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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Dated 27. 7. 1864

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
27th July 1864.

No. 455. Read the following Minute by His Excellency the President dated 12th July 1864 : —

1. Several of the Planters upon the Hills have complained to me that their applications for land have been met by statements that such land was reserved by the Government, or that the Conservator of Forests did not think it desirable that more wood should be cut down at a particular spot. I cannot of course express any opinion as to the justice of the particular complaints of each individual, but I think it would be more fair to the general body of applicants for land if they were made aware of the localities in which they might search for land suited to their objects. I propose, therefore, that directions should be given to the Collector, and the Conservator of Forests, to mark down in different colours such portions of land or forest on the accompanying Map, which is either already occupied, or which it is proposed to reserve for any special purpose, such proposed reservations, with the reasons for them, should be submitted for the approval of the Government.

2. The object of the Government being to encourage as much as possible the occupation of land by private individuals and the investment of capital in its cultivation, the reservations should be special, not general.

(Signed) W. T. DENISON.

No. 456. ORDER THEREON, 27th July 1864, No. 1,344.

Miscellaneous.

1. Resolved accordingly that the Collector of Coimbatore and the Conservator of Forests be directed to mark on the accompanying Map such portions of land on the Neilgherry Hills, both open and forest, as are already appropriated or which it is proposed to reserve for any official purpose, submitting at the same time a full statement of their reasons for such proposed reservation.

2. This report should be furnished not later than the 1st October next. The Collector will depute his Special Assistant, Mr. Hannyngton, to make, in company with the Acting Conservator of Forests, any local inspections which may be necessary to enable him to furnish the information now called for.

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

Several of the Members upon
the Hill have complained
to me that their applic-
=ations for Leave
have been met by delay:
=much that ought to have
been received by the 20th
or that the Commissioners
of Forests did not think
desirable that more
wood should be cut down
at a particular Epoch. —
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Diversion

Department.

No. 1264.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

27th July 61

Read the following
Minute by His Excellency
the President.

(Dated 12th July 1861.)

Order thereon.

Resolved accordingly,
that the Collector of
Coimbatore and the
Conservator of Forests
be directed to mark on
the accompanying map
such portions of land
on the Neilgherry Hills,
both open and forest,
as are already appro-
priated or which it
is proposed to reserve

for

Read the following Minute by His Excellency the President.

Dated 12th July 1861.

Resolved accordingly, that the Collector of Coimbatore and the Conservator of Forests be directed to mark on the accompanying map such portions of land on the Neilgherry Hills, both open and forest, as are already appropriated or which it is proposed to reserve for any special purpose, leaving the remainder to be applied, as occasion may require, to the general purposes of cultivation.

Read the following Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, dated 13th July 1861, and Enclosure.

Proposes to mark off certain portions of land on the Neilgherry Hills, both open and forest, as are already appropriated or which it is proposed to reserve for any special purpose, leaving the remainder to be applied, as occasion may require, to the general purposes of cultivation.

Read the following Letter from the Collector of Coimbatore, dated 13th July 1861, and Enclosure.

Complaining of the Conservator of Forests having marked off certain portions of land on the Neilgherry Hills, both open and forest, as are already appropriated or which it is proposed to reserve for any special purpose, leaving the remainder to be applied, as occasion may require, to the general purposes of cultivation.

Read the following Minute by His Excellency the President.

Dated 12th July 1861.

Resolved accordingly, that the Collector of Coimbatore and the Conservator of Forests be directed to mark on the accompanying map such

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To the Collr of Coimbatore Endorsing

" Cfg. Conservator of Forests

" Regd Post

Secret 1864. Department.
Transmitter July
No. 1364.

PROCEEDINGS of GOVERNMENT.

From the Letters of
Commissioners 5th Dec 1865
From the Coll.r of Coimbatore
3rd Feb 1865 Ext Sep. 5 to 29 Aug. 1865
Dated 2nd July 1864.

Directing that a diagram may be prepared showing all the land on this Taluk which was & shall hereafter be reserved for official and other purposes.

COPY TO BE SENT.