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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Read the following letters:—

No. 251. From the Conservator of Forests, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated camp at Ootacamund, 5th August 1870, No. 2,256.

In forwarding the accompanying* letter from Colonel Morgan, the Deputy-Conservator of the Collegal and Bhowani Ranges, I have the honour to inform you that it is his intention to attempt floating down railway-fuel in rafts on a large scale from the forests at and above Cauverypooram to Bhowani or Erode, and he applies for sanction for the entertainment of an extra Overseer on a salary of Rupees 80 per mensem, to be paid from working charges; as this charge can easily be met from the budget-allotment for this Range, I have the honour to request that you will obtain the sanction of Government for the same as a temporary measure.

*Dated 3rd August 1870, No. 104.

No. 252. From the Conservator of Forests, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated camp at Ootacamund, 9th August 1870, No. 2,259.

With reference to paragraph 14 of the Government Order, No. 1,124, of the 28th of July, 1870, I have the honour to request sanction for immediately appointing three third-class Overseers for fuel-operations, to be at first trained for several months in our plantations and reserves in Cuddapah and Salem, where they can also make themselves useful, and who, when thoroughly conversant with their duties, will be available for employment in any of the existing or proposed plantations in the districts of Madura, Tinnevelly, Salem, Cuddapah, or Arcot. Their salaries will be 60+15 travelling, which can for the present be met from the working charges of the different ranges. This is all that I wish sanction for at present, but in a few months, when I hope to be able to lay before Government charts of each district (traversed by railways), showing the area of forest or jungle to be permanently kept up, and the area to be planted for locomotive fuel purposes, I shall be able to state what permanent subordinate assistance will be required.

No. 253. Order thereon, 15th August 1870, No. 1,258.

Forests, No. 10.

With advertence to paragraph 14 of the G. O., under date 28th July, No. 1,124, the Right Honourable the Governor in Council sanctions the employment of three Overseers on salaries of Rupees 60 per mensem, with a travelling allowance of Rupees 15. He also sanctions the entertainment of one Overseer on Rupees 80 per mensem for employment

under Colonel Morgan as proposed in the letter above recorded, and another on Rupees 100 per mensem for the superintendence of an experimental plantation on irrigated land which will form the subject of a separate order.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Under-Secretary to Government.

To the Conservator of Forests.
,, the Board of Revenue.
,, the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Govt. of {1870} Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

&c., &c., &c.

Dated August, 17th.

Read. Encl.

G. O., 15th August 1870, *No.* 1,258.

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Nos. 251—253.

Extra Overseers for the Forest Department.—Employment of three Overseers on Rupees 60 per mensem with travelling allowance of Rupees 15 for Cuddapah and Salem plantations and reserves, one Overseer on Rupees 80 per mensem under Colonel Morgan, and another on Rupees 100 per mensem for the superintendence of experimental plantation on irrigated land, sanctioned.

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With adverting to para 14 of the G.O under date 23d July No 1224 the Rt Honble the Govr in Council sanctions the employment of three overseers on salaries of Rs 60 per measem, with a travelling allowance of Rs 15. He also sanctions the entertainment of one overseer on Rs 80 per measem for employment under Colonel Morgan as proposed in the letter above recited, and another on Rs 100 per measem for the superintendence of an experimental plantation on irrigated land which will form the subject of a separate order

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