate for the ensuing year.
MS.677/5(ii)	1816 December 6- 1816 December 18	Letters from the Oscar to Sandbach, Tinné and Co, and McInroy, Sandbach and Co	Discusses the quality of the cotton crop, invoices for coffee, insurance for an entire shipment, and an introduction to a new potential client. Also the desertion of the Clyde by ten crewmembers and other casualties, which have made the ship understaffed and unable to depart.
MS.677/6	1817 June 9	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	About charges and payments, delays caused by weather, details of the cargo onboard, and predicted journey time. Also discuss issue with Estates and the reduced rate of freights.
MS.677/7	1817 March 31- 1817, July 15	Letter and balance sheets from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	About a difference between the corporations' balance sheets. Includes the balance sheets of Sandbach, Tinné and Co's account current with McInroy, Parker and Co from March 1817 to July 1817, intended to be compared with the accounts in their books.

MS.677/8	1817 December 20- 1817 December 21	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co	Includes a letter about additional cargo on the Clyde to make freight, a shipment from Glasgow in January, and McLagan's anxiety over the rain ruining his crops and his request for insurance on his produce being shipped on the Demerary. Also includes the The Demerary's freight list on December 21 headed for Liverpool, and a list of debts.
MS.677/9	1818 November 21- 1818 November 27	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to McInroy, Parker and Co	Reports the credited balance of profit and charges them for other balances. Also discusses a charge over misused bills, and requests information about the arrangements regarding the mode of changing the commissions on coffee and other products. Includes two copied letters dated November 22 and 27, as well.
MS.677/10	1819 February 21	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Requests permission for a loan to Boode, which considerably exceeds the funds originally authorised. Discusses the specific circumstances of the loan, including the immediacy of the decision on account of planning the planting operation and other estate arrangements accordingly. Also mentions the purchasing of slaves.
MS.677/11	1819 March 17	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the proper state of the Clyde, the Demerary's delayed arrival because of the pilot's mistake, and desire for the new ships completion. Also expresses annoyance with the custom fees, the abuse of former regulations, and the exploitation of the tariff due to its vague construction.
MS.677/12	1819 May 5- 1819 May 7	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes a copied letter to McInroy, Parker and Co about the Demerary's cargo and shipping schedule, and a legal dispute over debts in the estates. Letter to Sandbach, Tinné and Co discusses the Demerary's disbursement amounts, cargo, and an instalment for some purchased slaves.

MS.677/13	1819 May 7- 1819 May 20	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses issues with shipments, an order of sugar boilers made dysfunctional by their construction and thickness, and extreme weather that has destroyed the potential coffee crop and will harm the next sugar crop. Also includes a copied letter about the Demerary's shipping schedule.
MS.677/14	1819 November 29- 1819 December 7	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Details the surpluses, and includes the Iphigenia's freight list. Also discusses their lawyer dropping them as clients, and the legal issue of the Land of Canaan, for which they have prepared another petition to the court.
MS.677/15	1820 February 5- 1820 February 16	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Comments on the desire to send vessels to London, and compares the Liverpool, London, and Glasgow sugar markets. Expresses a desire to replace the Ayrshire and Demerary, and praises the design and size of the Dee, which with alterations could be the most efficient vessel in the colony. Also includes the Dee's freight list for February 16.
MS.677/16	1821 May 11	Letter from Peter McLagan to Samuel Sandbach	Discusses the remainder of the sugar crop and the machinery, which he thinks they must find some use for.
MS.677/17	1821 May 3- 1821 May 16	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Expresses the opinion that Sandbach expects too much in thinking that a single Estate could employ a ship for a year, and the desire for the coffee crop to become as profitable as sugar. Also discusses the wish to purchase another estate to expand the sugar crop.
MS.677/18	1821 May 25- 1821 May 27	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the disappointment over a loan due to its propriety, Waddell's plan to pay off his debt, having too much stake in the colony, and the prospects of West Indian affairs. Also details the disease in the plantain trees and method of treatment, and more secure ways of storing coffee on vessels to prevent sugar damage.

MS.677/19	1821 June 7- 1821 June 13	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses Henry's claim against Benney's Estate, payment from Boode, Sutherland's demand for his payment, other bills, trade, and engine boilers. Includes a copied letter to McInroy, Parker and Co about the Iphigenia's shipment of cotton and the sale of porter and beer.
MS.677/20	1821 August 14	Letter from Peter McLagan to Samuel Sandbach	Discusses a list to be forwarded by the house, last month's coffee, a delay caused by a late vessel, and a bill drawn on the house in Glasgow.
MS.677/21	1822 January 21	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses coffee lost by the rain, expenses for going ashore, the Dee, and other finances.
MS.677/22	1823 January 4	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes a produce record in Glasgow in 1822 of sugar, cotton, coffee, rum and molasses, notes of postages. Also discusses information on the shipments of the Iphigenia, and other accounts.
MS.677/23	1825 August 2	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses charges for newspapers and other goods, the sale of Caledonia cotton, the Leonora, the still improving sugar market, and James McInroy's journey and postponement of his reply to Sandbach.
MS.677/24	1825 November 10- 1825 November 14	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the upcoming launch of a new vessel, different captains, one of whom is missing, and sugar market including Boode's imminent disappointment. Also includes a letter to McInroy, Parker and Co about alterations on the ships' guard boards.
MS.677/25	1825 October 25- 1825 December 14	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes a copied letter about the Clyde's departure, preparations for the Boode, the Leonora's cargo, the vacancies of the port, and the drought's effect on the cotton, cane, and plantain crops. Discusses the prospective earnings, the ships about to sail for Demerary, and sugar sales.
MS.677/26	1825 December 24	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes a copied letter about the low colonial produce sales that week due to the depression, including sugar, coffee, cotton, tobacco, and grain. Discusses the Mr. Crame's affair, and affirms a greater obedience in the future, finances, mortgages, and a standby order of McInroy, Sandbach and Co.

MS.677/27	1826 April 5	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the voyages of some vessels, noting especially the concern for the Leonora due to terrible weather. Also discusses the fine rains that they hope will revitalise the cultivation of crops, including coffee.
MS.677/28	1826 April 5- 1826 April 10	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses a distinction between goods privileged to go to Holland what was disqualified to go to anywhere but Holland, an issue with this distinction due to a Dutch mortgage, and the late consolidation act. Also discusses bills and the weather. Includes a copy of a letter about vessels, weather, and crops.
MS.677/29	1826 April 11	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses certain aforementioned bills, their time of payment since they were to be paid in sixteen months, and the plan to pay for other things, such as machinery, before paying off the bill. Explains the specifics of the situation and advises Sandbach, Tinné and Co on what course to take.
MS.677/30	1826 April 29	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the cargos and shipping plans for the Leonora and the Boode, and an immense number of arrivals from Europe, and the debating and waiting for advice on where to send the quantity of sugar. Also discusses shipping the quantity of coffee to London and suggests soon creating an establishment there because the market is becoming more reputable and profitable. Mentions the prosperous cotton crop.
MS.677/31	1826 May 23	Letter from McInroy Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the transfer of the mortgage claim held on Plantation Alliance to DeRidder, and their receiving a bill as guarantee for the payment of any balance that may be due to the account. Mentions that the coffee should cover the balance and is to be put to the credit of it, and a five percent commission. Also discusses the delay of the Boode and the uncertainty of where to send the sugar. Includes copied letters from DeRidder and McInroy, Sandbach and Co.

MS.677/32	1827 April 14	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Requests a new ship in the model of the Leonora or the James McInroy to ship for Caledonia and to replace the Demerary, which is in a poor state. Discusses payments to their office, McLagan's complaint over the goods for Caledonia, the sending of vessel supplies, and which orders to ship next. Also mentions a theft.
MS.677/33	1827 November 1	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to McInroy, Parker and Co, and Sandbach, Tinné and Co	States that they have finished balancing of the books and submits the following statements about the profit balance to the credit of McInroy, Parker and Co, payments to the credit of their own account, the balance of the Leonora, and the inventory of goods on hand. Also mentions a payment for slaves in the books that had not been charged to the purchasing estate.
MS.677/34	1828 May 26- 1828 June 4	Letter from George Rainy, Esq.	Makes a suggestion about the appeal over the disputed right of possession, details the specifics of the law, and presents a potentially unanswerable argument against offering appeal. He mentions the trouble the interference of the appeal has caused, and explains at length cases of the abuse of the right of appeal including one using the exception of non-qualification.
MS.677/35	1828 November 25	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Included a journal of Caledonia for last month, and a letter from the manager to McLagan to forward.
MS.677/36	1829 January 1- 1829 January 5	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses a destructive fire that broke out in town, destroyed all the buildings on America St. and almost extended throughout the town, leaving many destitute. Explains that a bill of the Estate of Allan, and another of Thomas and Fraser are being drawn on Sandbach, Tinné and Co to the Colonial Creditors. Also includes the freight list of the Sandbach for McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Liverpool.

MS.677/37	1829 August 19	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the difficult winds, the sugar market, limited demand for coffee, and general sale experiment. Also mentions instructions to McBean, Smith and Co, and included the invoices of goods for the Hector.
MS.677/38	1830 October 28- 1830 November 16	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the arrival of the new ship, the consequences of the dry weather, vessels' destinations, and the sale of slaves. Offers opinions on the disposition of the Dee, complaints about the new ship's size, and mentions a certain alteration, which would make the loading of rum easier. Includes a letter dated October 28 about the James McInroy's next shipment, and the freight list of the Parker.
MS.677/39	1831 May 27- 1831 June 13	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the low level of produce, the Sandbach's expected arrival time. Also discusses the destination of the Madras, the want of wet decks, the low prices at Glasgow, and the supply of building materials on the Colony. Includes a letter to McInroy, Parker and Co about shipping plans for the year, and the excessive rains negative effect on the crop.
MS.677/40(i)	1831 June 10	Letter from George Rainy to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions Sandbach and Tinné's decision to remain in the firm, and a proposal for the protection of survivors. Discusses a large debt and the inability to repay it, transactions with Waterton, the issue with an excess of allowances to Brother George, problems with E.G. Boode over restrictions to personal expenses, the imminent sequestration of Retemeyer's estate, and a problem over their excessively high coal prices.
MS.677/40(ii)	1831 June 10	Letter from George Rainy to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Continues discussing the issue over coal, including the superabundance of coal dealing and the inability to fill the freights on the vessels' return journeys because of the season's poor harvest. Also provides an opinion on building another ship. Mentions a large sugar shipment, the failure of the coffee crop for two successive years, and an issue with Berckel.



MS.677/41(i)	1832 April 2	Letter from George Rainy to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses objections to the proposal for the protection of survivors, consulting with experienced planters to improve the estate's cultivation, the poor coffee crop, and multiple suits against them and the consequences of the obtaining of sentence. Also discusses responsibility for the Retemeyer's Estate, proposes urging shipments from Berckel as payment for his debt, and explains the Little Diamond Estate sequestration. Begins discussing the Gotens crisis and their suing out a writ of induction, reported in newspapers.
MS.677/41(ii)	1832 April 2	Letter from George Rainy to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Continues explaining that a failure to be granted the induction will lead to sequestration. Discusses the Cramers Estate's debt, Vive La Force concerns and allowances for Blake's debt, and the Kinderen debt and refraining from allowances of surplus. Also discusses Waterton and the scale of allowances, and Barry's debt. Warns against Hughes intemperance and the Industry Estate potentially becoming a problem, and advises that they address Ward and remove him from management of the estate if his debt continues to grow.
MS.677/42	1834 March 26	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to McInroy, Parker and Co	Discusses the construction of a railing, and its dimensions. Also requests an estimate for expenses, and that it be made as cheaply as possible.
MS.677/43	1834 August 4	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to McInroy, Parker and Co	States that the James McInroy is barely full because the quantity of sugar from the estate is less than usual due to the effects of the season. Advises that they should sell the cargo patiently and should wait for the arrivals of the Sandbach and the Parker before they return the James McInroy. Includes an invoice of molasses, which they were obliged to ship in order to make freight.

MS.677/44	1834 September 16- 1834 September 20	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the vessels' delays and expected dispatches, the large crop in the ground, wages for extra work to improve workers' efficiency and motivation, and the sale of an estate at a sacrifice and the consequences of its mortgages. Also mentions the estimate for the railing and requests a fireproof safe. Includes an invoice of cargo onboard the Sandbach on September 20 <sup>th</sup> .
MS.677/45	1834 November 7	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the Parker, the Barry, and Johnstone's dispatches and shipments, and the le Resonvenir's sequestration. Details a number of debts, and includes an invoice of cargo for the Johnstone.
MS.677/46(i)	1838 October 8- 1838 October 13	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the management of the Leonora, the status of the people on the Estates, the dry weather, the loss of labourers, issues over wages, issues with Blake and Barry, and slave housing. Also mentions the poor state of the Liverpool market, and requests support for the Governor's Proclamation about Emigration.
MS.677/46(ii)	1838 October 13	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Argues that slave housing is the principal inducement to the Labourers remaining on the Estates. Mentions that they will not be able to pay off any of the debt, and details shipments of sugar, coffee, and rum. States that a shipment of sugar at Providence could not possibly have been prepared on the date they stated based on the date they commenced cutting canes and holidays.
MS.677/47	1839 May 1- 1839 May 8	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes a crossed out letter about multiple bills and wages. Discusses shipments, payments, payday and a general disinterest in weekly payments, and the selling of an estate. Includes a list of the amount of wages paid for labourers in April.
MS.677/48	1839 June 21	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach andCo to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the destruction of an old building and the back part of the sugar boiling room by a squall, which made the making of sugar quite exposed. Mentions that no one was injured and that they already have materials to fix it. Also discusses Retemeyer's payment and refusal to get a bill, and the Parker's delayed dispatch.

MS.677/49	1839 December 30	Letter from George Rainy to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Suggests a reduction in the estimate of the Estates, and advises the sending out of some particular annual accounts. Discusses objections to this, the debt, and a possible reduction to it. Expresses the strong desire for receiving payments and paying off the debt.
MS.677/50	1843 January 21- 1843 January 23	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Requests the annex of the freight list of the Leonora, included here, and discusses the refusal of freights. Also discusses different arrivals and shipments, and the lack of firebricks. Also mentions that they have drawn a charge on Sandbach, Tinné and Co in favour of Benjamin and Duff payable in London.
MS.677/51	1850 November 21	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the need for certain supplies for the next year, issues with vessel attachments, immigrant ships, the sequestration of Adventure, and the late Phillips possible debt on the colony and in Barbados and the handing over of his Estate to the Administrative General.
MS.677/52	1851 April 26-1851 May 12	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	The one dated April discusses the Leonora's shipments, the lack of sugar canes on the Estates, the decline of the sugar and rum markets, and lists many drawings on their account. The one dated May discusses the Clyde freights, and the sale and quality of the sugar and rum. Also lists several credit transfers and payments on their account.
MS.677/53	1851 June 9	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Assumes that William Jones' voyage home would be free, and states that he will go on the Leonora and that Sandbach, Tinné and Co must arrange the payment to the captain.
MS.677/54	1851 June 7- 1851 June 11	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes an original version of a letter about the unfavourable weather for sugar making, hopes for the ship Railway, and an unsatisfactory letter they received. Also requests a supply of coal since they expect a large quantity of produce, lists orders and dfts, and includes a list of the Estates journals. Also includes three copied letters about payments. Discusses the Leonora's departure, McLagan's request for dividend payments, and mentions more credit transfers.

