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No 3196 W d, 13 Decr/94/94

Communicated to the Supd.
of Works Periyar Project
(sd, J.P.)

Sofw P.P.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers :—

G.O., dated 27th August 1894, No. 597, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Instructing the Resident in Travancore to inform the Darbar of the views of the Government of India as to the terms on which a further cession up to 31st December 1896 is desired of the criminal and abkári jurisdiction over the Periyár camps; as also what action he should take in the event of the Darbar not acceding to those terms.

G.O., dated 1st October 1894, No. 683, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating to the Public Works Department letter from the Resident intimating that the Travancore Government has extended up to the 31st December 1896 the cession of criminal jurisdiction over the sites occupied by the Periyár camps.

G.O., dated 26th October 1894, Nos. 745, 746, Political.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating to the Public Works and Revenue Departments letter from the Resident in Travancore forwarding one from the Diwan intimating that His Highness the Maharaja agrees to cede up to the 31st December 1896 the abkári jurisdiction over the sites occupied by the Periyár Project camps.

READ—also the following papers :—

G.O., dated 29th October 1894, No. 4156, Revenue.

Read—the following paper :—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), dated 8th October 1894, Mis. No. 4281, on G.O., dated 22nd September 1894, No. 3725.

Resolution—dated 8th October 1894, Mis. No. 4281.

With reference to the correspondence ending with the Government Order read above the Board requests instructions as to whether Government wishes it to take any steps for working the abkári revenue of the Periyár camp. From the papers communicated with G.O., dated 17th September 1894, Mis. No. 3631, it was presumed that the superintendence of the working of the liquor shops, &c., was to be in the hands of the Superintendent of Works. The Government Order now received, however, has been communicated to the Board for information and *guidance*; the Board is therefore in doubt as to the intention of Government.

2. It is requested that orders may be communicated by wire if it is intended that the Salt and Abkári Department should take the management.

Order—dated 29th October 1894, No. 4156, Revenue.

Recorded, pending receipt of reply to G.O., dated 29th October 1894, No. 4138.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. GIBSON,
Secretary to Government.

From S. D. PEARS, Esq., Superintendent of Works, No. I, Periyár Division, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Periyár, 29th September 1894, No. 127-C.E.

I have the honour to forward for your disposal a copy of the Travancore Resident's letter, No. 2978, of 22nd September 1894, with its second enclosure, being a draft notification of the cession to the British Government of the abkári jurisdiction in this camp.

2. Acting upon the first enclosure (the provisional license) and upon the Resident's previous telegram referred to by him, I am making temporary arrangements for the sale of liquor—country and Europe—pending the final cession of the abkári jurisdiction.

3. Regarding the keeping of separate accounts on the lines indicated in the Resident's telegram to the Chief Secretary communicated to me with G.O., No. 2402 W., of 24th September 1894, I request that I may be instructed if these are to be kept in my office, and, if so, what expenses they are to include. In case of my having to keep the accounts, I beg that the Judicial and Police departments may be ordered to furnish me monthly with the expenses of administering criminal jurisdiction, magisterial and police, in the Periyár camp, from such date (which I will hereafter notify to them) as the sale of liquor recommences in the camp.

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From H. B. GRIGG, Esq., M.A., C.I.E., Resident in Travancore and Cochin, to the Superintendent of Works, No. I, Periyár Division, dated Trivandrum, the 22nd September 1894, Reference on C. No. 2978.

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2. I am also forwarding for your remarks copy of a draft notification regarding the cession, to be ultimately issued by the Government of India. I shall be much obliged to you if you will submit the same to the Political Department through the Public Works and Revenue Departments with such remarks, if any, as you may have to offer thereon, with reference to paragraph 3 of G.O., dated 27th August 1894, No. 597, Political. The Diwan of Travancore intimates that he has no objection to raise against it.

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In exercise of this jurisdiction and of the powers conferred by sections 4 and 5 of the Foreign Jurisdiction and Extradition Act XXI of 1879 and of all other powers enabling him in this behalf and in continuation of the orders contained in Foreign Department Notification No. 755-I of the 18th February 1892, the Governor-General in Council is pleased to issue the following further orders:—

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[Here enter No. 867, dated 6th December 1894.]

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2 copies taken to the

TELEPHONE

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See page 10

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ed in paragraph 2 of his Financial Despatch
No 53 dated 5th March 1891, an extract of
which was forwarded to the Government of
Madras with this office memorandum No 1204 G
dated 6th May 1891.

I have the honour to be

Ans: 11.12.94

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

C. H. Walker

Under Secy. to the Govt of India

Documents accompanying
Nil.

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CURRENT No. 9472

From

The Government of India.

ENCLOS.

No. 3632 G

Dated 5.12.94

Received 11.12.94

SUBJECT.

Mr J. P. Davidson, Exe: Engineer.

Issuing orders on letters from -
plying for arrears of
wage pay at 2 shillings
per rupee for certain periods.

DISPOSAL.

No. 3197 dated 13 Dec

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Communication

to Mr J. P. Davidson
with reference to S.O.
No. 2856 W. of 8th Nov 1891
para 4 of the Govt
of India letter printed
with S.O. No. 1412 W.
of 25th May 1891.

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