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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2398 Press —Mis.—

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Dated 13 — 11 — 19 82

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 13th November 1862.

No. 137. Read the following letter from Captain R. H. BEDDOME, Officiating Conservator of Forests, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Camp Ootacamund, 31st October 1862, No. 247 :—

SIR,

In enclosing a copy of a letter to my address, from the Collector of Malabar, number and date as per margin, I have the honor to request that you will obtain the sanction of Government for the payment of Rupees 118-5-8, being the amount of travelling expenses incurred by Mr. Fergusson, Forester of Nelumbúr plantation, during his periodical visits to the plantations from his head quarters.

No. 3,982, dated 27th September 1862.

No. 138. ORDER THEREON, 13th November 1862, No. 2,398.

Captain Beddome has omitted to state to what funds in the Budget the charge referred to in this letter is to be debited. He will be requested to supply the omission.

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Deputy Secretary to Government.

Calicut 24th September 1862

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No 3982
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From.

G. A. Ballard Esqr
Collector of Malabar

To.

Captain R. H. Beddome
Offg Conservator of Forests
Ootacamund

Sir.

On the appointment of Mr Ferguson, as Overseer of the Nelumbur Teak Plantations, Major Morgan suggested that as the climate of Nelumbur is unhealthy at times the Overseer had better make Calicut his Head Quarters, and visit the Plantations periodically, and that it would be advantageous if he were furnished with a small Cabin Boat and two Boatmen to facilitate his visits to Nelambur, and to keep an eye upon floating operations, the purchase of the Boat and the Monthly pay of the Boatmen being charged to the Plantations.

2. The purchase of a Cabin Boat would cost some 250 Rupees, and as 5 rowers will be required, their wages, per Mensem, would amount to 30 Rs at the least. This would have been a needlessly expensive arrangement.

3 It was therefore resolved by my predecessor, as well as by myself, to pay Mr Fergusons expenses for each trip as being a more economical course, and the charges thus incurred for 6 trips, made from March to September 1862 amount to Rs 118. 5. 8. I have therefore the honor to request

you

Enclosure in a letter

From the Offg Conservator

of Forests. to the Secretary

to Govt R. D. No 247 dated

31st October 1862.

Rev: 3057/62.

Copy of a letter from

the Collector of Malabar

on the subject of granting

Travelling charges to

Mr Ferguson Forester of

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Revenue 1862. Department.

No. 2398 Forwarded 15th Nov. 1862

From

The Officiating Conservator of Forests.

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Fort St. George

Dated 31st October 1862

Received 1st June.

No. 247

Enclosure

No.

Subject.

Recommends that
the travelling expences
of the Surgeon may
be sanctioned.

No. 2398 13th Nov.

William order

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From Capt. H. H. Cadell
Offg Conservator of Forests
Nilgiris dated 31st Oct. 1862
Rec'd 1st June

No. 137 & 138

No. 2398

Requesting that
sanction may be obtained to entertain
funds in the Budget the
charges referred to in this
letter as to be debited to 18
will be requested to supply
the omission.

Fort St. George
13th November 1862

A Copy forwarded to Dept. of
the Board of Revenue.