MS.677/55	1851 June 27	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses a very good still for Little Diamond Estate, a shipment mostly rancid that will not do well at the market, the Jamaica spirit, and preparations for more shipments. Also mentions the suspension of sugar making because of heavy rain, and details more transfers on their account.
MS.677/56	1851 June 11- 1851 June 27	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Enclosed with the letter of 27 June 1851 about Mrs. McLagan's request for the payment of her dividends, the Jamaica spirit, the delays of the Parker and Bellona, the dft of Watson, and a beer sale to Mrs. J & R Tennent. Includes a copied letter from Anderson & Co to Watson about a bill of exchange and plan to pay off the amount owed by shipments of produce. Also includes a list of the produce on hand on 27 June 1851.
MS.677/57	1851 June 27	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	States that Barle will call on Sandbach, Tinné and Co about the steam boiler for Anna Catharina and other Estate machinery.
MS.677/58	1851 June 26- 1851 July 12	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes an original letter per packet about the Jamaica spirit, the Parker's rancid shipment, vessels movements, and dfts on Sandbach, Tinné and Co. Also includes another letter about a dft to be charged to the sequestration account of Goedverwagling. Letter of July 12 <sup>th</sup> discusses the Parker's cargo, the wait for the sugar grinding to begin, the supply of bricks, Cooper's remark about run shooks, and lists more dfts to advise on Sandbach, Tinné and Co.
MS.677/59	1851 July 12- 1851 July 26	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes original letter per packet about Mr. Simson's dealings with the sequestration, the rum shooks, the Parker's detainment, sugar sales, and dfts. Another original letter for packet included requests payment to the order of Burnett Esq. Letter of July 26 <sup>th</sup> advises dfts and endorsements, discusses an expected shipment of sugar and run on the Bellona, sales sent to J & R Tennent's account, sugar production on the Estates. Also states the highest quotation for the best sugar.

MS.677/60	1851 July 29	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses sales in Liverpool, payment for potatoes destroyed by rats, and the managers of the Estates. Requests that the bricks be invoiced and recommends against taking certain supplies on freight because it causes detention. Also mentions a possible security clause the bills of lading.
MS.677/61	1851 September 6	Letter from Peter M. Watson to Thomas Bailes	Discusses the speed of the mills and observes that six revolutions per minute is too fast because a large portion of the juice remains in the cane. Suggests that the speed be reduced by half, and requests the ordering of new stock strong enough to handle the speed reduction. Also asks whether Bailes has the memoranda to give an order to those who made the machinery.
MS.677/62	1851 August 26- 1851 September 11	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes a letter of August 26 <sup>th</sup> about a bill of lading and the covering of some dft. With shipments of produce, a letter of August 28 <sup>th</sup> about the transfer of a mortgage, payment for paint, a journal of August 30 <sup>th</sup> about paying the balance of the Bellona to J. P. Duff and Co, and a letter of August 30 <sup>th</sup> about the sequestration of Goedvergwagling and the transfer of the second mortgage. Discusses transactions with G. Anderson and Co, a shipment of rum, the payment of dividends, and future shipments and cargos. Also lists sales and some payments.
MS.677/63	1851 September 11- 1851 September 12	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes a letter per packet dated September 11 <sup>th</sup> about transactions with G. Anderson and Co, shipments, sales, and payments. Also includes another letter per packet dated September 11 <sup>th</sup> about bills of lading for timber cargoes, and finding out information about timber trading. The letter of September 12 <sup>th</sup> discusses the Sandbach's loading and includes a journal entry about the shipping schedule of the vessels.
MS.677/64	1851 September 11- 1851 September 27	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes an original letter per the Sandbach dated September 12 <sup>th</sup> about loading and shipping plans. Discusses shipments, finances, the great quantity of produce and tonnage being made, the financial dealings with Duff, sales of rum and beer, and a small weighing machine to remain on the Estates. Also includes a list of produce on hand.

MS.677/65	1851 September 27- 1851 October 11	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes an original per packet dated September 27 <sup>th</sup> about shipments, finances, and trade. Discusses different cargoes, shipments, and finances. Also lists some drafts and the shipments from Pl. William.
MS.677/66	1851 October 16	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	States that enclosed are bills of lading for cargo shut out of the Leonora and shipped on the Laura, and bills of lading for shipments from Plantation William.
MS.677/67	1851 October 15- 1851 October 27	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes an original per Leonora dated October 15 <sup>th</sup> about cargoes of rum with differing strengths, the inferior quality of sugar, machinery such as pipes and cylinder pistons, and the minutes of the Court of Policy and Combined Court. Also includes an original per Laura dated October 16 <sup>th</sup> about some cargo shut out of the Leonora being shipped on the Laura. Discusses vessel shipments and the balancing of the books. Mentions the high wages on the Estates, and lists finances and produce on hand.
MS.677/68	1851 November 27	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes copies of manifest cargo onboard the Isabella Thompson and William Large. Discusses the coming wet season, the shipments by the sequestration, the quantity of coals needed, the sugar market, and finances. Also lists the amount of sales to Tennent.
MS.677/69	1852 September 27- 1852 October 9	Letter from McInroy, Sandbach and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes an original per Parker dated September 27 <sup>th</sup> about the transport of Estates, another such original about Bascom's shipment of rum to reduce his account, and the manifest of cargo onboard the Parker. Discusses the arrival of vessels, transports, finances, the trial of a company's cement, and the purchase of more coals. Mentions vessels travelling to Australia. Also includes list of produce on hand.
MS.677/70(i)	1881 August 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses remittances, a possible reduction to pilotage charges, the Hamburg account, and G.V.W.
MS.677/70(ii)	1881 August 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses G.V.W., the selling of coal to a limited extent, and makes remarks about Rice and other. Mentions an offer to the government to provide steamers for the Coolie Traffic.

MS.677/70(iii)	1881 August 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the health of the colony, the lack of demand for coal, and the scarcity of molasses at previous prices.
MS.677/71(i)	1810 May 21	Cheque from Elizabeth Dale Hanout to S. Anderton	Sum of two pounds, fifteen shillings.
MS.677/71(ii)	1810 May 21	Cheque from Elizabeth Dale Hanout to Zealman	Sum of four pounds, seven shillings.
MS.677/71(iii)	1810 May 26	Cheque from Elizabeth Dale Hanout to John Burgiss and Sons	Sum of two pounds, eighteen shillings.
MS.677/71(iv)	1815 December 15	Cheque from Kay to Moore Esq.	Sum of one hundred seventy six pounds and ten pence.
MS.677/71(v)	1816 February 17	Cheque from Morton to Mr. Winton	Sum of one hundred and fifty nine pounds and eight shillings.
MS.677/72(i)	1826 September 30	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses a partner of the House of Glasgow and a sales agent in Demerary, specifically his movements in Glasgow and a conference. Also discusses Barry's actions.
MS.677/72(ii)	1826 September 30	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses Barry, a few drawn bills and the time allowances granted for them.
MS.677/72(iii)	1826 September 30	Letter from McInroy, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Back half of the envelope for the letter.
MS.677/73	1837 December 24	Letter from Thomas Garnett and William Jones to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses high sales from the market, the retailers preference for American fish over the herring because of package size and price, the amount of produce on hand, account sales, and the bank's increased rate of exchange.

MS.677/74	1840 August 7	Letter from Henry Light to Russell	Discusses an alleged claim by a former labourer of Plantation Providence named Walker for compensation of a house, and the reason why the claim is groundless.
MS.677/75	1840 October 30	Letter from Vernon Smith to George Rainy	Discusses the transmission of documents about the claim of Walker, a former employee of Plantation Providence.
MS. 677/76	1841 June 7	Letter from George Rainy to Vernon Smith	Discusses how the claim was groundless and explains how it avowedly originated during the ownership of a former proprietor. Mentions the late James Johnstone's character and discusses the difficulties in settling just relations between employer and employee, especially given the circumstances of the West India possessions, where the labourers are able to dictate terms of employment. Expresses opinion of the working class.
MS.677/77	1863 August 18	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses a protested bill, the liability if it were drawn, the expenses for the Estates, the benefits of controlling the Agle, and their salary as attorney.
MS.677/78	1863 August 25	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the position of the House of Ramsay, Hill and Co in Demerary, and advises against clashing with the established consignment.
MS.677/79(i)	1863 August 29	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the insufficient capital, and objects to their interest charge and one of their accounts
MS.677/79(ii)	1863 December 18	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the rate of interest, the small profit from some of the imported goods, the appointment of his brother, Alexander, to the position in the colony on account of experience with mercantile matters, and the importing of coals. Also requests the price for passage to Valparaiso for an unnamed woman.



MS.677/80(i)	1863 December 22	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Acknowledges their efforts to increase business, and discusses the rate of interest and a request for a reduction. Also states that his previous comments on the small profits for some goods, and on the curtailing of the business unless a loan can be received at a low interest rate, were wrong.
MS.677/80(ii)	1863 December 22	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the invitation from his brother and his need to refuse. Also thanks him for the information for his female friend, and mentions his current health.
MS.677/81	1864 January 11	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions the state of Water Street, and discusses the hiring of Oliver as a salaried partner, or at least granting him some sort of concession. Explains Oliver's reason for wanting to become a partner.
MS.677/82	1864 January 16	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses problems over the sales of Rice which was unsaleable for local consumption, expresses opinions about different Estates, and mentions loss of S. P. and Co
MS.677/83	1864 March 8	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Explains the reasoning for S. P. and Co, and points out the negative actions of Sandbach, Tinné and Co and their relationship with the Garnett Brothers.
MS.677/84	1864 March 11	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Argues over the matter of S. P. and Co, and Sandbach, Tinné and Co's seeming exploitation of a particular clause. Also mentions iron piping being too expensive for the required purpose.
MS.677/85	1864 March 15	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Further discusses the matter of S. P. and Co and the clause in question. Disagrees with Sandbach, Tinné and Co's suggestion to remodel the clause, stating that it should be expunged altogether.
MS.677/86	1864 April 4	Letter form Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the clause in question and the interest on the current account. Also mentions a trip to Liverpool before returning to the colony.
MS.677/87	1864 April 4	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses establishing Blackwood in Barbados and expresses the possibility for advantageous business with S. P. and Co.

MS.677/88	1864 April 8	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses S. P. and Co, stocks, a possible reduction in the sugar duties, and the lack of labour on the colony.
MS.677/89	1864 August 21	Letter from Henry Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the Estates, particularly Rice and Coolie, their produce, and prices.
MS.677/90	1864 August 26	Letter from Henry Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses shipments, the sugar market, his current life situation, attorneyships, and the Rice market.
MS.677/91	1864 October 24	Letter from Thomas Garnett to C. S. Parker Esq.	Discusses the papers completed for the losses from a fire, ill treatment from Smith and Co, the matter of Daly and accommodation notes, the satisfactory business of S. P. and co, his leave of absence, and a plan to sell stock shares.
MS.677/92	1864 December 13	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the death of the governor's son from fever. Mentions that Alfred Parker postponed his trip until spring.
MS.677/93	1864 December 14	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses shipping arrangements, the prospect of starting a line of regular traders to London, the success of S. P. and Co, and the holding the previously mentioned stock shares.
MS.677/94	1865 January 13	Letter from H. Merivale to Lord Monteagle	Mentions an enclosed return and states that he will transmit other things of more importance if requested.
MS.677/95	1865 February 7	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Apologises for things said about the rate of interest during the previous year. Mentions an oversight in transactions with Templeton. Discusses the superabundance of vessels and the decision to charter some of them.
MS.677/96	1865 July 11	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the poor state of "Edmonds" casks, and alternative methods for packaging, including colony made packages. Also discusses the high cost for packs and the casing for rum.

MS.677/97	1865 November 6	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Philip J. Tinné	Discusses the upcoming election, who has the right to vote, getting Parker and Tinné authority, McInroy, Sandbach and Co's former carrying of the elections, and the hope for S. P. & Co to do the same. Also mentions increased moral among the planters from the first Coolie ship's cargo.
MS.677/98	1866 February 21	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Philip J. Tinné	Discusses Tinné's annoyance over his letters about a certain issue, his tone, narrow view, a problem over ships, and a general negativity in their relationship.
MS.677/99(i)	1866 July 23	Plans from Steele for Plantation Providence	Includes memorandum of coppers and pricks required for new machinery, diagrams for dimensions of it, materials, and explanations for its construction and how it works.
MS.677/99(ii)	1866 July 23	Plans from Steele for Plantation Providence (cont.)	Discusses method for leaving the syrup from the seache involving copper pipes, and the purchase of a winch. Includes a list of building materials required for the new machinery.
MS.677/100	1866 July 23	Plans from Steele for Plantation Providence (cont.)	Discusses the tools required, including a jack, wrenches of different sizes, and others.
MS.677/100(i)	1866 May 21	Specifications from Steele for Plantation Providence	Details complete specifications for the cane engine gearing and mill, the clarifiers, the bag filters, and the vacuum pan engine and pumps.
MS.677/100(ii)	1866 May 21	Specifications from Steele for Plantation Providence (cont.)	Details complete specifications for the vacuum pumps, vacuum pan, and receiver for steam.
MS.677/100(iii)	1866 May 21	Specifications from Steele for Plantation Providence (cont.)	Details complete specifications for the centrifugals, sugar boilers, molasses cistern, molasses blow up cistern, water cistern, sugar sifter, and boilers.
MS.677/100(iv)	1866 May 21	Specifications from Steele for Plantation Providence (cont.)	Details complete specifications for boilers and some more of the piping system.

MS.677/101(i)	1866 April 21	Additional specifications from Steele for Plantation Providence	Details complete specifications of the engine and mill, steam clarifiers, bag filters, vacuum pan, and vacuum pan engine.
MS.677/101(ii)	1866 April 21	Additional specifications from Steele for Plantation Providence (cont.)	Details complete specifications for vacuum pan engine, sugar boilers, centrifugals, boilers, copper gutters, and pipes.
MS.677/101(iii)	1866 April 21	Additional specifications from Steele for Plantation Providence (cont.)	Back part of envelope for specifications.
MS.677/102(i)	1866 June 30	Balances of 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1866	Includes a comment from S. P. & Co about Jones' punctuality in meeting liabilities.
MS.677/102(ii)	1866 June 30	Balances of 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1866 (cont.)	Includes comments about companies' worth, depreciations, and produce being worth the balance. Balanced at this point.
MS.677/102(iii)	1866 June 30	Balances of 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1866 (cont.)	Continues listing and includes payments from bills and plantations.
MS.677/103	1866 August 28	Letter from Thomas Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the payment of Richardson's bill, the addition of the Colonial Company to S. P. & Co.'s business, and other additions to their shipping agency from an estate, where Garnett brothers have been appointed successors as attorneys.
MS.677/104(i)	1866 December 31	S. P. & Co.'s balance sheet for 31 <sup>st</sup> December 1866	Includes payments receivable from plantations, and a recapitulation list.
MS.677/104(ii)	1866 December 31	S. P. & Co.'s balance sheet for 31 <sup>st</sup> December 1866 (cont.)	Includes payments from plantations, bills, payments to Alexander Garnett, and charges from vessels.

MS.677/104(iii)	1866 December 31	S. P. & Co.'s balance sheet for 31 <sup>st</sup> December 1866 (cont.)	Includes finances from sales, vessels, and other individuals and companies.
MS.677/105	1867 May 23- 1867 October 1	Conference between Steele and Fawcett and Preston	Includes an extract from a letter dated May 23 <sup>rd</sup> 1867 from Fawcett and Preston about an issue with the pan belt in the new machinery, another extract dated June 15 <sup>th</sup> from Steele about the method of fixing the issue, a third extract dated August 23 <sup>rd</sup> about choosing to do nothing to the pan belt, and extracts from letters dated September 16 <sup>th</sup> and October 1 <sup>st</sup> about the etay and its shipping.
MS.677/106	1868 June 22	Letter from G. H. Oliver to Parker	Discusses a plan to buy the Plantation Providence from Rainy, and the finances and method of payment.
MS.677/107(i)	1868 July 27	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the outlay on the cooperage premises, and explains that a large part of the expenses was due to the distance the stores had to be carried when stored. Also explains that the cost might be deducted from the profits of cooperage.
MS.677/107(ii)	1868 July 27	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses actions to retain the cooperage, insurance, and risks. Also mentions S. P. & Co.'s arrangements with another company.
MS.677/107(iii)	1868 July 27	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses his plan to settle down for the winter near Liverpool and his plan at that time to enter fully on proposals for the future
MS.677/108	1868 July 31	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Parker	Advises not purchasing Rainy's estates and telling Oliver to resign himself to it. Also discusses Oliver's position, cooperage stock, and business with the U.S.A.
MS.677/109	1868 August 4	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Parker	Mentions that there is no need for despondency, and discusses Parker and Oliver's letters, and the utility and pertinence of their comments.
MS.677/110	1868 October 19	Letter from Thomas and Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the figures of the properties of Sandbach, Parker and Co., their values, and also their proportions.

