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LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following papers:—

From the Hon. H. H. SHEPHARD, Acting Advocate-General, to the Acting Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 25th February 1886.

With reference to the order of Government, dated the 19th February 1886, No. 37, Legislative Department, I have the honor to make the following observations on the draft Bill to secure to the tenants in the Malabar district the market-value of their improvements.

2. Although I am a member of the Malabar Land Law Committee, it happened that I did not find much opportunity of considering the draft Bill when it was before the committee, and I have accordingly several corrections now to suggest mostly with the view of assimilating the Bill to the Bengal Tenancy Act (VIII of 1885).

3. The omission to define "landlord" and "tenant" would, in my opinion, lead to great inconvenience. I would therefore introduce the definitions which are found in the Bengal Act, and which are, I think, at once comprehensive and clear.

4. In section 2, in the printed draft, I have restored the language of section 76 of the Bengal Act as far as it is applicable. In point of English and otherwise, it seems to me clearly preferable. I do not think it was meant to exclude work expended on the protection and nurture of trees, and therefore I have inserted words directly referring to such work.

5. The section which I would substitute is in form taken from the

Bengal Act, Section 82 (1).

Vide Bengal Act, Section 82 (2).

of the subsequent reference to the same, also recast on the lines of a similar section of the Bengal Act.

6. In substance I do not think that the one referring to trees, will alter the measure.

7. I think that it is likely to prove a measure.

section 4 is in form taken from the Act, as is the section by which I replace sections 5 and 6 of the draft. The reference to market-value in section 7 seems to me superfluous in view of the next section. Section 7 I have recast on the lines of the Bengal Act.

with the exception, perhaps, of the measure.

Draft Bill to secure to the tenants in the Malabar district the market-value of their improvements, as amended by the Advocate-General.

ORDER—dated 8th March 1886, No. 42, Legislative.

The draft Bill, as amended by the Honorable the Advocate-General, with his remarks, will be communicated to the committee, appointed in G.O., 17th September 1885, No. 650, for any remarks which they may desire to offer.

(True Ex. et.)

A. G. CARDEW,
 Jy. Asst. Secy. to Govt.

To the President of the Committee on Malabar Law,
 appointed in G.O., 17th September 1885, No. 650, for any remarks which they may desire to offer.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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Communicating to the Committee on Malabar
Land Law the Bill introduced by the Advocate
General, together with his reasons for report.

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