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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
7th July 1868.*

No. 128³ Read the following letter from the Officiating Conservator of Forests, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort St. George, dated Camp at Ootacamund, 27th March 1868, No. 643 :—

1. With reference to the Government Order No. 678, of the 16th of March, I have the honor to inform you that the Collector never replied to my communication on the subject of the non-fulfilment of the contract by Mr. Money and his Agents; but Mr. Money's agents subsequently again commenced supplying the wood, and they probably received some communication from the Collector on the subject. In January last there was again a complaint from the Engineer's department that the supply was stopped, and I informed Colonel Morgan that he must settle the matter with the Collector of Coimbatore, as he was arbiter in the case.

I now forward a letter* from Colonel Morgan, together with all the correspondence that has lately passed on the subject, by which it will be seen that though Mr. Money's contract is to supply 5,000 loads continuously from October 1866 to October 1868, he has up to date only supplied 878, and although the Engineer's department now report that the wood is being supplied, there is little chance of the whole 5,000 loads being delivered within the two years, according to agreement. Government will also perceive that the non-fulfilment of the contract has compelled us to fell more green wood than was intended, and that Colonel Morgan contemplates that the forest on the northern horn of this shola will be seriously damaged if we have to supply the balance required.

2. It is very important that Mr. Money's land should be properly demarcated; his agent commenced felling some saplings in our forests a few months ago, and when we prosecuted the case was dismissed, because evidence was brought to shew that the boundary was not properly demarcated.

No. 129⁴ ORDER THEREON, 7th July 1868, No. 1,886.

Forests, No. 3.

1. The Collector of Coimbatore will be requested to report what steps he has taken to obtain performance of

the terms of the agreement with Mr. Money, dated 10th September 1866, and how far those steps have been effectual.

2. It is observed from the correspondence submitted, that the Special Assistant had been directed to have Mr. Money's land properly demarcated.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Collector of Coimbatore.
„ the Officiating Conservator of Forests.
„ the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Office of Commr. of Forests
Camp. Botacumund 27th March 1868

From,

Major R. H. Beddome
Off. Commr. of Forests.

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Secretary to Government
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Pro. of the M. Govt.

Under date the 7th July/68

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(Here enters 2nd March/68 No 43)

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By Mr. Money's agreement
Revenue 1868 Deptt
Rs of Govt for July

No. 1886

Rs of the Madras Govt
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By Mr. Money

From the Coler of Hamilton
of 27 Sept Ch. 2527.

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