MS.677/111	1869 May	Sketch of land exchange	Shows the exchange of land between Plantations Peter's Hall and Providence.
MS.677/112(i)	1870 June 30	Balances of 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1870	Includes payments from sales, ships, plantations, Sandbach, Tinné and others, and payments to H. J. Garnett.
MS.677/112(ii)	1870 June 30	Balances of 30 <sup>th</sup> June 1870 (cont.)	Includes payments from companies, individuals, sales, plantations, and bills. Also includes payments to Sandbach, Tinné and Co.
MS.677/113	1870 July 8	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Parker	Marked private and confidential. Discusses making a settlement on security of his mortgage in the case of any matrimonial arrangement. Also mentions telling his brother about the selling of half of an estate.
MS.677/114	1870 October 7	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Marked private. Discusses the value of R. P. and P. E. Estates, the Diamond and Providence estates in regards to access to fresh water. Mentions that Industry is more complete. Also lists sales on R. P. and P. E. Estates during the past few years.
MS.677/115	1870 October 21	Letter from G. H. Oliver to S. S. and A. J. Parker	Discusses matters at the R. P. Estate, a form of weekly report that seems to be necessary, and all the alterations that have to occur. Discusses the building of roads, drainage and channels, the building of a dam, the vacuum pan, the stills which are overworked, new cottages, the need for a mule pen, the construction of a coal shed, cultivating new land, building an artesian well for the lack of water, the lack of drinking water, the sugar cane crop in 1871, and the plan and price for completing these renovations.
MS.677/116	1870 November 7	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the selling price of the estates, and an error in the R. P. produce account due to their system of estimation.
MS.677/117	1870 November 22	Letter from G. H. Oliver to S. S. and A. J. Parker	Discusses the proposed arrangement for the crop in 1871 at R. P. Estate, the most profitable time for cutting sugar canes, the building of the coal shed, and the lack of water and plan to build a well.
MS.677/117.1	1870 December 22	Letter from G. H. Oliver to George Rainy	Discusses the properties of Rainy and an arrangement between him and S. S. and A. J. Parker.

MS.677/118	1871 April 6	Letter from G. H. Oliver to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the agreement over the working of the estates and making up the accounts for the quarter in such a way as to show all that he has done. Also explains his stressful business schedule and requests the still for the R. P. Estate as soon as possible.
MS.677/119	1871 May 2	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Parker	Expresses issues in their business relationship. Discusses the connection with the Garnett Brothers, allowing them out of the firm, the values of the estate's connection, and the sentiment that they have not been given right to a share of the business irrespective of the value of their special connection. Plans to discuss the issue further in person.
MS.677/120	1871 May 17	Letter from W. R. to R. J. Kelly Esq.	Discusses trials with the use of charcoal and lists the results of the estate's working from commencement of the year. Also points out where the large loss of sugar occurs in the process.
MS.677/121	1871 May 23	Letter from G. H. Oliver to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the revised agreement for the working of the estates, which accounts for the losses of 1870, and the account transactions and finances of the agreement. Also mentions that stamps are not in use in the colony.
MS.677/122	1871 July 6	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses misunderstandings from their long conversation the previous day, and mentions his plan to consult with his brother about the matter.
MS.677/123	1871 February 7	Letter from G. H. Oliver to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Approves of the revised agreement for the working of the estates and the alteration in regards to the losses of 1870.
MS.677/124	1871 July 7	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses how the main problem to be solved is how best to strengthen the mercantile administration in Demerara. Disagrees with Sandbach, Tinné and Co.'s suggestion, not seeing how it will do anything other than add to the share of the profits now drawn by S., P. and Co at the expense of the colonial partners. Details a counter proposition including an increased proportion of profits to colonial partners and the hiring of a confidential clerk or paid partner.

MS.677/125	1871 July 8	Letter from G. H. Oliver to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Acknowledges the arrival of the debit note on account of the Estates, as decided in the revised agreement.
MS.677/126	1871 July 8	Memorandum by H. Garnett	Made in their office during the conversation of the given date.
MS.677/127	1871 July 8	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the proposed clause from the previous letter, agrees with some of the changes Sandbach, Tinné and Co proposed, and suggests a meeting during the next week.
MS.677/128	1871 July 11	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions that the details of the previous letter being slightly different from estimated does not support the proposed reduction, yet advises acceptance of the scheme in its current form.
MS.677/129	1871 July 12	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the signature of the agreed on clauses to submit to the Demerara partners, and expresses the belief that the clauses will be satisfactory enough to prove a permanent settlement. Also thanks Sandbach, Tinné and Co for their consideration and input in the matter.
MS.677/130	1871 February 23	Letter from G. H. Oliver to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the copying of an agreement, and explains the increase in a clause with a list of finances. Also expresses certainty in the given shipping produce valuation.
MS.677/131(i)	1871 September 30	Balance sheet for Sandbach, Parker and Co	Begins with Ledger E which includes a large number of vessels. Also includes the start of Ledger F.
MS.677/131(ii)	1871 September 30	Balance sheet for Sandbach, Parker and Co (cont.)	Ledger F includes a number of accounts of sales and plantations. Ledger G also includes a large number of payments from plantations. Also includes a private ledger including finances about bills, accounts, stocks, and payments.
MS.677/132	1871 November 21	Letter from Alexander Garnett to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses subsection 4 of the article sent for signature, which was not included in the memo. Expresses the opinion that this additional clause seems to violate their arrangement.



MS.677/133(i)	1872 February 5	Letter from G. H. Oliver to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the low yield of sugar, the labour, the total expenses of the estates per acre, the fact that the expense cuts were less than the labour cuts, the return of sugar from juice, coal consumption, and the cultivation.
MS.677/133(ii)	1872 February 5	Letter from G. H. Oliver to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Displays the results of Industry, Providence, R. P., and P. E. Estates, including their values of produce, expenses, and profits. Includes expenses per acre for R. P. and P. E. Estates.
MS.677/134	1872 February 16	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the differences in the cost of sundry items at R. P. and P. E. Estates, including labourer wages, cooperage, mules, cutting canes, small drains, coal, immigrants, the hospital, the management, shipping, and the manufacturing of sugar and rum.
MS.677/135	1873 May 1	List of copies from Sandbach, Tinné and Co to S., P. & Co	Lists copies of balance sheets for different months from the years 1865 to 1872.
MS.677/136	1873 May 20	Letter from John S. Wilson to Alfred Parker	Discusses Russell's dissatisfaction with the cultivation on the Providence estate, the building of a brick sluice, and the production of the estate for the year thus far. Also accounts for and defends his accomplishments and utility to the estate.
MS.677/137	1873 May 20	Letter from Alfred Parker to John S. Wilson	Informs him that he is giving the previous letter to Russell upon his return, and assures him that nothing will be said to his detriment.
MS.677/138	1873 May 23	Pamphlet for Dissolved Peruvian Guano	Details the general character of the manure, the peculiar merits of it, and also specific instructions for its application to certain crops. Includes a written note about the manufacturer being near London and potential Demerara agency.
MS.677/139	1874 April 4	Letter from Dr. Augustus Voelcker	Confirms the utility of Dissolved Peruvian Guano in Demerara, and explains the most beneficial method of distributing it.
MS.677/140	1875 January 5	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Alfred Parker	Discusses a misunderstanding between the two, finances, matters on the estates, and the chartering of a vessel. Also expresses the opinion that Russell knows the most about sugar making in Demerara.

MS.677/141	1876 January 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions that there is very little to report. Discusses briefly Plantations Friendship and Sarah, the passage of a captain's widow, another man's illness, and a serious fire.
MS.677/142(i)	1876 February 2	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Compares prices of different cargos, discusses the calculations about consumption, and includes the financial figures to be substituted into the books.
MS.677/142(ii)	1876 February 2	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the negatives of paying such high freights, sales, limiting the size of the store and its benefits, and altering arrangements of another firm.
MS.677/142(iii)	1876 February 2	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses Harrison vessels, the prices in Calcutta, their need to be flexible in prices, and potentially enlarging their storeroom if necessary for cargo space.
MS.677/143	1876 February 4	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné	Mentions results of interactions with opponents, and his new Creole butler. Discusses consumption, storage, and Black's credibility.
MS.677/144(i)	1876 February 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the sales of cargoes, affecting the markets and blocking off opponents' sales, the Trinidad market, and Robert and Charrols charters.
MS.677/144(ii)	1876 February 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Includes the further sales of rice, and mentions the Portuguese's current position.
MS.677/145	1876 February	Letter from G. R. Sandbach	Mentions his carriage and brother-in-law. Discusses Chinese immigration, a delay to vessels, mistakes in the books, the method of copying the estate journals, and the careless junior clerks.
MS.677/146(i)	1876 February 6	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Sandbach	Discusses mailing times, their poor treatment, the shipping of rice, Barr's attempt to flood the market, Black's information and Maxwell.

MS.677/146(ii)	1876 February 6	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Sandbach	Suggests attempting to make the freight rate dependent on the cost of rice per bag to reduce the high freight costs. Discusses Black's contacts in Surinam and matters with the crew of a coolie ship. Mentions concerns over Henry Watson, the loss of a horse, and a cook ill from drinking.
MS.677/147(i)	1876 February 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the arrival of several vessels, the poor price for R. P. sugar, and freights. Also mentions the Bagly contract being kept secret.
MS.677/147(ii)	1876 February 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses Garnett's inability to give statements of the origin of the V. H. S. notes, accounts of sugar and its limits, a need to get rid of "Maggie Browns" coals, and the consigning of a clerk. Requests the writing of a letter to Watson.
MS.677/148(i)	1876 February 10	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Alfred Parker	Discusses Black's need to get rid of his old rice, the stocks of rice, a possible outlet for the surplus, Black's former facilities at the market, and Barr's bills.
MS.677/149(i)	1876 February 10	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses coals, sulphate of ammonia, Watson's response, and the V. H. S. notes. States that Carbery sees nothing to prevent their winning their case against Smith.
MS.677/149(ii)	1876 February 10	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the delay of the George Rainy due in part to the accident of the Eliza, the Bugler clerk's illness, and the low price of the R. P. sugar. Also mentions that Russell is bringing forward the subject of compensation for cancelled Coolie charters to court.
MS.677/150(i)	1876 February 10	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Lists the stock of bags according to vessel and company. Mentions that McConnell misplaced the memo of Rice, but the figures still seem to coincide.
MS.677/150(ii)	1876 February 10	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions consumption per month and per annum, and lists the future arrivals and bags for general sales. Mentions that these figures are low estimates, and requests that they not inform Bookers about the sales figure.

MS.677/151	1876 March 2	Memorandum from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Reports telegrams sent to Garnett requesting an affidavit supporting working estate, information on 'turn over acreage' and immigration notes.
MS.677/152(i)	1876 March 1	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions Oliver's death, discusses the heirs to the lands of estates, and explains an article of partnership that many firms have. Also mentions a refusal to give a shipment of P. F. sugar because of a failure to pay wages and expenses.
MS.677/152(ii)	1876 March 1	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the use of small shipment bags, the poor sugar market, vessels, and sulphate of ammonia. Also mentions Bagly starting a business in Baltimore with Philadelphia.
MS.677/153	1876 March 7	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Lists the monthly consumption for February and March, mentions the poor sugar market, expresses an opinion on the two more charters, and discusses their plan to carry the lightest and cheapest stocks possible.
MS.677/154	1876 March 8	Letter from Alexander Cunliffe and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co.	Discusses the opening of a number 2 account and its percent rate.
MS.677/155	1876 March 8	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses an allowance for a commission and a plan to telegraph a reply from Ede Bros Co the following morning about the proposed terms about vessels loading full cargoes on owner's account.
MS.677/156	1876 March 10	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Reports Ede and Hobson's agreement to the proposed terms for vessels loading full cargoes on owner's account. States that all knowledge of the matter is limited to themselves and Ede Bros Co, and confirms that the matter will remain secret until the management transpires. Also Lists the different partners in the firm of Ede and Hobson.
MS.677/157	1876 March 14	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	States that Ede Brothers Co grants Sandbach, Tinné and Co the right to arrange the matter of ship's disbursement however they want.

MS.677/158	1876 March 15	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the price range of blue striped twills, and advices that they purchase the amount required ahead of schedule to take advantage of the current prices.
MS.677/159	1876 March 19	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné	Discusses their lack of power of attorney, and their hope to attain it so that they can better manage the F. & S arrangements, and Brady's large importation of rice. Mentions Sherlock's expected arrival, the quality of furniture in the house, and Black's expected departure. Also expresses a negative opinion of Russell.
MS.677/160(i)	1876 March 25	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the sale of Industry, and Hogg's expenditures including his wages for labourers at Belair, and his renovations on the estate to make it seem like something donated by McGarel. Sceptical of Hogg's request for a large amount of time to pay for Industry.
MS.677/160(ii)	1876 March 25	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses Hogg's character further and the transporting of multiple estates. Requests some tools including a gardening fork, iron shell rake, and axe. Also mentions the rarity of transporting an estate without a mortgage.
MS.677/161	1876 March 25	Letter from W. Russell to Tinné	Discusses his terms in the matter of maceration with Collour and Morton.
MS.677/162(i)	1876 April 15	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the application for commissions to India and Europe, paying the difference for damaged cargo, the possibility of leaving the Guiana Bank, and the lowered price for brown rice due to their inability to sell anything.
MS.677/162(ii)	1876 April 15	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the transport of F. E., the arrival of the City of Madrid, the repairs to King Arthur, the switching of attorneys at the Colonial Company, and a matter over insurance.

MS.677/162(iii)	1876 April 15	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses handling the matter with the Wimburn, the Pandora's captain, fire insurance, and Watson's expected payment for Oliver's estate.
MS.677/163	1876 May 3	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné	Discusses the decision to sell in the case with Smith, the possibility of selling Friendship to Hogg, John's attempts to trick Hogg, and an expected payment. Mentions that they might go into American business again to help with rice, and Sherlock's planned departure.
MS.677/164(i)	1876 May 3	Letter from W. Russell to John Tinné	Expresses his distaste for Smith, and discusses the R. X. business, the R. P. sugar crop's quality, and Chapman. Briefly mentions his disease.
MS.677/164(ii)	1876 May 3	Letter from W. Russell to John Tinné (cont.)	Discusses the expected losses, sugar production, rum production and shipments, and Hogg, whom he also insults. Also complains about Cameron.
MS.677/164(iii)	1876 May 3	Letter from W. Russell to John Tinné (cont.)	Discusses prospect of business with China, a contract for Chinese labourers on the plantation, and the renting of land and rates per acre.
MS.677/164(iv)	1876 May 3	Letter from W. Russell to John Tinné (cont.)	Discusses further plans for renting land and the privileges to the drainage and canal system that would be granted. Requests assistance in advertising British Guiana for this purpose. Also discusses the purchasing the King's claim, and methods of paying off their debt.
MS.677/165(i)	1876 May 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses reductions to the Hamburg account, receiving the payment from Watson for Oliver's estate, Little's production, Plantation Ruimveldt's uncertain debts, the arrival of many ships' freights, the refusal of companies to sell, and finances, particularly in regards to limited funds.
MS.677/165(ii)	1876 May 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses their parting ways with Cameron and their desire to buy up the mortgage for Plantation Friendship and to hire a new manager. Argues that it would prevent the sequestration of the estate and thus be beneficial. Also mentions that the freight and rice sale prices are very low.

MS.677/166(i)	1876 May 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions a possible consequence to the banks from the continuation of their operation. Also discusses their sacrifices to assist in the transaction, and argues that this justifies their proposal.
MS.677/166(ii)	1876 May 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the awkward situation about Ruimveldt, Campbell's bill and the settlement, issue with tonnage, and an issue with a shipment of rice. Also mentions Watson's shipment, and that the matter of Chinese immigration is receiving much attention.
MS.677/166(iii)	1876 May 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses freights, a difficult situation, Cameron's paying off his expenses, their inability to buy sugar, and Smith's request to compromise to their notes.
MS.677/166(iv)	1876 May 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses limited rice sales, the probably price drop and consequential reductions. Mention one delivery for export, and a general anxiety over the low demand for rice.
MS.677/166(v)	1876 May 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Blank back sheet of a letter except for date of sending and receiving.
MS.677/167(i)	1876 May 23	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	States that there is no record of any agreement made with Campbell in April 1875. Also discusses Oliver's estate, the bill due for law charges, and the tariff of lawyers' fees in British Guiana.
MS.677/167(ii)	1876 May 23	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses problems with Robert Smith, insurance, silver, and anxiety over the need for remittances.

