

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 209	<u>Press</u> ~~Mis.~~
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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
3rd February 1865.*

No. 65. 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, 2nd November 1864, No. 1,121 :—

SIR,

1. In consequence of Mr. Lennon's dismissal, I have appointed Forester Sheffield to be Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests, and to have charge of the Kurnool Range, I have the honor to request that the appointment may be gazetted.

2. The forests of the Nallaymalays are of great value, and I trust that the Forest Department may ere long be able to undertake the entire working of them; there are considerable difficulties in the way, and I am not prepared to propose this immediately; as however some extra supervision is now absolutely necessary, I request that Government will sanction an addition to the Establishment of a third class Overseer on a salary of 60 Rupees per mensem with a travelling allowance of 15 Rupees. Much of the Sub-Assistant Conservator's time is unavoidably taken up with office work, and the issuing of licenses, but by the arrangement now proposed one officer will always be available for superintending operations in the forest.

3 Mr. Turnbull, who had some previous training in the Department, has been acting as Overseer, and has been in charge of this range during Mr. Lennon's suspension, he has conducted the duties with great credit, and I shall be glad to appoint him as Overseer if the appointment is sanctioned.

4. The increase in the establishment now proposed is fully authorized by the receipts from these forests. The expenditure for last year amounted to Rupees 3,420-12-4, and the receipts to Rupees 37,287-13-0, leaving a balance in favor of Government of Rupees 33,867-0-8.

No. 66.

ORDER THEREON, 3rd February 1865, No. 209.

Forests, No. 5.

1. With reference to paragraph 1 the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. T. Sheffield to be Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests, and to have charge of the Kurnool Range, vice Lennon dismissed.

2. Under the circumstances stated in paragraph 2, sanction is granted for the employment of a third class Overseer at the Nallaymalay Forests on a salary of 60 Rupees, and a travelling allowance of 15 Rupees per mensem.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

To the Officiating Conservator of Forests.

„ the Accountant General.

„ the Civil Paymaster.

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since Lennon dismissed. -

W.H. 2 Under the circumstances stated
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for the employment of a third
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Supt. Forests on a salary of
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From Mr. George
3^d Feb. 1865

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3 Acc. A. C. A.

3 Civil Paymaster A

1864 Rev. FOREST DEPARTMENT.

From *Rev. of Govt. Secy. 2898.*

The *off* Conservator of Forests,

To

J. D. Linn. Esq.
Secretary to Govt. Secy.
Fort St. George

Dated 2nd } *November 1864.*
Received 5th }

No. 1121

Enclosure.

No.

SUBJECT.

Appointing Mr. Sheffield
as Sub-assistant Conservator
of Madras Forests and
requesting the same to be
sanctioned. &c.
From the offy Conservator Forests
of 20 July 65 No. 505.



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With an order

From Govt. of India
of 20 March 1865 No. 915

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