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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
7th March 1870.*

No. 44. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India in the Home Department, (Public,) dated Fort William, 29th January 1870, No. 600 :—

Read again the following papers on the subject of the ravages committed by wild animals in India and of their destruction :—

Extracts from the Revenue and Topographical Survey Reports for 1866-67 and 1867-68.

Extracts from the Proceedings of the Government of Madras in the Public Department for the months of April June, July, and October 1867, and March, April, and June 1868.

Extracts from the Proceedings of the Government of Madras in the Revenue Department for the months of January 1867, and February, April, September, and November 1868.

Extract from the Revenue Proceedings of the Government of the North-Western Provinces for 7th December 1867.

Extracts from the Police Reports of the Punjab and the Central Provinces for the years 1865, 1866, and 1867.

Extracts from the Administration Reports of the Central Provinces and Oudh for three years, from 1865-66 to 1867-68.

Extracts from the Judicial Proceedings of the Government of Bengal for July 1864 and October 1866.

Read Memorandum from Foreign Department, No. 1,958, dated 30th September 1868, transferring certain papers connected with destruction of wild animals.

Read letter from Captain B. Rogers, Bengal Staff Corps, dated 9th August 1868, on the same subject.

RESOLUTION.

ALTHOUGH the reports available are far from affording full information, yet they are sufficient to convince the Governor-General in Council of the great injury done by wild beasts in most parts of India both to human life and to property, whether in the shape of domesticated animals or of crops.

2. His Excellency in Council has therefore determined to call the particular attention of Local Governments and Administrations to the subject, and desires that full reports may be submitted with as little delay as possible, showing for each of the last three years (*i.e.*, 1866-67 to 1868-69, inclusive), (1), the loss of human life from the several kinds of wild quadrupeds; (2), the loss (where ascertainable) of cattle or crops from the same cause; (3), the number of the various kinds of animals killed; (4), the system for their destruction in force at the commencement of the period, and any changes introduced during the three years; (5), the cost to Government of the measures adopted. When within one Province special systems or scales of reward have been tried in particular localities, these should be separately shown.

3. After a review of the facts the Local Government or Administration should state its views as to the measures which should be adopted in future, and in this connection Captain Rogers's proposals should be specially considered. It will, however, be impossible for the Government of India at present to entertain

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any scheme involving an increase of expenditure. What therefore should be attempted is to utilize to the utmost such amounts as have already been allowed for the destruction of wild animals.

4. A second section of the report should treat of the destruction of poisonous snakes as to which the same information should be given as in the case of noxious quadrupeds, so far as the particulars apply. In those Provinces where the rewards for destruction of snakes once granted have now been withdrawn, an attempt should be made to estimate the result of this withdrawal.

ORDER.—Ordered that copy of this Resolution be forwarded to all Local Governments and Administrations, together with copy of the papers re-read and Captain Rogers's letter, for information and guidance.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. C. BAYLEY,

Secretary to the Government of India.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras.

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Miscellaneous.

FORWARDED to the Board of Revenue, who are requested to procure the required information on the points

adverted to in paragraph 3 of the Resolution.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,

Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue, with eight Enclosures.

Edw. F. R. Bantman

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Under date 1st Feb^y 1870.

Read the following Ps.
of the Govt of India.

Forwarding for information and guidance copy of Resolution of experts on the subject of the ravages committed by wild animals in India and of their destruction, requesting that full reports may be submitted with as little delay as possible.

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1830 to 1840

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"The History of the County of Middlesex"
by John Stow, published in 1598. It
was the first of a series of works of this
kind, and it was followed by "The
History of the County of Surrey" by
John Stow, published in 1609, and "The
History of the County of Essex" by
John Stow, published in 1610.