MS.677/167(iii)	1876 May 23	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the potential risks of overdrawing their bank account and the shipments of silver coinage. Agrees to overdraw the account, and warns against taking shipments from DE Jonge.
MS.677/167(iv)	1876 May 23	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sanbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses rice sales and their plan to enable them to be stiffer in rice prices. Mentions the Maltilde, and states that the tonnage is in excess.
MS.677/168(i)	1876 May 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Explains all the different legal charges and bills. Also Discusses the memo of V. H. S. expenses.
MS.677/168(ii)	1876 May 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the retaining fee, the governor's request to know the number of Chinese immigrants in each lot and the proportion of women to men, the general encouragement of Chinese immigration, and the specifics of overdrawing their account. States that the bank will allow the account to be overdrawn, but will not accept payment in the Mexican dollar, which is in such excess of the demand.
MS.677/168(iii)	1876 May 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses a mistake in information about the money onboard the Pandora, Clarke's need to move since Spring Garden is paid for and transported, and the transport of R. P. Also mentions the lack of demand for manure, the difficulty of loading for London, and Harrison ships.
MS.677/168(iv)	1876 May 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Advises that they stop negotiating about the F. S. Estate, and mentions an issue with Cameron over his accounts. Also discusses the heavy sales of rice.
MS.677/168(v)	1876 May 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the British Guiana Bank and suggests that it might be worthwhile to stay with them. Asks not to send any more silver, and states that they cannot get sugar at a reasonable price to ship. Also discusses their Coolie contract.



MS.677/168(vi)	1876 May 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the difficulty in purchasing sugar, the freights, and their hope that the year's business will be up to standard. Also mentions that they will have to open a separate account for the specie, and thus can't get remittances easily.
MS.677/169(i)	1876 June 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes a statement of rice for the month of May and mentions shipments to Cuba, Barbados, and Guadeloupe. Also states that the price of rice seems more consistent, and that the current shipment was damaged by coal dust.
MS.677/169(ii)	1876 June 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions that they are sending an account sale, but won't be able to send another until after they have sold more No. 2 and No. 3.
MS.677/169(iii)	1876 June 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses Chinese immigration and the Planter Association's resolution sent to the Court of Policy. Their resolution discusses the immigrants right to choose whether to work on an estate or on his own land, and compares the Chinese immigrant's expected salary per day in comparison to Coolie labourers. Also mentions Hogg's support of indenture.
MS.677/169(iv)	1876 June 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses Cameron's intent to reduce his account and pay off the remainder of his debt. Also expresses the opinion that the estate would have been more profitable under better management.
MS.677/169(v)	1876 June 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses a possible compromise with Smith, their desire to get a handling of the Chinese immigration, the buying order, the purchasing of low sugar, and Thomas Moss' methods. Also mentions that there is no chance of 'return Coolies'.
MS.677/169(vi)	1876 June 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions the Mathilde's planned journey and that there is too much white rice production. Discusses Garnett and Booker's refusal to sell bills, the use of Dutch bills, and other finances. States that they offered a seat in the office to McCalman. Also discusses the Rohilla contract, and mentions that some orders for Coolies have not been met.

MS.677/169(vii) )	1876 June 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions that freights are very dull with no sign of improvement, that there is a new line of steamers, and that it is very difficult to get produce. Discusses a small shipment of R. F. barrels, and questions whether or not they always get fair trade discounts for Ironmongery.
MS.677/170(i)	1876 June 13	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses sugar commissions, their business plans and relationship with Duff, and McCalman's claim that he requires an allowance. Also mentions the money they have on hand, and states that they are unable to get remittances for both rice and Mexican dollars.
MS.677/170(ii)	1876 June 13	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses shipments of produce and a duty of forty cents per bag of rice about to be imposed. Advises that they decline to purchase the FxS. estate, and mentions a Coolie compensation claim that has not been settled.
MS.677/170(iii)	1876 June 13	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Alfred Parker	Requests the sending of cartridges, states that they declined to purchase the FxS. estate, and discusses the costs of other estates. Mentions that the rice duty is probably to be proposed in Combined Court. Also advises him to remind Stediford of his responsibilities.
MS.677/171(i)	1876 June 19	Letter from William Craigen to Russell	Reports on his visit to the Providence estate. Discusses the poor return on the estate according to Monkhouse's statement, the excellent condition of cultivation, the expected yields, the internal draining system, and the ways in which drainage has been improved.
MS.677/171(ii)	1876 June 19	Letter from William Craigen to Russell (cont.)	Advises the doubling of lime applied to replants, and explains the benefits of it. Approves of the method of replanting, but suggests that they begin this process later in the year. Also approves of Monkhouse's lining the canes fourteen inches wide to save labour and costs.
MS.677/171(iii)	1876 June 19	Letter from William Craigen to Russell (cont.)	Mentions that the hospital and labourers' cottages are in good order, and discusses the high coal consumption. Includes a statement of the return of four fields on R.X. for the past ten years.

MS.677/173	1876 June 21	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the list of insurances falling due in hand in hand and the insurance arrangements, Lists the several risk values. Also mentions the refusal of certain insurances influenced by Hogg, and questions if they should carry out their arrangements.
MS.677/174	1876 June 28	Letter from William Russell to William Craigen	Discusses the report that his interference between late Smith and his constituents hastened his death. Upset with this claim and details the situation and his actions. Also mentions the interest in and the spread of knowledge about their actions.
MS.677/175(i)	1876 July 3	Letter from William Craigen to William Russell	Expresses regret and sorrow over Smith's death and the issues brought against Russell over it. Mentions that Russell was unaware of the actual reduction to Smith's amended terms when he advised him to accept them.
MS.677/175(ii)	1876 July 3	Letter from William Craigen to William Russell	Reports that Smith liked Russell and believed that he did not interfere with his relations with C.I. Discusses different accusations of fraud and insults about his age brought against him that did affect his health, unlike matters with Russell. Also mentions a typo in his report of Providence.
MS.677/176	1876 July 8	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Alfred Parker	Casually discusses pets and interviews with Dauson and Reid. Mentions Smiths' offer, and gives his reason for refusing credit to Smith and Vyphius. Also discusses a possible \$60,000 loss on rice.
MS.677/177	1876 July 6	Letter from William Russell to John	Discusses trouble over John's inheritance, which has gotten more complicated since Smith's death, issues with Craigen who may leave R.X., and Luden. Also mentions going to China directly to get Chinese labourers, trouble caused by Mexicans, issues with maceration, and sacc parameters.
MS.677/178(i)	1876 July 6	Letter from William Russell to Parker	Discusses the issues with Craigen and Luden, who seems to have betrayed Parker's confidence and twisted remarks to make him appear against Smith. Also discusses Smith's business under a false name, matters regarding a firehouse, and India's failure in regards to Chinese labourers.

MS.677/178(ii)	1876 July 6	Letter from William Russell to Parker (cont.)	Advises that he ask Luden to write a letter to exonerate him from the charges Argues that Smith's salary was sufficient. Discusses doing business with the Dutchmen, educated African labourers, the magnitude of Hogg's rice operation, the problems with conducting business in secrecy, and a possible visit to the Pacific and Cuba. Mentions his desire to interview the local countrymen about their differing methods of handling freedmen.
MS.677/178(iii)	1876 July 6	Letter from William Russell to Parker (cont.)	Discusses crops and sales, a refusal to purchase an estate on McCalman's behalf, business with Meyers, and Bernard's mortgage, security, and other beneficial consequences of this matter.
MS.677/179	1876 July 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	States that enclosed are letters to read before deciding whether to accept an offer. Also mentions a commission on Liverpool ships and sending a copy of the disbursements of chartered ships.
MS.677/180	1876 July 24	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Sandbach Parker	Discusses the impression that he is difficult to please, alludes to Russell's case, and mentions improvements in emigration. Also requests that they not send too much rice, since it is selling for very cheap.
MS.677/181	1876 July 25	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné	Discusses S.T.N.'s payment of interest, Russell's effort put into managing R.P., and Sandbach's ideological determination after being snubbed in some matter.
MS.677/182	1876 July 25	Letter from Sherlock to S. S. Parker	Explains why the half yearly documents and analyses are delayed, estimates a value for the year's work, and mentions that the rice ventures have been profitable for them. Also mentions his family and someone's unhealthy state,
MS.677/183(i)	1876 July 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses anxiety over current lawsuits, freights, and the Colonial Company. Mentions that their account is heavily overdrawn and that they are not able to send any more large lots of silver.

MS.677/183(ii)	1876 July 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Advises that they engage in business with Trotter, and discusses several requests for advances to the sugar estates. Mentions the Calcutta agent, the payment of a mortgage, and the distribution of the coal stock.
MS.677/183(iii)	1876 July 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the transport of some lots, the sale of an estate, the scarcity of sugar and the rise in prices, cargoes, and the dull state of rice. Also mentions that McCalman must wait until August to close with the trustees at FxS.
MS.677/184(i)	1876 July 26	Letter from W.R. to Tinné	Discusses Lord Carnarvan's refusal to pay for immigration out of public revenue, the conservatives and their positions, a charge brought about the treatment of the Coolie labourers and their imprisonment, and an evaluation of an estate. Also requests assistance for Denham.
MS.677/184(ii)	1876 July 26	Letter from W.R to Tinné (cont.)	Discusses the values of estates, relations with Bernard, the estates' conditions, and his relationship with Sir Thomas. Also details an issue with Porter on the estates.
MS.677/184(iii)	1876 July 26	Letter from W.R. to Tinné (cont.)	Discusses the bluffing of Mexicans, correspondences with Craigen, and Smith's affairs. Disagrees with the suggestion to add Craigen to the partnership, and reserve recommending Craigen to them until after they learn the real state of the accounts.
MS.677/185(i)	1876 August 5	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné	Mentions the purchase of cigars for Tinné and a rat problem. Explains his tendency to avoid advising advances on Demerara property, gives opinions of Smith, Craigen, and Trotman, and discusses Smith's note, which is still overdue in the bank.
MS.677/185(ii)	1876 August 5	Letter from William Russell to John Tinné	Discusses the purchase of Beehive estate, an opinion of planters' extravagance, Mexicans, Murdoch, matters with attracting Chinese immigrants, Smith's sale, and Leonora's boiling house. Also mentions that McCalman is likely to bid for FxS.

MS.677/185(iii)	1876 August 5	'Murdoch late of Providence' from William Russell	Details the life of Murdoch before and after Sandbach, Parker and Co enticed him from Better Hope to become the manager of Providence. Also details the history and current occupation of Walker.
MS.677/186(i)	1876 August 16	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Requests that they offer Leageraft some inducement to do business with them, mentions the idea of advertising, and states that Craigen wants advances. Also mentions that they might be able to negotiate an extension of the contract with Ohleudorff, and that they are accepting for McCalman FxS.
MS.677/186(ii)	1876 August 16	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses Bernard's plan to purchase an estate, the balance of the accounts involved, and rice sales. Also compares different companies' lime, and states that the government is interested in letting Chinese immigration resume.
MS.677/186(iii)	1876 August 16	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses Smith's scheme to recruit more immigrants to the colony and the combining of freights. Stresses the importance of regular communication with China even if only one freight can be made a year, and suggests that they establish a native Chinese mercantile house.
MS.677/186(iv)	1876 August 16	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses cargoes received with mixed lots of old and new rice, a cargo of fish, and other matters relating to tonnage, loading, and sugar shipments.
MS.677/187(i)	1876 September 24	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné	Discusses the sale of V.H.S., a poor sale at the market, a leak in the store from a heavy storm, and the price of rice. Also expresses a positive opinion of McConnell.
MS.677/187(ii)	1876 September 24	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné (cont.)	Discusses a case of price reduction, white rice, horses, races, and Duff's sickness.
MS.677/187(iii)	1876 September 24	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné (cont.)	Discusses R.P.'s positive state, and possible renovations. Also mentions a prevalent sickness spreading around.

MS.677/188	1876 September 25	Letter from W. R. to John Tinné	Discusses a woman who lost another child, the terrible weather, Bernard's purchase of V.H.S., and Craigen and Smith. Also dismisses their suggestion to make anyone else partner at the moment.
MS.677/189(i)	1876 September 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses rates of exchange, the payment of cashed cheques in British silver, account sales and interest, and the eventual employment of the St. Kilda. Also mentions the liability of partners.
MS.677/189(ii)	1876 September 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the price, sale, and shipment of rice, including the shipment on St. Kilda, which was double the recommended quantity. Also mentions another order for a cargo of molasses, and a shipment of bushell wine, which is of suitable quality, but not in proper sized casks.
MS.677/189(iii)	1876 September 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions that the store is leaky from the weight of rice, requests that they assist Camachs, a valued customer, and expresses the opinion that one of them should be on the bank's board. Discusses the payment of charges on accounts, and a poor sale for Stewarts.
MS.677/190	1876 October 9	Letter from F. E. James to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses his treaty with Providence, and his plan to purchase some land on the colony.
MS.677/191	1876 October 16	Letter from Sherlock to Tinné	Discusses the heir to all the estates, steamers and their prevalence and benefits, extensions to Stephen's old wharf, and issues with the Portuguese. Mentions that Captain Atkins requests that his nephew be considered for apprenticeship if suitable. Includes a diagram of the wharf extension.
MS.677/192	1876 October 17	Letter from Sherlock to Alfred Parker	Discusses family life, a temporary advance to Goldstone Hall, cargoes, the U.S.'s system of duties and policies, and difficulties in ordering sugar.
MS.677/193(i)	1876 October 18	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses trade with the U.S., an issue over the sale of tweeds whose duty had not been paid, the imposing of a limit on the number of bags, the prices of oats, and shipments of timber.

MS.677/193(ii)	1876 October 18	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the sale of coals, a buying order, shipments of sugar, the purchase of rum, a shipment of rice to Barbados, and the price of rice at the market.
MS.677/193(iii)	1876 October 18	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions Havana as a possible outlet, some finances, and the difference in price between white and yellow rice. Requests moderate shipments from the Coolie stores after close inspection of quality. Also discusses required marks and prices of their rice bags.
MS.677/193(iv)	1876 October 18	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the prices of fish, and requests that they explain to Bouring that do not plan to extend his business largely at the current time.
MS.677/194	1876 October 18	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné	Discusses the arrival and housing arrangements for John, issues with sugar production due to the unseasonable rain, and the sale of black sugar and its price.
MS.677/195	1876 October 19	Letter from William Russell to John Tinné	Discusses a delay to shipping due to being overloaded and the value of cane purchasing. Also gives brief reports on multiple estates, and mentions that he fired the manager of Rose Hall. Comments on the poor quality of the rum received.
MS.677/196(i)	1876 October 21	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné	Discusses poor relations with the Smith clique, particularly with Craigen, and details vain attempts to improve their interactions.
MS.677/196(ii)	1876 October 21	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to John Tinné (cont.)	Discusses the Linguist and notes that its proportions are better for the transport of Coolies due to better ventilations. Mentions an occasion four years ago, which shows the power of the Colonial Bank. Reports the conclusion from a meeting about the Mexican dollar.



