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2nd August 1866.*

No. 39. Read the following letter from the Officiating Conservator of Forests, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Camp Coimbatore, 20th June 1866, No. 1,862 :—

1. As Major Morgan, the Deputy Conservator of the Neilgherry Range, informed me that Mr. Money's agent persisted in not attempting to stack any of the wood felled by them in the Davi Shola according to the agreement, and as the Lawrence Asylum Works require a large daily supply, I have the honor to inform you that I requested Major Morgan to visit the Shola, and call upon the Superintendent to stack a certain quantity within ten days. Major Morgan ordered only 100 bandy loads to be stacked ; but of this amount the Superintendent has only stacked fifty loads or five loads per diem. The Lawrence Asylum Works require twenty loads per diem, and there is no reason why Mr. Money should not be able to stack this amount, or even a much larger quantity ; and if Mr. Money will not agree to do so, I would suggest that it should be done by the Forest Department at his expense, or that some other means be at once adopted, otherwise the Lawrence Asylum Works will be put to great difficulties and great expense for their wood.

2. Mr. Money's agent persists in claiming the eighty acres which were partially felled over before he purchased the property, and he is using the wood from this block and advertising it for sale.

3. I forward for reference a letter from the Deputy Conservator, Neilgherries, and one from the Officer in charge of the Lawrence Asylum Works.

No. 40. ORDER THEREON, 2nd August 1866, No. 1,931.

Miscellaneous.

As Mr. Money is now in Madras, the Government resolve to forward these letters for any observations he may wish to offer.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,

Secretary to Government.

To J. W. B. Money, Esq.

Exd. T. Cartledge.

Receipt
 1806/66
 for app^r
 of Sep^r 4
 Mr H. far-
 ding and
 A. W.
 Chincom
 Planting
 J. P.

We should think call upon Mr. McLoor to explain
 his position in regard to this Gen. Shaler business
 and not only to but to explain it to the
 he has any other, even put in a copy of mail
 for our
 his
 If I am correct in my belief,
 that the agent referred to in
 these papers, is Mr. McLoor, the
 Sup^t of the for Chincom Plant-
 tations on the Mesquy River, I
 think advantage should be taken
 of the opportunity now afforded,
 to request Mr. McLoor to explain
 his position. This appears to me
 at the least, an anomalous
 one, Mr. McLoor & time & pains
 has been the property of the
 Govt who employs him -
 as the subject of R. 1806 has
 now been pending order since
 the 20 June last, should object

to a direct comm. being made to Mr. Money
 but I am of opinion that Mr. M. is a very
 litigious person with whom the best direct
 comm. we have the better. Especially
 as we have ~~been~~ all along been dealing
 with his recognized agent on the spot.
 In respect of the determination of
 this agent to remove wood from the 80
 acres, it may now be more advisable
 to warn the agent that any further delay
 in that direction will be treated as a
 criminal trespass, for I suppose that
 since the 20th June last, all the running
 wood has been cut down & sold to the
 agent. If any, however, remain
 I would direct the local ~~authorities~~
 Forest Dept. office to complain to
 the local Court Mag. & ask for an order
 under Section 188 of the Code to restrain the
 agent & pros. as being a trespass. —
 20 June 66.

in
 Mr
 Money
 and
 his con-
 -fession
 J. C. D.

may write to Mr. Money if you feel
 it necessary to do so. I am of opinion
 that it is better to deal with him
 directly than through the agent.

Office of Dy. Cons. of Forests
 Colacacumund 30 May 1866

To
 From

Major H. R. Morgan
 Deputy Cons. of Forests

Captain R. H. Piddome
 Offs. Conservator of Forests
 Colacacumund

On the 18th Instant, I visited the
 Dore Tholah and found, as before, that no wood had
 been stacked by Mr. Money.

I called upon the agent to stack one
 hundred loads within ten days.

On the 28th of May 1866, my Overseer
 reports only 50 loads stacked.

Unless Mr. Money stacks the wood
 as fast as we remove it, the Lawrence's Asylum Works
 will be stopped for want of fuel, and our carts and
 bullocks will have to remain idle.

As Mr. Money can only stack 50
 loads

See Capt. Hankins
 letter N-9711 June 66
 (also returned)

loads in ten days, and we can remove at least 200 loads in that time; it is clear that other measures must be resorted to by Mr. Money.

6. During the past fine weather, our carts and bullocks have done nothing, consequent on the wood not having been stacked by Mr. Money.

7. No wood has been sold, but some has been used, and Mr. Money persists in claiming 80 acres of the wood in Davi Tholah.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Your most Obedt. Servant

W. H. M. J. Major

Deputy Comr. of Forests.

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Forest Department, 1866

From

The Officer in charge of
Mudumalai & Forest,

To

The Conservator of Forests
Cotacamund

Dated 30 } May 1866.
Received }

No. 64

Enclosure. two

None

Subject.

Gives a report on his inspection
of the Dani Sholah on 18th inst.
5021
& the slow manner in which the
wood is stacked, contrary to the
urgent demands of the L. A. Works.

Recd. Sept 1866
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P. 22. L. A. Works. 1866 No. 64-20

Lawrence & Co. Works
Cotacamund June 1866

From

Captain F. G. Hanke
In charge of the Lawrence
& Co. Works.

To

The Deputy Conservator of Forests
Cotacamund

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 63 dated
30th May 1866 I have the honor to inform you
that I have not got any wood at all ^{from} Dani
Sholah since you ceased to supply wood at the
Depôt outside the Sholah as agreed on by Dr.
Cleghorn. My Contractor, some time ago went
to the Sholah itself for wood but ever (they
say) prevented taking any wood away and
a Maistry I sent out, came and told me there
was none ready to take.

I have not now had any wood from
the Sholah for nearly two months - the supply
I had accumulated before is exhausted &
I am put to the greatest difficulties for wood.
I would gladly take from the Depôt outside
the Sholah 20 Bandy loads of wood daily
I have the honor to be

Yours most obedt. Servt.

F. G. Hanke Captain
In charge of L. A. Works.

P.S.
 Since writing this letter, I
 have concluded a contract
 with a man to take 5 cart loads ^{of 40000 lbs}
 of road dirt from the shola
 to load his own handies
 with the road stacked within
 50 yards of a road - I have
 another contract with a man to
 carry road (5 handies daily) from
 the depot. but I hope to be able to
 induce him to alter the terms of
 his contract & bring it from
 the shola.

11th June



of 40000 lbs
 a week for
 1 year

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As Mr. Money is
 in Madras
 the put. review &
 forward these
 letters for any
 alterations he
 may wish to
 make.

Wm. J. D.
 2nd Aug 1866
 Copy to G. W. B. Gregory Esq. Secy. to Govt.
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 Pro. of Govt for August
 1866.
 From
 The offy. Comr. of Eng.

Co
 The Secy to Govt
 Revenue Dept.

Dated 20 June 1866
 Received

1862
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 Subjects
 Reports the purchase
 of the Bari Shola
 will not act up to
 his agreement
 with order