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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 387 Press ~~Mis.~~

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Dated 15—3—1860.

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No. 41. Read the following letter from H. CLEGHORN, Esq., M. D., Conservator of Forests, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 28th December 1859, No. 886:—

With reference to my Report regarding the Boundary dispute between Mysore and Malabar recorded in Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 423, dated 30th March 1859, and the subsequent Proceedings of Government No. 587, dated 28th April 1859, and No. 846, dated 27th June 1859, it seemed advisable and was urged by both parties that, being in the neighbourhood, I should see the orders of Government carried out.

2. Accordingly, on 12th ultimo, I met Major Clerk, Superintendent of Astagram, and Mr. Stuart the Deputy Collector of Wynád at the Rampúr Ford, and we proceeded to clear the sides of the new Boundary* as far as the 4th stone, when, as my time was limited, I requested the Supervisor of the Revenue Settlement Department to effect the clearance of the remaining portion, and when this is accomplished the whole line will be quite clear and distinct.

* *To a width of about 24 feet.*

3. The removal of the 1st and 2nd stones as ordered by Government has taken place, and has been reported to me by the Native Officials of both sides.

4. I beg to enclose a contingent bill for 36 Rupees, being the moiety (payable by the Madras Government) of the expenses incurred in clearing the Boundary. The other moiety of the expense was borne by the Mysore authorities, who also supplied labor for removing the stones.

5. It may be of interest to the Government to know that the Commissioner of Mysore has approved of my suggestion to improve the road leading from Gundelpett to the Malabar frontier. This road will afford a highly convenient approach from Mysore to the Wynád.

6. With reference to paragraphs 37 and 38† of my Report above alluded to, in which I proposed that an Officer should be employed in Superintending the whole Forest from Báwelli to Gundelpett, I shall take an early opportunity of addressing Government when the arrangements regarding the Commissariat tract are fully matured.

† *And the Order of Government thereupon, Extract Minutes of Consultation, No. 577, paragraph 3.*

No. 42. ORDER THEREON, 15th March 1860, No. 387.

The contingent bill for thirty-six (36) Rupees submitted with this letter, is sanctioned.

2. The Government are gratified to learn that the approach to Wynád from Gundelpett, within the Mysore Boundary, is to be improved; and they resolve to call the attention of the local Officers to the importance of continuing the improvement within Wynád.

3. The Government will await the report promised in the closing paragraph, respecting the future management of the tract of Forest referred to.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your Most Obedient Servant.

H. Cogburn

Conservator of Forests.

Rec. of Govt. 1st April 1859 No. 886 to 89
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From the Conservator of Forests dd 4 Sept. 59 No. 884

Order No. 4449/75

Note to 2.

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From
The Conservator
of Forests.

To The Secy. to Government
Rev. Department
Fort St. George.

Dated 28th Dec. 1859
Rec. 29th } Decr. 1859

No. 886.

Enclosure Rec.
No. 387. 15th March

Forwarding a/s the Report regarding the ... ment of the Boundary line between Nilgiris and Malabar, and enclosing a Contingent Bill for Rs. 36 being the amount expended incurred

With an Order

No. 387

The contingent bill for thirty six (36) rupees submitted with this letter, is sanctioned.

2. The Govt. are grateful to learn that the approach to ... beyond from Gundalpett ... within the bungalow boundary is to be improved; ... they resolve to call the attention of the local Officers to the importance of continuing the improvement within beyond ... on the Malabar side.

3. The Govt will await the Report promised in the closing ... Proceedings, respecting the future

+ Management of the road from Gundalpett to Naduvatum & Devala forest inspection bungalow.

No. 6 of Rec. Gen. 15th March 1860.

Conservator of Forests with the Govt. Dec. 1859

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