MS.677/197	1876 October 25	Letter from William Russell to John Tinné	Discusses a system of vacuum pumps, and expresses concern about the spacing between the pumps and delivery valves. Mentions the current building projects, and states the expected results of the new machinery. Also discusses macerators, the positioning of mills on Rose Hall and Providence, and possible renovations and additions to the machinery. Mentions poor relations with the Smiths.
MS.677/198(i)	1876 October 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the cost of sugar bags from Calcutta, the arrival of the Linguist, a bill mistakenly endorsed by the Government Secretary, and the rice market at Trinidad.
MS.677/198(ii)	1876 October 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the purchase of shares with British Guiana Bank, Barbadian immigrant's poor opinions of the country, freights, and produce, in particular rum and sugar. Mentions that many estates are making dark centrifugals, which lessens the field for purchasing.
MS.677/198(iii)	1876 October 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses, finances and exchanges and the Pride of the West's shipment of above average quality molasses. Mentions that the Mexican dollars are being sent home.
MS.677/199(i)	1876 November 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions a missing letter, discusses the charge of interest on Mose's account, which is insufficient, and suggests a change in the interest charge to correct the problem.
MS.677/199(ii)	1876 November 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions a Coolie contract, currency, and cargo for Bouring's vessel. Discusses communications and business with James. Requests that they send rice invoices without details in the future.
MS.677/199(iii)	1876 November 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the employment of ships, the high prices of sugar resulting in their inability to fill their order, and an issue over a shipment for Stabbs. Also gives advice regarding coal shipments.

MS.677/199(iv)	1876 November 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions difficulties in selling exchanges and an increase in the telegraph tariff. Questions the choice of agency for trade in Trinidad, requests an opinion about overdrafts at R.X., and discusses the Barbados exchange rate.
MS.677/199(v)	1876 November 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions an increase in the price of brandy, the purchase of more stores, and Captain Atkins poor physical condition after suffering sunstroke in India. Also informs them that Dougall has called his creditors and that they owe him a very small debt.
MS.677/200	1876 November 4	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses shipments to Barbados and Trinidad, advises that they continue shipments in a moderate way, and mentions that they just completed a sale of No. 3. Also states that it is currently difficult to make sales.
MS.677/201	1876 November 7	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions a breakdown of telegraph wires, reports their inability to execute the buying order for sugar, requests that they reduce coal shipments, and states that they sent in their Coolie tender and will try to enlist the support of members of the Court.
MS.677/202	1876 November 16	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the increased limit for sugar and their filling out the buying order. States that Perot and others are trying to buy out all their rice since Calcutta is in need of rice. Mentions an order for molasses, reports that they will soon be able to secure a vessel for their purchase of black sugar in the U.S., and informs them that the government will not move from their custom of advertising for tenders in regards to Coolie contracts.
MS.677/203(i)	1876 December 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions that they have received power of attorney for F.M.M. and that Russell is sole attorney of R.X. Explains why they cannot make sales of rice at the moment, reports that the sugar market is solely for dark yellow and black sugar, and expresses approval of Turnbull, Stewart and Co.

MS.677/203(ii)	1876 December 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses freights and different individuals' plans in regards to shipments and the forward purchases of sugar. Mentions that they telegraphed again to find the location of the passengers, and that Craigen declined Russell's cheque. Also states how much crop has already been produced.
MS.677/204	1876 December 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions that they expect a good demand soon since others' stocks are emptying, and that the following year will be more profitable for shipments if they are more moderate. Also states that they have enclosed lists of sales for multiple vessels, a memo, and a debit note on Pandora sales.
MS.677/205	1876 December 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the sale of R.X., Bouring's account, rice remittances, and the lack of attention to the subject of currency from newspapers. Also mentions that coals have kept up better than they had expected.
MS.677/206(i)	1876 December 23	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses Coolie contract, and the need to establish a rate of tender, and a shipment of coals of abused quality. Also mentions R.X.'s interest and their inability to purchase fish by telegraph.
MS.677/206(ii)	1876 December 23	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions tender for Coolie contracts, their neighbours' stocks and sales of rice, and Robert and Charriot's business. Also discusses the Portuguese's anxiety over whom they should buy from.
MS.677/207	1876 December 24	Letter from William Russell to John Tinné	Mentions decisions about remuneration, and discusses Craigen's greed and actions on the estates. Also discusses preparations for James' arrival, times for reaping the next crop, mills and maceration, and an issue during grinding that they do not want to become public knowledge.
MS.677/208(i)	1876 December 30	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions that the Portuguese have no confidence in the rice market, and explains their attempt to convince them otherwise. Discusses finances including the closing of their bank account and notes from the Oliveira.

MS.677/208(ii)	1876 December 30	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Discusses the quality and price of coals, McCalman's motion to saddle the home government with some expenses and losses, and the rate of charters and inevitable consequences of the depression in freights. Also mentions that the terms of purchase of Plantation Columbia have been arranged.
MS.677/208(iii)	1876 December 30	Letter from Sandbach, Parker and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co (cont.)	Mentions a fire at Turnball, Stewart and Co, which involved the destruction of rice, the market price of rice, the departure of Dyett, and the hiring of Meller to act for him.
MS.677/209	1878 April 22	Estimate of new lock expenses	Lists the amount and prices of G. H. timber, G. H. Scantling, and bricks required for the new lock. Also mentions the building of a bridge, either a temporary or permanent one.
MS.677/211	1879 January 24	Letter from W. R. Sandbach	Mentions a consolidation, a mortgage, and the method for annual reductions and improving security. Discusses ways to help Captain Childs be appointed to the position of colonial secretary on the Gold Coast.
MS.677/212	1879 March 7	Extracts from E. & H.'s letter	Discusses the Demerara contract, the actions of other companies, and the opening of tenders. Marked private.
MS.677/213	1879 March 31	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the purchase of the Apelles, the rates of sale, sales and purchases of tonnage, and financial pressure on Merchant Shipping and Co. Also mentions rumours about other companies. Marked private.
MS.677/214	1879 March 29	Letter from Alexander to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the expected losses of Wylie and Co, and their plan to proceed with caution. Marked private.
MS.677/215	1879 March 29	Letter from C. W. Kellock and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the drawing of the balance of the purchase of the Apelles. Marked private.
MS.677/216	1879 April 1	Letter from Dauson to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the manner and offensive actions of Sandbach, Tinné and Co's sugar clerk.

MS.677/217	1879 April 2	Letter from Thames & Mersey Marine Insurance Co Limited to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Thanks them for their assistanc and interest on his behalf. Also discusses the clerk's conduct and his being rebuked.
MS.677/218	1879 April 18	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses consequences of changes in the banking world and the discrediting of previously reputable institutions. Mentions an issue with oriental bank paper, and the Jamaica's voyage. Marked private.
MS.677/219	1879 April 21	Letter from Henry R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Asks for their opinion on what he should purchase for Captain Russell as a present, and also mentions the arrival of a barrel of sugar.
MS.677/220	1879 June 12	Letter from James to G. Sandbach Esq.	Discusses finances, payments to attorneys, and an attorney position with M.M. Also mentions his relationship with Mr. Russell, and Mr. Russell's view of politics.
MS.677/221	1879 June 13	Letter from G. Smith to S. S. Parker Esq.	Discusses the progressively lower rates and the ship owners' concerns about security and willingness to hire any underwriter or company that writes cheaply. Mentions that private underwrites are far cheaper than companies because they have no large rents to pay. Predicts that if the prices continue to lower, there will be no potential for profit. Also reports that the sugar markets are bad at the moment. Marked private.
MS.677/222	1879 June 16	Letter from G. Smith to S. S. Parker Esq.	Explains the standing of underwriters and the means taken to keep the room and public safe. Mentions that underwriters must receive the approval from a committee, and states that there are no questionable underwriters at the present time. Marked private.
MS.677/223	1879 July 1	Letter from Decarte, Potter and Son to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Confirms that the previously mentioned firm has considerable means and trustworthy. Mentions that their business is mostly banking. Marked private.
MS.677/224	1879 July 1	Letter from Geenston Sons Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Confirms that the previously mentioned firm is a large business, and mentions the workings of another business. Marked private.

MS.677/225(i)	1879 July 4	Extracts from B. C. and Co to E. & H.	Requests that they write to Calcutta about national credits. Discusses transactions with banks, bank credits, and the payment of a shipment.
MS.677/225(ii)	1879 July 4	Extracts from B. C. and Co to E. & H. (cont.)	Further discusses the payment of National Bank of Liverpool credits.
MS.677/226	1879 July 4	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Reports a private letter from E. & H., which states that Firth is inimical to Sandbach, Tinné and Co. States that they decided to forward it in case of later circumstances. Also mentions that the Crown Agents are not of a beneficent sort either.
MS.677/227	1879 July 12	Letter from T. M. King	Discusses the auction of the Allegro's cargo, the highest bid, and the low attendance. Also mentions a speculative buyer for other cargo. Marked private.
MS.677/228	1879 July 25	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Reports that Ede and Hobson have stated that they believe Sandbach, Tinné and Co will be able to place the credits at satisfactory rates. Marked private.
MS.677/229	1879 July 28	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Reports some extracts from letters from Ede and Hobson about the moderate acceptance of Merchant Banking Co's paper, G. W. and Co's drawing on clean credit, the rates of rice on their three Coolie ships, and a broker's statement that the ships had been chartered for three years. Marked private.
MS.677/230	1879 July 29	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Requests that they make a number of payments for him during his absence from Liverpool, which he lists here. Also discusses his power of attorney and what to do about private loans in case of his death abroad. Marked private.
MS.677/231	1879 August 4	Letter from Campbell to Alfred Parker Esq.	Discusses an appeal, the charger's refusal to withdraw, the closing of the court until December, and a plan to reach a settlement if the opportunity should arise.
MS.677/232	1879 August 7	Letter from E. S. Whitford to S. Sandbach Parker Esq.	Discusses the bad state of the commercial world, the reason for the changed address, their current premises, the search for a purchaser, their business debts, and the depression in the timber trade.

MS.677/233	1879 August 7	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the accident of the Rona involving the dock and possible causes of it. Also give their opinion of Captain Trunks, and explain his reaction to the situation. Marked confidential.
MS.677/234	1879 August 16	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Includes extracts from Ede and Hobson's private letter about Mitchell's method of advertising for tenders. They also mention that G. W. and Co's broker has misled them about the weight of bags of rice. Further discuss the charges for over-weight bags and the method of checking bag weights. Marked private.
MS.677/235	1879 August 19	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses their meeting with Barr and reports his explanation for the whole issue concerning overweight bags of rice. Reports that his Demerara associates came to the false conclusion that Sandbach, Parker and Co were shipping heavier bags to secure a preference in the Demerara market, and in turn ordered that their own bags be made overweight. States that Barr said he was absent and could not prevent the problem, but that he has since worked to correct the issue. Marked private.
MS.677/236	1879 August 29	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Reports extracts from Ede and Hobson about the National Bank of Liverpool credits and one of their Coolie ships. An extract mentions that there should be no trouble in negotiating the amount named. Marked private.
MS.677/237(i)	1879 September 12	Letter from Jackson and Till to Blackwood, Conor and Co	Reports their evaluation of a sample of rice they received, which is of exceptional quality.
MS.677/237(ii)	1879 August 12	Extract from Ede and Hobson's private letter	Reports a complaint about a shipment of rice and requests that they inform them of who concluded the stated evaluation of the rice because it was apparently a new crop and of finest quality.

MS.677/237(iii)	1879 August 12	Extract from Ede and Hobson's private letter (cont.)	States that the complaint about moth could have been about weevil, and requests that the sent sealed reference sample be taken to a reliable broker to evaluate it. Expresses suspicions about the people who actually examine the shipments of rice and evaluate them in Demerara.
MS.677/237(iv)	1879 August 12	Extract from Ede and Hobson's private letter (cont.)	Continues to question the Demerara gentlemen's evaluations of their products and senses of taste.
MS.677/238	1879 September 15	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the sample of table rice which has been sent to Jackson and Till for their opinion. Mentions that the delayed response is due to the writer's brief absence. Marked private.
MS.677/239	1879 September 17	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Affirm that they are concerned with anything that could indirectly affect Sandbach, Tinné and Co's interest, and explains why Hobson writes with such a freedom of expression in the extracts that have been sent. Marked private.
MS.677/240	1879 September 30	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses their acceptance of Honet's request to ask as the London agents of his line of steamers. Professes that they will withdraw if they so wish. Marked private.
MS.677/241	1879 October 1	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the Crown Agents hiring of Tyser's ship for a Coolie shipment, and the general annoyance over their course of not advertising for tenders. Also mentions that Tyser may have taken advantage of intelligence from Solomon about Jamaica's plan to indenture a larger number of Coolies. Marked private.
MS.677/242	1879 October 3	Letter from Beckett to J. E. Tinné Esq.	Discusses the terms of a loan or overdraft, and also explains the general rule applicable in these cases.
MS.677/243	1879 October 23	Letter from G. H. Chambers to S. Sandbach Parker Esq.	Requests that they do business with them directly, and states their different options for payment.



MS.677/244	1879 October 25	Letter from G. H. Chambers to S. Sandbach Parker Esq.	Discusses their method of business with other companies, their present issue with their brokers, and the current crop.
MS.677/245	1879 October 30	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses Ede and Hobson's order for a first class iron vessel for a large number of emigrants to Jamaica and St. Lucia. Mentions that this offer should be kept private at the moment. Marked private.
MS.677/246	1879 November 1	Letter from Francis E. James to S. Sandbach Parker Esq.	States that he is terminating William Russell as attorney of M.M. because of his poor results and work over the past three years. Also mentions Parker's view of James as a novice, and further discusses their interactions.
MS.677/247(i)	1879 November 21	Letter from Blackwood to Parker	Mentions that Hobson and Ede have renewed their partnership for eighteen more months, and states that they do not want to push the Edes out of the business entirely. Marked private and confidential.
MS.677/247(ii)	1879 November 21	Letter from Blackwood to Parker (cont.)	States that they do not want to continue acting as the London agents of the Liverpool house because they want to represent their own house to improve their business. Also discusses plans to establish a new Calcutta house jointly with Hobson and the Edes. At the moment rejects Parker's offer.
MS.677/247(iii)	1879 November 21	Letter from Blackwood to Parker (cont.)	The end of the letter which mentions that they will reply to another letter soon. Includes the signature.
MS.677/248	1879 November 27	Letter from Francis E. James to S. Sandbach Parker Esq.	States that Garnett will replace William Russell, complains about Russell's late style of correspondence, and discusses his actions on the estates and the number of people on the estates. Presents great confidence in his decision. Marked private.
MS.677/249	1879 November 29	Letter from Edmund Field to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Thanks them for their support in his purchase of the Diamond.

MS.677/250	1879 December 2	Letter from Francis E. James to S. Sandbach Parker Esq.	States that he believes he has not shown Russell any discourtesy, and complains about his flighty and excitable correspondences. Includes a journal entry about the estates, the finances, and Russell. Marked private.
MS.677/251	1879 December 6	Letter from Samuel Smith to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses their arrangement with the Bank of Liverpool, credit bills, and commissions.
MS.677/252	1879 December 8	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Mentions their desire to lessen some of their stock, and discusses different shipments of rice and the Calcutta firm. Marked private.
MS.677/253	1879 December 12	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses two shipments of Coolies for Trinidad that also have shipments of rice on board. Marked private.
MS.677/254	1879 December 15	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Reports an extract from Ede and Hobbes, which discusses the shipment onboard the Bann, their conversation with Dr. Harvey, and the prices of rice.
MS.677/255	1879 December 17	Letter from Francis E. James to S. Sandbach Parker Esq.	States that Russell has accused him of abusing him out of habit, and complains about Russell's rude correspondences and childish behaviour.
MS.677/256	1879 December 20	Letter from Francis E. James to S. Sandbach Parker Esq.	Discusses matters on the estate, the plan of M.M., and the sale of produce.
MS.677/257	1879 December 31	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Reports an extract from a private letter of Ede and Hobson stating that the matter of the Bann's crew has been represented to the Secretary of State for India. Marked private.
MS.677/258	1880 January 19	Letter from Craigen to William Russell	Discusses Russell's current situation, an idea for a settlement, and his interactions with Stephenson recently. Also discusses lies that have been told about the running and finances of the estates. Requests that he estimate the value of the properties.

