GLOSSARY

Corvee- unpaid labour (as toward constructing roads) due from a feudal vassal to his lord.

*Bhanga Pat Churiya-* silk dhoti.

*Anga Chola* - coat

*Taukaniya Paguri* - pugree with brim.

*Sudder-* Chief Seat of Government.

*Sudder Dewanny Adawlut-* The Chief Civil Court of Justice held at the Presidency.

*Sudder Nizamat Adawlut-* The Supreme Court of Criminal Justice, nominally presided over by the Nazim or the Viceroy of the province.

*Ain o Vyavastha- Samgraha* - Notes on the law of Bengal,

*Abhidan* - a dictionary.

*Vidyarambha* - To initiate development of mind and install intellectual competence in the child.

*Buranji-* Chronicles written in a prose tradition taken to Assam by the Ahom people.

*Dhekiyal* - a class of the Ahoms

*Tantras* - Any of a comparatively recent class of Hindu or Buddhist religious literature written in Sanskrit and concerned with powerful ritual acts of body, speech, and mind.

*(dui Khanda)* - Two parts
Majumdar - Secretary

Bejbaruwas - Royal Physicians

Choomoa” and Korree - The former were composed of the more respectable class of the population, who were not subject, like the latter, to be pressed as soldiers, or required to perform the common duties of coolies.

parhi dola - Sedans

tariap - flanked by huge sunshades

Pargana- the province portioned out into small divisions

Chowdrees, patgherees, mauzahdars or bisayats - The rents are collected from every individual ryot and the cultivator of the soil, through these officers appointed by government, each having charge of the collections of one of those petty divisions.

Abwabs- any of various fines, cesses, or imposts levied by a native chief upon a landowner or subject.

Kubooleuts- A deed agreement according to which the cultivator made a promise to pay a particular amount of land revenue to the state.

chamooahs - independent estates

Omedwars- Candidate

Patois – Dialect of common people of a region, differing in various respects from standard language of rest of a country: a regional dialect sans a literary tradition.

Panchayat- a local judicial body