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No. 26. Read the following letter from H. CLEGHORN, Esq., M.D., Conservator of Forests, to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Utakamand, 9th April 1860, No. 974 :—

I have the honor to submit for the approval and sanction of the Honorable the Governor in Council an Estimate of Cash required for carrying on the Forest operations of the North Canara Forests for the year 1860-1, amounting to Rupees 68,688-12-0.

2. The contracts have all been examined and signed in the Collector's Kachéri, as the parties are better known to the Revenue Officers, in the event of infringement of the contracts.

3. Two thousand Rupees are included for a Teak plantation on the banks of the Sedashegur river, which has been commenced, and is most important with a view to restore the supply below Ghât ; for this two trained planters have been instructed at Nellambúr.

4. Three thousand Rupees have been included for roads required to open up the valuable Forests of Gúnd ; this amount will be expended under the supervision of Captain Walker, the District Engineer.

5. The Extra or Temporary Establishments alluded to are Gumáshtás and Peons employed for keeping Accounts of Timber and watching particular Contractors who may be required for a limited period.

6. The Estimate, with the above exceptions, is based upon the expenditure hitherto incurred and debited in the Annual Accounts. The contracts are higher than formerly, owing to the increasing rates of labour, and the greater distance from which the timber is now brought ; nevertheless, there is every reason to believe that the profits of the ensuing year are likely to be very considerable.

No. 27. ORDER THEREON, 2nd May 1860, No. 700.

The advance applied for, viz., Rupees 68,689, is so much larger than usual that explanation should have been given of the cause of this excess. The Government now sanction an advance of Rupees (35,000) Thirty five thousand for 1860-1 being the same as that authorized* for 1859-60, and reserve their sanction for the remaining amount till the explanation shall be furnished.

* *Proceedings dated 20th March* 1860, *No.* 428.

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

Estimate of the probable sum required to carry on the Forest operations in North Canara for the season 1860/61.

Contracts

For conveying 1700 Candies of Teak from Shivapur to Sedasheguv at Rupees 2. 6. 0 per Candy ——— 4037 8. 0

For — do — 2000 Candies of — do — from Kanery Kullah to — do — at Rs. 2. 12. 0 per — do ——— 5,500. .

For — do — 1,600 Candies of defective Teak from Sinksall to Gungavalee pier at Rs. 2. 10. 0 per — do — 13225. .

For — do — 300 Candies of Black wood from — do — to — do — at Rs. per — do ——— 1200. .

For — do — 3000 Candies of Junglewood to Sedasheguv at Rs. 2. 10. 0 per — do ——— 8250. . 32212 8.

Amany works

Ankola Taluq. For cutting and conveying 800 Candies of Junglewood at Rs. 2. 10. 0 per Candy Rs. 1800. .

Girdling and cutting 2,100 new Teak ——— " 700. . 2500. .

Carried forward 2500. . 32212 8.

Brought forward ——		2500 " "	32212 8 "
Yellapur and Supah Taluqs – Cutting squaring and Carting 9,300 Candies of timber of Kinds at an average cost of 1 Rupee, 8 Annas per Candy ——	Rs. 13,950 —		
For collecting about 600 Candies of odds & ends at Rs. 1-14 " each – " –	1125 —		
For clearing cultivation land and cutting about 10,000 teak poles – " –	500 —	15575 "	
Sunda Taluq – Cutting, squaring & carting 7250 Candies at Rs. 1-10 per do –	11781 4 "	29,856 4 "	
Plantation at Sulaghery – Clearing, Collecting seed, transplanting and watering Teak seedlings &c. ——		2000 " "	
Roads – For making the Grind forests available ——		3000 " "	
Extra Establishments			
Ankola Taluq ——	Rs. 24 per month	288 " "	
Supah and Yellapur – " –	35 — " —	420 " "	
Asst. Cons.r's Office – " –	26 — " —	312 " "	1020 " "
Sundries and other incidental expenses ——			600 " "
		Rupees	69688 12 "

(Signed) L. Miller
Asst. Conservator
N. Canara –

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H. Cleghorn
Conservator of Forests.

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No. 774.

From

The Conservator of Forests

To

The Secy. to Government

Revenue Dept.

Fort St. George

Dated 9th April 1860.

Rec. 16th April 1860.

No. 971.

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No. 700. 2d May.

Submitting for approval & sanction an Estimate of Cash required for carrying on the Forest operations of the N. Canara forests for the year 1860/61 amounting to Rs. 68,689-12 with an order

From the Conservator of Forests. 24th April 60. Circ. No. 902. in Proc. 11th May No. 764 Do. 2nd do. 2nd & 6th Lines Ctr. 1226.

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Proc. of 20th March 1860 No. 428

For. Secy. Govt.
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