MS.677/259	1880 February 3	Letter from G. R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the value of a property, its working, and the expected survey and census of the locality.
MS.677/260	1880 December 20	Letter from Bugle to Alred Parker Esq.	Requests that Parker use his influences to assist his son in finding a position at another mercantile company in London, and describes his son's qualifications.
MS.677/261(i)	1880 December 31	Letter from Conyers to G. R Sandbach	Includes the particulars of Mayers scrip including all the payments and net profit.
MS.677/261(ii)	1880 December 31	Letter from Conyers to G. R. Sandbach (cont.)	Includes the particulars of the scrip if they had paid a premium, or if they had sold the scrip at the present market price.
MS. 677/262	1881 January 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a shipment of sugar, that the company did not overcharge in dealing with Barnett and that they will press the 'Para' question.
MS. 677/263	1881 January 4	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Marked private. Discusses proposals they made and that they worried about Mr Ede in Calcutta but that has been sorted by Hobson, Conor and Co.
MS. 677/264	1881 January 4	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses freight, marine insurance, sugar, Suriname and Oliver's estate.
MS. 677/265	1881 January 5	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Quotes a letter from Mr Conor that says he "made a mistake in his last. It was the Bann's tanks that were found to be short." Marked as private.
MS. 677/266	1881 January 12	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Quotes a letter from Mr Conor saying he and Hobson are very angry with the Captain of the British Statesman as a shipping clerk was kept on board all night.
MS. 677/267	1881 January 18	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to unknown	Discusses the decision to invest money in Demerara.

MS. 677/268	1881 January 25	Letter from James Nourse to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Unable to determine content.
MS. 677/269	1881 February 2	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns the payment for the Diamond Estate, a loan for £20,000 and the financial effect of the reverses in Africa and at Kandahar on Indian securities.
MS. 677/270 (i)	1881 February 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Congratulates Sandbach and Tinné on the purchase of the fine property in British Guiana and says Mr Russell has inspected it.
MS. 677/270 (ii)	1881 February 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Concerns insurance for the property.
MS. 677/270 (iii)	1881 February 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Concerns Hand-in-Hand shares, Enterprise estate, breadstuffs, transactions with Baptiste including those regarding rice, and Oliver's estate.
MS. 677/271	1881 February 4	Letter from Blackwood, Conor and Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Asks the recipients if they are interested in buying a ship suitable for Coolies.
MS. 677/272	1881 February 18	Letter from James Nourse to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Unable to determine content.
MS. 677/273 (i)	1881 February 23	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses S.S.P (Sans Souci Plantation?) and feels something needs to be done, a contract concerning Ohlendorff (?) and A.J.P., another plantation (?)
MS. 677/273 (ii)	1881 February 23	Letter from G.R. Sandbach (cont.)	Concerns meeting with J.E. Tinné before he leaves for Guiana.
MS. 677/274	1881 February 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Edmund Field Esq.	Confirms receipt of Field's private letter and it will be forwarded to Liverpool.

MS. 677/275	1881 February 24	Letter from Edmund Field to Sandbach, Parker & Co	Field's letter as mentioned above. Regards the financial matters of the Diamond Estate.
MS. 677/276	1881 February 25	Letter from C Tennant, Sons & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Expresses their regret over S, T & Co losing the Trinidad contract and reports on successful and unsuccessful rates. The people who won the Trinidad contract will charter instead of possess vessels for transporting Coolies.
MS. 677/277 (i)	1881 February 25	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Marked private. Discusses the suggestion to Nourse(?) of a combination in the Coolie trade with Trypers but Nourse declined. Varying interests suggest an agreement will never be reached.
MS. 677/277 (ii)	1881 February 25	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co (cont.)	Reports that Houlders(?) may have difficulty in finding tonnage for earlier ships but will have no difficulty with later ships.
MS. 677/278	1881 February 26	Letter from Smith (?) to Parker	Marked private. Discusses brokerage.
MS. 677/279	1881 February 26	Letter from James Nourse to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses how Tryper would be a doubtful ally.
MS. 677/280	1881 February 26	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the Trinidad contract and how ships could not be employed for Coolie contracts.
MS. 677/281	1881 February 28	Letter from Bugle to Mr Parker	Thanks Mr Parker for getting Bugle's son a place in a London office.
MS. 677/282	1881 March 1	Letter to Mr Parker from Percy Bates	Mentions values of the Enterprise plantation.
MS. 677/283	1881 March 16	Letter from James Nourse to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Reports that Houlders have two ships and will have no problem in acquiring a third.

MS. 677/284	1881 March 19	Letter from J.L. Ohlson to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Mentions ships not being submitted to the Crown agents.
MS. 677/285	1881 March 21	Letter from G.R. Sandbach (?) to Sandbach	Reports that he has been pushing claims on Oliver's estate and has talked to the Court of Policy.
MS. 677/286	1881 March 21	Letter from C.A. Hampton (James Nourse's Office) to J. Blackwood Esq	Discusses the failure to tender ships to Crown agents and there will be a penalty.
MS. 677/287	1881 March 21	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Letter shown to Mr Nourse's clerk who is asking Crown agents about ships.
MS. 677/288	1881 March 21	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Includes extract from a private letter from Hobson, Conor and Co in Calcutta.
MS. 677/289	1881 March 22	Letter from James Nourse to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns making an offer for a ship – maybe the 'British Statesman'?
MS. 677/290	1881 March 23	Letter from James Nourse to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	The ongoing saga of Houlders.
MS. 677/291	1881 March 23	Letter from William Hice to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Hice thanks his employers for an increase in his salary.
MS. 677/292	1881 March 23	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to Sandbach	States that he would be sorry to see Henry Watson broken after a life of hard work when he wants to retire on superannuation and discusses planting changes.

MS. 677/293	1881 March 24	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the Diamond estate, Coolie ships and Liverpool steamers.
MS. 677/294	1881 March 25	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to Sandbach	Discusses Rivers (?) Estate and asks Sandbach to tell Charles (?) to get a good local governor and new attorney general.
MS. 677/295	1881 April 4	Letter from Edmund Field to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Includes the rejection of Field's proposal to purchase a quarter share in the Diamond estate.
MS. 677/296	1881 April 19	Letter from McDiarmid, Greenshields and Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the transfer of a contract for building ships.
MS. 677/297	1881 April 22	Letter from James Nourse to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns Nourse making an offer for a ship.
MS. 677/298	1881 April 23	Letter from Blackwood to Parker	Informs Parker of Conor's death after being thrown from a horse.
MS. 677/299	1881 April 29	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the subject of French Coolies from Guadeloupe and Martinique and it might be best if a Demerara partner goes to the islands and enquire.
MS. 677/300 (i)	1881 May 17	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses the gladness of having the vessel 'Columbia' sent to the care of Blackwood, Conor and Co agents.
MS. 677/300 (ii)	1881 May 17	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co (cont.)	Discusses Mr Hobson and freight for various parts of the empire. Calcutta also mentioned.
MS. 677/300 (iii)	1881 May 17	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co (cont.)	End of the letter.
MS. 677/301	1881 May 18	Letter from Morton Haig to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Haig provisionally accepts the post of Manager of the Mercantile Depot of a London firm but can wait no longer for their formal decision.

MS. 677/302	1881 May 23	Letter from Mrs Bucknall to Mr Parker Esq	Mrs Bucknall's husband is very ill and wishes to speak to Mr Parker.
MS. 677/303	1881 May 23	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a potential loan from G.R. Sandbach.
MS. 677/304	1881 May 23	Letter from Morton Haig to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Requests S, T and Co to set him free as he looks to join the new firm in London.
MS. 677/305	1881 June 2	Letter from R.A. Sherlock to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Deals with Sherlock's resignation due to his ill health.
MS. 677/306 (i)	1881	Newspaper excerpt	Tells of a failure in the Indian trade as a French house has connections in Calcutta and Bordeaux. The Paris banks will be liable.
MS. 677/306 (ii)	1881 June 4	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses tonnage dues, trading matters and finances.
MS. 677/307	1881 June 6	Letter from R.A. Sherlock to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Responds to a letter of 3 June from S, T and Co, maintaining that he will resign instead of a prolonged holiday.
MS. 677/308	1881 June 7	Letter from James Nourse to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Unable to determine content.
MS. 677/309	1881 June 13	Letter from Morton Haig to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Thanks the company for his pay increase and will wait until November if he decides to accept.
MS. 677/310 (i)	1881 June 14	Letter from Edward Hunt to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses lead acetate (substitute for sugar) and tin. To do with molasses?



MS. 677/310 (ii)	1881 June 14	Letter from Edward Hunt (cont.)	Mentions blood poisoning.
MS. 677/311	1881 June 18	Letter from Bushby, Son & Beazley to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the exception taken to the sale of sugar at auction and the recall of the announcement by the brokers Bushby, Son & Beazley.
MS. 677/312	1881 June 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses financial matters, Coolies, rum casks and rice.
MS. 677/313	1881 June 29	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the price of rice and how their price of rice falls below the market price.
MS. 677/314	1881 July 4	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses Rivers Estate, financial matters and sugar.
MS. 677/315 (i)	1881 July 5	Letter from William Russell to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the dyeing of sugar and other scientific things.
MS. 677/315 (ii)	1881 July 5	Letter from William Russell (cont.)	As above.
MS. 677/315 (iii)	1881 July 5	Letter from William Russell (cont.)	As above.
MS. 677/316	1881 July 7	Letter from Mr Bugle to Mr Parker	Concerns his son trying to get a place in an office.
MS. 677/317	1881 July 12	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns the salary and drafts of Edward Haig in light of a leave of absence.
MS. 677/318	1881 July 13	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a bad year in business and the weather and cases of yellow fever in Demerara. No sales of rice too.

MS. 677/319	1881 August 7	Letter from Alfred Parker to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	States that he is ready to see S,T & Co whenever they're ready and they should think before committing themselves to Field (?) beyond the 31 December as he has just requested a 5% commission after thanking them for arranging terms liberally.
MS. 677/320	1881 August 9	Letter from Garnett & Farbet (?) to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Acknowledges receipt of the deed of the lease and will present the deed for signature of W.R. Sandbach and C. Harrison.
MS. 677/321	1881 September 9	Letter from Edmund Field to Sandach, Parker & Co	Marked as private. Field accepts his payment of £1000 without commissions for his management of the Diamond Estate.
MS. 677/322	1881 October 12	Letter from Edward Haig to G.R. Sandbach	Concerns Haig pondering his return to his post in Demerara and requesting more time to make a decision.
MS.677/323	1881 October 14	Letter from C.S. Parker to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Accepts the proposal to renew the arrangement of lending £10000 to the firm.
MS. 677/324	1881 October 15	Letter from CW Kellock & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns Mr Royden not giving an option S, T & Co wanted.
MS. 677/325 (i)	1881 October 19	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Marked as private. Concerns matters of the plantation 'Columbia' and the markets.
MS. 677/325 (ii)	1881 October 19	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co (cont.)	Concerns the arrangements made in the incidence of Mr Hobson's death.
MS. 677/326	1881 October 25	Letter from Margaret Parker to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Confirms the arrangement of a loan worth £1200.
MS. 677/327	1881 October 25	Letter from Parker (which?) to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Confirms the arrangement of a loan worth £4000.

MS. 677/328 (i)	1881 October 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses fears in financial matters.
MS. 677/328 (ii)	1881 October 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses a rice deal, cases of yellow fever and...
MS. 677/328 (iii)	1881 October 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	End of letter.
MS. 677/329	1881 October 31	Letter from Edward Haig to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Haig regrets having to resign but he believes he has no option.
MS. 677/330 (i)	1881 October 31	Letter from Edward Haig to Sandbach, Parker & Co	Haig tenders his resignation.
MS. 677/330 (ii)	1881 October 31	Letter from Edward Haig (cont.)	As above.
MS. 677/331 (i)	1881 November 4	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the Rivers Estate, the health of the colony (which is improving) and financial matters.
MS. 677/331 (ii)	1881 November 4	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses struggling rice sales, Hutchins (?) solvency and a possible delay of molasses being shipped to Newfoundland.
MS. 677/332	1881 November 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses colonial steamer subsidy, Leaycraft (?) and rice.
MS. 677/333	1881 November 15	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses cargo of rice, rates of freight, the weather and the emerging sugar market in America.
MS. 677/334 (i)	1881 December 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the arrival of the ship 'Sheila', a French steamer being chartered and rice.

MS. 677/334 (ii)	1881 December 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses sugar and remittances for French mail.
MS. 677/335 (i)	1881 December 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (though signed Russell and Sherlock?) to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Promises to draw up a list of English correspondents a circular should be sent to in light of an article (in a newspaper?)
MS. 677/335 (ii)	1881 December 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Concerns a Wales mortgage and dealing with the 'Columbia' issue – purchasing the ship.
MS. 677/336 (i)	1881 December 10	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns the making of grey crystals, negotiations on Columbia failing and that shape to be transported to S, T & Co on payment of \$2400.
MS. 677/336 (ii)	1881 December 10	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses the store being full of produce waiting for dispatch, shortage of coal and molasses.
MS. 677/337	1881 December 23	Letter from Mr Sherlock to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns Sherlock's capital and letting it remain until he can find a safe investment,
MS. 677/338 (i)	1881 December 24	Memo from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Marked as private. Says that an enclosed cutting from the 'Daily News' must refer to Robert & Charriot
MS. 677/338 (ii)	1881 December 28	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Marked as private. Reports that R & C (Robert and Charriot) had obtained assistances and they were being carried on by houses in Bordeaux.
MS. 677/339	1881 December 28	Letter from E.G. Barr (?) to John Ernest Tinné Esq	Concerns the request of Schoonard (?) articles by Tinné and that they are strictly confidential.
MS. 677/340	1882 January 5	Extract from a letter from Sherlock to G.R. Sandbach	Discusses the difficulty of selling rice.

MS. 677/341	1882 January 5	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses selling rice at \$4.20 per bag and the health of the colony.
MS. 677/342	1882 January 7	Letter from Blackwood, Conor & Co to Sandbach Tinné & Co	Marked as private. Discusses the failures of Robert & Charriol.
MS. 677/343 (i)	1882 January 16	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the usual subjects of rice – lack of demand, damaged cargo etc.
MS. 677/343 (ii)	1882 January 16	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses the raising of the buying rate by the banks to 474 while selling rate remains at 480. Reports that Albins (?) in France has gone into liquidation.
MS. 677/344	1882 January 20	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the mortgage for ‘Columbia’ – the higher value has been cancelled for a lower sum.
MS. 677/345 (i)	1882 January 20	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses ‘Royal Alfred’s’ cargo and how it is damaged. Also, the St. Kilda has arrived in Calcutta
MS. 677/345 (ii)	1882 January 20	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses tonnage, coal coming in and all estates working again. Mayers is continuing to make yellow sugar.
MS. 677/346 (i)	1882 January 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a negotiation of rice sales, the removal of accounts by a W.R and W.H.S (Sandbachs?), the arrival of commissioners, and the falling price of coals.
MS. 677/346 (ii)	1882 January 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Reports the disappearance of the Elder Charriot from Bordeaux following failure of Robert & Charriot, a death in the colony due to yellow fever and many steamers being sent to the colony.
MS. 677/347	1882 January 24	Salary list for 1882	Salaries of employees.

MS. 677/348 (i)	1882 February 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Barkers...? are trying to resist S, P and Co's actions in putting the exchange rate at 477 and the letter asks for support from S, T and Co.
MS. 677/348 (ii)	1882 February 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	States that W.R. (Sandbach) remains in S, T and Co's power in the event of accidents. Also, the failure of Robert & Charriot does not affect Fleurot and Coolie freight has been remitted in a Paris bank.
MS. 677/349 (i)	1882 February 14	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses regret for coal venture not making a profit and confusion over accounts.
MS. 677/349 (ii)	1882 February 14	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Asserts that there is nothing to pay concerning Coolies and reports a prolonging of the matter of Oliver's estate due to 'mislaide' letters.
MS. 677/350	1882 February 15	Memo	"Commissioners advertise a public sitting tomorrow."
MS. 677/351	1882 February 18	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to the Commissioners Lesley Probyn Esq and H. H. Cunnynghame Esq	Reports that, according to Mr Schurer (?), the attorney general stated that the co-sequestrator abandoned any claims to the commissions but wants the commissioners' secretary to compare this report with his own minutes submitted to the court in June 1880.
MS. 677/352	1882 February 23	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a misunderstanding due to a changing of some notes which transpired to be fraud and the timetable of a particular ship (Jura?) which was delayed.
MS. 677/353	1882 February 24	Letter from Sherlock to Sandbach	Discusses the Commission which is revealing an 'awful state of affairs'. The commissioners have gone into the claims thoroughly. Sandbach's friend Kind (?) is disparaged and made mistakes in audits of 19 January 1881. For Sherlock, the last 9 months have been 'anxious'.
MS. 677/354	1882 February 24	Letter from Sherlock to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses Sherlock's capital once more.
MS. 677/355	1882 February 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Advises not to let Stephenson mix up either firm in his quarrel. Reports that rice is being sold in smaller lots and that S, P and Co are snowed under with work.

