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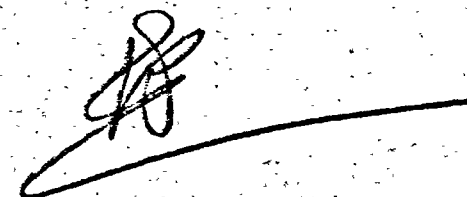
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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
1st May 1865.*

No. 7. Read the following letter from H. NEWILL, Esq., Officiating Resident of Travancore and Cochin, to Colonel C. A. ORR, R. E., Secretary to Government, Department Public Works, dated Peermade, 1st April 1865, No. 31 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to annex copy of a letter, No. 16, dated 27th instant, from the Director of the Trevandrum Observatory, and shall feel obliged by your procuring the information sought regarding the proper appellation and the correct height above the sea, of the peak given in the Sheet Atlas as "Coochy Mulla" situated in latitude $8^{\circ} 38'$ north, and longitude $77^{\circ} 18'$ east.

2. I take this opportunity to request that I may be favored with the loan of any volumes of the Memoir of the Survey which relate to the position, distances, and heights of the Travancore hills, as laid down in the Trigonometrical Survey.

From J. A. BROWN, Esq., Director of the Travancore Observatory, to H. NEWILL, Esq., British Resident of Travancore and Cochin, dated Trevandrum, 27th March 1865, No. 16.

SIR,

1. I have the honor to request that you will obtain for me information from the Surveying Department at Madras upon the following subject.

2. On the Government Map it will be found, that there is a peak in latitude $8^{\circ} 38'$ north, longitude $77^{\circ} 18'$ east called Coochy Mulla. I believe the name should have been Oochy Mulla. Coochy meaning little, and this is the highest peak between Cape Comorin and the north of Travancore; while Oochy means the crown (as the crown of the head). The name by which the peak is known now on both sides of the Ghâts is Agastier-mulley; or sometimes Podiamulley on the Innervelly side.

3. This peak has been one of the stations of the great Survey, and I have no doubt its height has been determined with some care trigonometrically. I shall feel obliged if you will obtain for me from the Surveyor General's Office, the height of the peak above the sea, as determined in the great Survey of India.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) H. NEWILL,
Officiating Resident.

No. 8. ORDER THEREON, 1st May 1865, No. 1,168.

MISCELLANEOUS, No. 1.

1. The Officiating Resident of Travancore and Cochin will be informed that no information can be traced from the records of the late Surveyor General's Office regarding the height of the "Coochy Mulla" above the level of the sea.

2. Nos. I and VI of the Memoirs of the Survey of the Travancore and Cochin States will be forwarded to the Resident with a request that they may be returned as early as practicable.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Officiating Resident, Travancore and Cochin, with Nos. I and VI of Memoirs of Survey.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

N^o 31.

Residents Office on Circuit
Permade 1st April 1865.

From

H. Newill Esq^r

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Offg. Resident of Travancore & Cochin.

To

Colonel L. A. Orr R. E.

Secretary to Government S. P. M.

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Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant.

H. Newill

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W. B.

By The Resident
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