MS. 677/356	1882 March 4	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses giving 'Raleigh' a quick despatch and rice price amongst other things.
MS. 677/357 (i)	1882 March 7	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses accounts of W.R. and W.H.S, and port dues.
MS. 677/357 (ii)	1882 March 7	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses repairs of ships, the weight of rice bags being sold, and travelling expenses for a planting attorney.
MS. 677/358 (i)	1882 March 18	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses negotiations of rice sales and the health of Mr Hill.
MS. 677/358 (ii)	1882 March 18	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Reports that W.R Sandbach and W.H. Sherlock have relinquished their interest in the Wales plantation mortgage.
MS. 677/359 (i)	1882 March 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses Hoult's ships movements and letting him know S, P and Co's ship movements too.
MS. 677/359 (ii)	1882 March 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses Hoult further as well as steamers and Rodrigues & Fernandes, against whom a creditor's appeal has gone. Also talks about the ship Raleigh.
MS. 677/360	1882 April 6	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the sale and shipment of sugar.
MS. 677/361 (i)	1882 April 19	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a captain in charge of the 'Mura' who has indulged in drink, employment for the St Kilda vessel, the inaccuracies of a news report concerning the Commission's public sitting.
MS. 677/361 (ii)	1882 April 19	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses the sales of 'Dark Centrifugals' and the spread of yellow fever.

MS. 677/362 (i)	1882 April 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the process of manufacturing sugar, particularly grinding and polarising.
MS. 677/362 (ii)	1882 April 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Reports that Mayers has decided to produce yellow sugar, Coolie ships and the St Kilda, yellow fever and Mr Kind, who has just published a statement of the colony's accounts showing a different result to the findings of Commissioner Probyn, returns to England
MS. 677/362 (iii)	1882 April 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses Mr Russell's travelling expenses, being notified of shipments from Newfoundland being impossible and no more ships available for transporting rice.
MS. 677/363 (i)	1882 May 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Reports that Sherlock thanks S, T and Co for the acceptance of his request for leave, valuation of a property and wharfing ships.
MS. 677/363 (ii)	1882 May 25	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses the rates of the Wales mortgage and a sale of rice to John Fernandes.
MS. 677/364 (i)	1882 June 3	Letter from Sherlock to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses the terms of the renewal of his engagement.
MS. 677/364 (ii)	1882 June 3	Letter from Sherlock (cont.)	Discusses his surprise at the withdrawal of his allowances and his desire for them to be reinstated. Also, if the firm's profits increase then maybe he could get an increased salary.
MS. 677/365 (i)	1882 June 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a damaged shipment which has been rejected and the declination of a sale to Fernandes due to too low a price. Demand for rice is dropping.
MS. 677/365 (ii)	1882 June 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses a molasses order, sale of rum, and the use of their wharf by a London company which S, P and Co ask for S, T and Co's views on, especially in light of the promise they have made to Hoult.
MS. 677/365(iii)	1882 June 3	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses the sale of a cargo of coals at a price below cost and the figures in charge at estates and plantations.



MS. 677/366 (i)	1882 June 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses financial matters to do with Mr Sherlock and a mention of a credit of the account in 1874.
MS. 677/366 (ii)	1882 June 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Further discusses financial matters to do with 1874 and the misplacement of a bank draft.
MS. 677/366 (iii)	1882 June 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses the price of sugar and that little sugar will be ready for delivery until September. Dark sugar from the Diamond estate is said to be too good for the market. Plus, the owing of rent for lands has become an issue.
MS. 677/366 (iv)	1882 June 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses immigration and the consequence of a discussion in the Combined Court in the matter, tonnage dues, colonial finances and rice prices.
MS. 677/367	1882 July 4	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses sulphate of lime (?), and tonnage.
MS. 677/368	1882 July 25	Letter from Sherlock to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Thanks the firm for giving him is carriage allowance and agrees on all other points of his engagement.
MS. 677/369 (i)	1882 October 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns a credit note from the government and the help of Mr Hawlayne in getting all matters settled. Also a shipment of wine for Mr Sherlock.
MS. 677/369 (ii)	1882 October 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses sales, the price of rice and financial matters.
MS. 677/369 (iii)	1882 October 24	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses buying and selling of sugar.
MS. 677/369 (iv)	1882 October 25	P.S. from the letter of Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns the matter of a great scarcity of Private Exchange.

MS. 677/370	1882 November 14	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a lack of Private Exchange and no sales of rice which means S, P and Co can not fulfil wishes of remittances. Also, a want of an importation of engineers.
MS. 677/371	1882 November 20	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Says that £10000 will be sent to S, T and Co., the vast majority being bank bills as it is not possible get private bills. Also discusses Dark Centrifugals and rice, two qualities of which are sent to England as samples.
MS. 677/372 (i)	1882 December 2	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses a resolution passed at a meeting of the Planter's association and why two people, Mr Stephens and Mr Craighn (?) voted against it.
MS. 677/372 (ii)	1882 December 2	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	States that the acreage tax is good for the immigration fund, and discusses proposals to reduce it.
MS. 677/372 (iii)	1882 December 2	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses accumulated surplus, an indenture fee and many complicated financial matters.
MS. 677/372 (iv)	1882 December 2	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Wants action from Liverpool as regards the resolution enclosed with the letter (resolution not present)
MS. 677/373 (i)	1882 December 11	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Reports that Mr Brady has died and discusses ships being loaded and despatched.
MS. 677/373 (ii)	1882 December 11	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses the production, shipping and sales of sugar.
MS. 677/374 (i)	1882 December 22	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses financial matters such as Bank Bills; tonnage; Mora and St Kilda being ready for despatch but due to accidents to other steamers they may not leave very soon. Also, sugar matters.
MS. 677/374 (ii)	1882 December 22	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses more sugar matters, particularly a change in the tariff of American duties. Also discussed is rice where the market is overstocked but maybe improving. Rice bags being sold at a loss.
MS. 677/374 (iii)	1882 December 22	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Concerns staff. Mr Bagot, a clerk, is leaving and some staff transfers are being proposed.

MS. 677/374 (iv)	1882 December 23	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co (cont.)	Discusses a Coolie contract and the balance in S, T and Co's books will be covered by rum shipments.
MS. 677/375	1882 December 2	Resolution mentioned in MS. 677/372.	The Planter's association expresses its regret that the reduction of the indenture fee was rejected by the Court of Policy. It requests that the West India Committee urges the Planter's claims before the Secretary of State for the Colonies. Also mentions the credit balance held by the government.
MS. 677/376	1883 March 6	Letter from W.H. Sherlock to Sandbach	Has heard from J.E. Tinné that Tinné must leave Demerara by July and discusses arrangements of going on leave and what would go on in Sherlock's absence.
MS. 677/377	1886	Card concerning the Hand-in-Hand Mutual Fire Insurance Company	Shows the insurance premiums and progress of the company from its establishment in 1865.
MS. 677/378	1890 March 19	Letter. from W.R. Sandbach to Samuel Sandbach Esq., John Ernest Tinné Esq. and Gilbert Robertson Sandbach Esq	States that he wishes to transfer control of the Leonora estate at once to them, a decision he is taking earlier than expected.
MS. 677/379	1890 March 20	Letter from Samuel Sandbach to Robin(?)	Discusses the terms of him gaining control of the Leonora estate and asking questions about the conditions.
MS. 677/380	1890 March 21	Letter from W.R. Sandbach to Samuel Sandbach	Answers questions that Samuel had asked him concerning the transferral of the Leonora estate, particularly regarding the division of profits and loss as well as working capital.
MS. 677/381	1891 January 17	Letter from W.R. Sandbach to Ernest (Tinné?)	Asks Ernest to come and stay and is sorry that the transfer of Leonora has done Ernest no good.
MS. 677/382 A	1891 April 13	Letter from W.R. Sandbach	No content, just the footnote that it is part of the affidavit of John Ernest Tinné and Gilbert Robertson Sandbach.

MS. 677/382 B	1907 April 26	Registration slip	States that a return of summary of capital and list of members of the Demerara Company Ltd has been received at the registration office at Somerset House.
MS. 677/383	1891 September 30	Copy of the Leonora Balance Sheet	The accounts of the Leonora estate up until 30 September 1891.
MS. 677/384	1893 January 28	Share certificate for Herman William Tinné	Certificate for the purchase of 600 shares in Plantation Leonora Ltd.
MS. 677/385	1906 February 9	Memorandum from Fleming to W. Speed	Acknowledging receipt of a certificate for 33 ordinary shares in the Demerara Company Ltd
MS. 677/386	1906 February 12	Letter from William Douglas to Mr W. Speed	Acknowledging receipt of Speed's letter with a certificate for ordinary shares in Demerara Company Ltd
MS. 677/387	1907 February 27	Letter from G Wyatt to the Secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	States that repairs to roofs have been completed and that buildings have been kept in good order.
MS. 677/388 (i)	1906 March 7	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker to G.R. Sandbach Esq	Concerns the management of the company, notably Parker's opinion that John Ernest Tinné, Mr E. Parker, Parker himself and G.R. Sandbach should remain as Life Directors.
MS. 677/388 (ii)	1906 March 7	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker (cont.)	Asks Sandbach to support Sandbach, Tinné and Co being appointed as Managers of the Company.
MS. 677/389	1906 April 7	Letter from Mr Fleming to the Demerara Company Ltd	Acknowledges receipt of money into his account and that he has money at his disposal to distribute among staff at the Diamond and Wales estates.
MS. 677/390 (i)	1906 April 10	Letter from Mr Monkhouse to the Demerara Company Ltd	Concerns the Demerara Company's interests in a canal being represented by Monkhouse and permission of taking water in drainage for irrigation purposes.
MS. 677/390 (ii)	1906 April 10	Letter from Mr Monkhouse (cont.)	Further discusses the obtaining of permission for irrigation and Mr Fleming not dealing with a commissioner, which Monkhouse is, to do so.

MS. 677/391	1906 April 24	Letter from William Douglas to the Demerara Company Ltd	Thanks the company for a bonus and a dividend warrant.
MS. 677/392	1906 April 28	Letter from Weightman, Pedder & Co to the Demerara Company Ltd	Tells the Demerara Company that the resolution passed, which sanctioned appointment of the managers and agents by the directors, is satisfactory to them.
MS. 677/393	1906 May 5	Letter from Weightman, Pedder & Co to Charles S. Parker Esq.	Acknowledges receipt of the copies of the Articles of Association and that they shall be 'glad to do what you desire.'
MS. 677/394	1906 May 12	Letter from Weightman, Pedder & Co to the Demerara Company Ltd	Concerns the handover of a copy of the memorandum and Articles of Association which now embody special resolutions.
MS. 677/395	1906 May 15	Letter from Plantation Leonora Ltd to G.R. Sandbach, Chairman of Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses the removal of Mr Andrews from his post of planting attorney and manager of Leonora and the offering of the attorneyship to Mr Fleming. Asks for written approval of this undertaking.
MS. 677/396 (i)	1906 May 19	Letter from Fleming to the Demerara Company Ltd	Talks about the appointment of Mr Anderson as plantation manager at Diamond and the interests of the Demerara Company. Also, the payments made to staff year 1905.
MS. 677/396 (ii)	1906 May 19	Letter from Fleming (cont..)	More payments made to staff year 1905.
MS. 677/397 (i)	1906 May 30	Letter from Chas. H. Ross to C.S. Parker Esq as well as an 'Enquiries and Answers' sheet	Concerns the income tax return and the need for further information which is asked and answered on the bottom half of this document.
MS. 677/397 (ii)	1906 May 30	Letter from Chas. H. Ross (cont.)	More questions and answers concerning the tax return, signed off by W. Speed.

MS. 677/398	1906 June 7	Letter from the executors of S. Sandbach Parker - Charles Sandbach Parker and R. B. Parker - to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Requests a division of existing certificates belonging to the executors of S. Sandbach Parker.
MS. 677/399	1906 June 29	Letter from Mr Wyatt to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Acknowledges receipt of share certificates.
MS. 677/400	1876 July 22	Letter from Mommsey & Foster to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Concerns the matter of a new vessel that the company is ordering.
MS. 677/401 (i)	1906 September 10	Letter from E.H. Connell to Sandbach, Parker and Co	Discusses the inspection of the wharf premises and reports on the conditions of boilers, joints etc.
MS. 677/401 (ii)	1906 September 10	Letter from E.H. Connell (cont.)	Further discusses the results of the wharf inspection.
MS. 677/402 (i)	1907 February 6	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to J.H. Tinné Esq.	Discusses the sayings of Charles Sandbach Parker and his concerns over his holdings in Sandbach, Tinné and Co and the Demerara Company. G.R. Sandbach appears to be critical of Parker.
MS. 677/402 (ii)	1907 February 6	Letter from G.R. Sandbach (cont.)	Reports that he asked after a character called Czarnikow, a sugar trader, who he was recommended to stay away from in business. Shows concern at Parker's ways and how it will affect the company.
MS. 677/403	1907 February 14	Letter from C.S. Parker to Sandbach, Tinné and Co	Discusses dealing with Czarnikow.

MS. 677/404 (i)	1907 February 15	Letter from G.R. Sandbach (?) to Charles S. Parker Esq.	Discusses Parker's complaints of conflicting interests in the company.
MS. 677/404 (ii)	1907 February 15	Letter from G.R. Sandbach (cont.)	Discusses issues of amalgamation, which Sandbach does not want and wants the old firm (Sandbach, Parker and Co) to continue. Also tells Parker that Czarnikow should be avoided, similar to his views in MS. 677/402.
MS. 677/405	1907 February 16	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of the Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses issues that Parker will bring forward to the General Meeting of the Company, such as the terms which empower agents to buy produce from the estates of the company.
MS. 677/406	1907 February 27	Letter from Fleming to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Certifies that the buildings and machinery of the Diamond estate are in efficient condition.
MS.677/407	1907 March 5	Letter from G.R. Sandbach to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Tells of his receipt of a letter from C.S. Parker and has heard nothing of a proposal for John Abraham Tinné to be made a director. Sandbach believes that they have enough directors.
MS. 677/408 (i)	1907 March 5	Letter from C.S. Parker to G.R. Sandbach	States that the Board of the Company should be strengthened by the addition of man from outside the family and the firm of Sandbach, Tinné and Co. Proposes a man called James Parker Smith.
MS. 677/408 (ii)	1907 March 5	Letter from C.S. Parker (cont.)	If proposal is supported then Parker will propose him at the Annual Meeting.
MS.677/409 (i)	1907 March 8	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to the Demerara Company Ltd	Announces theirs and Sandbach, Parker and Co's resignation of their appointments as managers and agents of the Company. The main reason is a clash of ideas with C.S. Parker.
MS. 677/409 (ii)	1907 March 8	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co (cont.)	As above.
MS. 677/410	1907 March 16	Letter from Fleming	No content, just a note of date and sender.

MS. 677/411	1907 March 16	Memorandum from Sandbach, Parker & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Refers to a letter of February 29 and they want words erased.
MS. 677/412	1907 March 16	Letter from Fleming to W. Speed, the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Acknowledges receipt of statements of interim dividends.
MS. 677/413	1907 March 19	Letter from Campbell to Charles Parker Esq.	Discusses the matter of a Combine and Campbell's views on it. He is not keen on a Combine unless it has a Penalty Clause (to do with someone breaking faith).
MS. 677/414	1907 March 25	Letter from R.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Requests the typing up of an enclosed memo and posting a copy to Parker and handing a copy to the directors.
MS. 677/415 (i)	1907 March 25	Memorandum (referred to in MS.677/414) on Sandbach, Parker & Co's sugar purchases from estates	Discusses the details of sugar sales to Sandbach, Parker and Co in 1906, particularly the buying of sugar under market price.
MS. 677/415 (ii)	1907 March 25	Memorandum (cont.)	Gives a comparison of charges and actual expenses incurred by S, P and Co per 100lbs of sugar.
MS. 677/415 (iii)	1907 March 25	Memorandum (cont.)	Discusses the charges of freight, seemingly not always being incurred on cost and freight sales.
MS. 677/415 (iv)	1907 March 25	Memorandum (cont.)	Concludes that the privileged terms extended to S, P and Co are inexcusable while the firm has made great profits, it means a loss for shareholders.
MS. 677/416	1907 March 25	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker to G.R. Sandbach	Discusses the issue of James Parker Smith being elected to the board and implores Sandbach to support it.



MS. 677/417	1907 March 28	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker and R.M.B. Parker to G.R. Sandbach	Requests that enclosed letter be circulated to shareholders with the letter of resignation of Sandbach, Tinné and Co.
MS. 677/418 (i)	1907 March 28	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker and R.M.B. Parker, alluded to in MS. 677/417, to shareholders	States that none of C.S. Parker's partners can see a reason to cut costs of management and that they think their interests as a private firm do not in any way conflict with shareholders' interests.
MS. 677/418 (ii)	1907 March 28	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker (cont.)	Explains how the late chairman Samuel Sandbach Parker was interested in reducing management expenses too. Quashes rumours that C.S. Parker wants more control over the Company. Also proposes the addition of James Parker Smith to the board.
MS. 677/418 (iii)	1907 March 13	Copy of minute of meeting of directors of Demerara Company Ltd	Reports that the Board of Directors considers the number of directors sufficient but would not oppose appointment of a further director if highly commended. James Parker Smith was not suitable for them.
MS. 677/419	1907 April 3	Letter from James Parker Smith to W. Speed	Confirms his address to Mr Speed.
MS. 677/420	1907 April 5	Letter from R.M.B Parker to the secretary of the Demerara Company Ltd	Notifying the secretary of business that Parker will bring forward at the general meeting.
MS. 677/421	1907 April 5	Letter from Weightman, Pedder & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	States that Mr Weightman will attend the next annual meeting of Demerara Company.
MS. 677/422	1907 April 9	Letter from Mr Campbell to Parker	Discusses the sales of sugar and rum.

MS. 677/423	1907 April 9	Letter from Mr Lullody (?) to C.S. Parker	Discusses the arrangement of sugar prices being sustained through an agreement between British Guiana sugar producers.
MS. 677/424	1907 April 14	Letter from James Parker Smith to W. Speed	Requests to see the minutes of a meeting before they are entered in the book.
MS. 677/425	1907 April 26	Letter from J.E. Tinné, G.R. Sandbach and E. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Responds to a question put by R.M.B. Parker at the general meeting with the information that the late chairman S. Sandbach Parker had once indicated remuneration to the managers.
MS. 677/426 (i)	1907 May 11	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to G.R. Sandbach	In order to represent the shareholders Parker tells how a new amalgamation scheme will be opposed by him.
MS. 677/426 (ii)	1907 May 11	Letter from R.M.B. Parker (cont.)	As above.
MS. 677/427	1907 May 15	Letter from James Parker Smith to R.M.B. Parker Esq.	Requests a statement in writing of why Parker will oppose the scheme of amalgamation.
MS. 677/428	1907 May 15	Letter from James Parker Smith to the Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses a draft agreement (of the scheme?) which Smith agrees with mostly except for a couple of points concerning the managing director and assets.
MS. 677/429 (i)	1907 May 22	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to James Parker Smith	Reply to letter of 15 May. Parker lays out his objections to the scheme.
MS. 677/429 (ii)	1907 May 22	Letter from R.M.B. Parker (cont.)	Continues his objections.
MS. 677/429 (iii)	1907 May 22	Letter from R.M.B. Parker (cont.)	More objections.
MS. 677/430	1907 June 5	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Requests an answer to his memorandum on Sandbach, Parker and Co's sugar purchases which was handed to the company to get a signature by Sandbach, Tinné and Co.

MS. 677/431	1907 June 15	Letter from A.E. Sandbach to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Requests the state of the future management of the Demerara Company and wants to attend any further shareholder meetings.
MS. 677/432	1907 November 9	Letter from Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co to the Demerara Company Ltd	Acknowledges receipt of certificates for shares in the Demerara Company.
MS. 677/433 (i)	1907 December 14	Letter from Fleming to the Demerara Company Ltd	States his grievances over his salary – he feels that he is underpaid relative to his responsibilities.
MS. 677/433 (ii)	1907 December 14	Letter from Fleming (cont.)	Mentions his long service of 30 years to add weight to his request for a higher salary.
MS. 677/434	1907 December 27	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to C. Czarnikow	Marked strictly private and confidential. Sets out the terms for offering the selling of the expected crop of sugar from the Demerara Company estates during 1908.
MS. 677/435	1907 December 27	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to James Parker Smith	Accepts the termination of Sandbach, Tinné and Co's engagement as managers and Sandbach, Parker and Co's position as agents, in the next 12 months.
MS. 677/436	1907 December 28	Letter to W. Speed from James Parker Smith	Asks Smith to put the enclosed letter from Sandbach, Tinné and Co (MS. 677/435?) into the archives of the Demerara Company Ltd.
MS. 677/437	1907 December 28	Letter from C.S. Parker to the secretary of the Demerara Company Ltd	Believes that minutes of a meeting should be amended and then discusses brokerage and sugar sales
MS. 677/438	1907 December 29	Letter from C.S. Parker to the secretary of the Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses p/a (personal accounts) to be registered.

MS. 677/439	1907 December 31	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Reports that the Hon. C.T. Bruce wants his proxy for an upcoming meeting of the Demerara Company sent to him.
MS. 677/440	1908 January 3	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to the secretary of the Demerara Company Ltd	Reports that they have apportioned a sale of sugar through Czarnikow to three estates in Demerara.
MS. 677/441	1908 January 6	Letter from G.A.V Russell Roberts to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Encloses a request for a transmission of a dividend by post signed by R.M.B. Parker and Roberts himself.
MS. 677/442	1908 January 7	Letter from Whitley & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Requests to pay dividends to the bank.
MS. 677/443	1908 January 8	Letter from J. Fleming to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Certifies that cane cultivation, buildings, machinery etc on the Diamond estate is in the same efficient condition as formerly.
MS. 677/444	1908 January 9	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Reports that they have once again apportioned a sale of sugar to the three estates in Demerara.
MS. 677/445	1908 January 9	Letter from H. Deverill to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Certifies that cane cultivation, buildings, machinery etc on the Wales plantation is in the same condition as formerly.

MS. 677/446	1908 January 9	Letter from Sandbach, Parker & Co by their attorney Wyatt to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Reports that the Buildings and Premises Lots 8-11 of Werk-en-Rust plantation have been kept in good order.
MS. 677/447	1908 February 7	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Withdraws a motion that was to be proposed to the company at a general meeting.
MS. 677/448	1908 February 10	Letter from James Parker Smith to W. Speed Esq.	Apologises over still being in Scotland due to urgent business and proposes a date for the next general meeting.
MS. 677/449	1908 February 11	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Sends a shares certificate to enable a new certificate to C.S. Parker to be issued and issues instruction to transfer 10 shares against this certificate.
MS. 677/450	1908 February 13	Letter from C.S. Parker to secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Letter not present.
MS. 677/451	1908 March 2	Letter from Waltons, Johnson, Bubb & Whatton to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	States that they think C.S. Parker's attorney can still vote under his power in respect of all the shares to his name.
MS. 677/452	1908 March 9	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Concerns another sale of sugar to be shipped in May, and the apportionment of it.

MS. 677/453	1908 March 25	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Reports that 3 of the 4 directors are in favour of selling through Czarnikow a load of sugar at a certain price.
MS. 677/454 (i)	1908 March 26	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	States that he will meet with the other directors when he is in Liverpool and therefore his absence from the general meeting will be of no consequence. Encloses a newspaper cutting.
MS. 677/454 (ii)	1908 March 26	Newspaper cutting mentioned in MS. 677/454 (i)	Discusses the problem of converting the remnants of sugar cane after all juice has been expressed into cellulose being ostensibly solved.
MS. 677/455	1908 March 31	Letter from Whitley & Co to the chairman of Demerara Company Ltd	Reports that under the Companies Act 1907 certain provisions come into force on 1 July 1908 by which a company incorporated before this date can be registered as a private company. It is then exempt from certain provisions, which are listed.
MS. 677/456	1908 March 31	Letter from Whitley & Co to the chairman of Demerara Company Ltd	States that the Agreement of this date between the Company and Mistrs J.E. Tinné, E.S. Parker and J.A. Tinné is enclosed and that a duplicate has been handed to Mr J.E. Tinné.
MS. 677/457	1908 April 2	Letter from Whitley & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Notifies S, T and Co that they have received the Agreement with Mr C.S. Parker signed by Parker Smith as his attorney and that the duty on the Goodwill must be paid.
MS. 677/458	1908 April 6	Letter from James Parker Smith to W. Speed Esq.	Requests the total number of company general meetings attended by Mr Smith since he joined it.
MS. 677/459	1908 April 6	Letter from C. Czarnikow to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	Discusses each various buyer using a distinctive clause concerning the risks of craft and is trying to induce all buyers to agree to one clause which includes all risks of craft of sugar.
MS. 677/460	1908 April 8	Letter from Whitley & Co to Sandbach, Tinné & Co	States that Mr Allen (of Whitley & Co) can attend a meeting of 14 <sup>th</sup> April if required.

MS. 677/461	1908 May 23	Letter from H. Woollcombe Rendell to C. Sandbach Parker Esq.	Requests a deferral in sending a reply until Mr Sedgewick returns as he is currently away and is needed to arrange a reply.
MS. 677/462 (i)	1908 May 23	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Requests a certificate for 5 shares against certificate No.111 for 54 shares. Also discusses his income tax return.
MS. 677/462 (ii)	1908 May 23	Letter from R.M.B. Parker (cont.)	Discusses his income tax return further and wishes the return of his statement so he can fill in the tax form.
MS. 677/463	1908 May 26	Letter from H. Woollcombe Rendell to C. Sandbach Parker Esq.	Accepts the position of head clerk at the London office of Demerara Company Ltd on 1 July next.
MS. 677/464	1908 May 27	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd (?)	Encloses a certificate for 10 shares and the death certificate of Colonel Blain. Wants endorsement and return of certificate while death certificate needs to be forwarded to Paris Bank.
MS. 677/465 (i)	1908 May 29	Memorandum from C.S. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Asks the secretary to affix the company seal to the Agreement approved by Parker's solicitor.
MS. 677/465 (ii)	1908 May 29	Memorandum from C.S. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	States that the minutes of a meeting of 28 May should record certain letters Parker wrote and received, under the heading Finance.
MS. 677/466	1908 June	Letter from H.R. Sandbach to C.S. Parker	Letter not present.
MS. 677/467	1908 June 2	Memorandum from C.S. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Unable to determine content.
MS. 677/468	1908 June 3	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Concerns Parker's income tax return being completed and requests a balance certificate.

MS. 677/469 (i)	1908 June 12	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Concerns all matters of procedure. Admits ownership of books, letters and documents to do with Demerara Co's properties. Proposes to hand over documents that the company desires providing that S, T and Co have access to documents if required.
MS. 677/469 (ii)	1908 June 12	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co (cont.)	Concerns the payment by the company of any debit balance due on 30 June to S,T and Co and discusses procedure of charges and commission on invoices as well as fire insurance.
MS. 677/469 (iii)	1908 June 12	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co (cont.)	Proposes that they should pay tradesmen's accounts and receive proceeds of produce as well as paying dock and town dues in their name.
MS. 677/470	1908 June 13	Letter from H.B. Sedgwick & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Concerns the open covers for account of Sandbach, Tinné and Co placed with the Union Insurance Society of Canton and the insertion of extra words in these covers in connection with Demerara Co.
MS. 677/471 (i)	1908 June 13	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses the minutes of the last general meeting and Parker asks if they have been altered in any way as they do not convey Mr Castle's opinions in reference to the chair at director's meetings.
MS. 677/471 (ii)	1908 June 13	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker (cont.)	Discusses the points of Mr Castle's opinion concerning the chair of the meetings.
MS. 677/471 (iii)	1908 June 13	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker (cont.)	Discusses the letter from Sandbach, Tinné and Co to Demerara Company Ltd (MS. 677/469) and Parker wishes to make arrangements regarding this.
MS.677/472	1908 June 13	Letter from C.S. Leach to Demerara Company Ltd	Acknowledges receipt of their favour of the 12 June and hope to reply soon.
MS. 677/473	1908 June 13	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Requests a statement of the rum sales for 1907 for both estates showing prices.



MS. 677/474	1908 June 14	Letter from A.J. Sandbach to 'Charlie' (C.S. Parker?)	Discusses the payment of dividends once Parker becomes manager of Demerara Company Ltd on 30 June and hopes affairs will be as well managed as they were in the past by Sandbach, Tinné and Co
MS. 677/475 (i)	1908 June 15	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker to A.J. Sandbach	Replies to the letter of Sandbach (MS. 677/474) and explains about the dividends.
MS. 677/475 (ii)	1908 June 15	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker (cont.)	More of the same – writing is quite faint.
MS. 677/476 (i)	1908 June 16	Letter from A.J. Sandbach to Charlie	Reply to the letter of MS.677/475.
MS. 677/476 (ii)	1908 June 16	Letter from A.J. Sandbach (cont.)	Discusses meeting with Parker and his wife in the near future.
MS. 677/477	1908 June 15	Letter from Whitley & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses C.S. Parker's letter (MS. 677/471) and gives their opinions on his questions concerning the Chair.
MS. 677/478	1908 June 15	Letter from H. Sedgwick & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Advises that the Underwriters, the Union Insurance Society of Canton, have agreed to add the words "and/or Demerara Co. Ltd" in the covers held for account of Sandbach, Tinné and Co.
MS. 677/479	1908 June 17	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Expresses his surprise at a deputy chairman being elected every year since the Company started and encloses letters that will be discussed at the next meeting.
MS. 677/480	1908 June 17	Letter from Robarts, Lubbock & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Acknowledges receipt of a minute passed at a director's meeting.

MS. 677/481	1908 June 18	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Talks about waiting for the Board to approve a draft reply to a L.L. (Globe?).
MS. 677/482	1908 June 23	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Reports he has received the rum returns and discusses the sales and prices, particularly the advantage to 'local' sales.
MS. 677/483	1908 June 26	Letter from Sandbach, Tinné & Co to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	"We have your letter of 25 <sup>th</sup> last and will do what you ask."
MS. 677/484 (i)	1908 June 26	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses the removal of the Demerara estates' documents (letters, books etc.) to London but before a discussion as to custody of them at a general meeting, only documents immediately required by the office in London should be transferred.
MS. 677/484 (ii)	1908 June 26	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker (cont.)	Discusses seedlings books and asks that Demerara Company notices are sent to shareholders.
MS. 677/485	1908 June 27	Letter from Charles Sandbach Parker to the secretary of Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses minutes and a letter concerning rum for Canada sent to Sandbach, Parker & Co.
MS. 677/486 (i)	1908 June 29	Letter from R.M.B. Parker to the secretary of the Demerara Company Ltd	Discusses the directors minutes and suggests that documents should be allowed to be accessed only by members of Sandbach, Tinné & Co prior to 30 June 1908 and not by members of the new firm.
MS. 677/486 (ii)	1908 June 29	Letter from R.M.B. Parker (cont.)	Access to documents should be entitled as agents need to be able to deal with and complete any transactions which originated during that agency. This is Mr Castle's opinion supported by Parker.

MS. 677/487	1909 January 28	Return for Board Meeting	Reports on remittances for sugar sold, proceeds of rum and molascuit and estimated balance of income.
MS. 677/488	Unknown	Letter from W. Sherlock to ?	Beginning of letter missing but mentions that the interests of Sandbach, Parker and Co and Sandbach, Tinné and Co should be identical and is looking for a job back in England feels the business in Demerara needs 'resuscitating'.
MS. 677/489	Unknown	List of names	A list of names with some crossed out. The list is perhaps of other companies that the firms have dealt with.