Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 30th September 1871.

Read the following papers :—

No. 403. Telegram from Secretary, Agricultural Department, Simla, to Secretary to Government, Madras, dated 24th August 1871.

EIGHT Assistant Conservators of Forests trained on the Continent are coming to India in October. Pay two hundred and fifty per mensem to commence. One available for Madras. Do you wish to have one?

REFERRED to the Conservator of Forests for his opinion, who, if he desires to secure this trained Assistant, will state how and where he proposes to employ him.

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government, R.D.

4th September 1871.

No. 404. From the Conservator of Forests, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Polachy, 23rd September 1871, No. 503.

IN reply to your docket (only just to hand) on the telegram herewith returned, I have the honour to inform you that I do not well see how this Government can find employment for one of the new Assistants coming out from England. This department has not indented for one; and two years ago, when one was applied for he was transferred elsewhere before arrival. We have at present two supernumeraries acting (Mr. Morgan and Mr. Boileau) and one of our Overseers has well earned promotion by long and good service, and is at present acting as an Assistant. A dull state of the market, owing to the late war, stoppage of public works, etc., and the unsettled state of many sources of our revenue, pending the reorganization, has reduced our receipts to a minimum just at present, and we cannot afford supernumeraries. It may also be remarked that the Assistants trained in Europe enter the department on the understanding that they can rise to salaries of 1,400 and 1,600 Rs. per mensem.

No. 405. ORDER THEREON, 30th September 1871, No. 1,708.

Forests, No. 14.

ORDERED that the following telegram be despatched to the Secretary to the Government of India Agricultural Department, Simla.

"This Government wish to have one trained Forest Assistant, and would prefer Mr. Peet who knows the languages."

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 2728

Telegram From Govt of India

Dated 24 August 1871.

FOR ORDERS.

I would ask Mr Mayne Bedmore if he wants one - and when I know he would employ him.

I.O.S

Simla
12th Sept

My dear Sir

Will you kindly reply "Early" to our telegram asking whether the Madras Govt wish to have one of the trained Assistant Forest officers who will leave home next month for India after being 2½ years on the Continent at the Secretary of State

is pressing us for information as to the proposed destinations of the young men; and it will be necessary to reply to him by Telegraph at once.

It was thought that Madras might like to have one of these young men; but should Lord Napier not wish it, we will dispose of them in another Province.

One of the most promising of the candidates is a Mr Peet whose father is said to be a well known clergyman in Travancore. This young man is said to be thoroughly acquainted already with two native

Languages (probably Sanscrit & Telugoo) and for this reason it was thought the Madras Govt would be glad to have him — believe me

Wm Smith Bilby

G. F. Pearson

Offg Inspector Genl of Forests —

Rec'd 8th/ Oct
No 2718
Telegram Govt. of India
& Govt Depts
Transferred to the
Govt of Mad
R. D.

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Calcutta 30th September 1871

Stating that Lieut Bilby named Asst Inspector Forests proceeding to Madras on leave on 12.50 per mensem & inclosing the form of Medical certificate required

Rec'd 1871 Dept
No 3096
From the Com'r of Funds
To the Secretary
Res Dept

dated 23 Septr 71.
rec'd 26 — —
No 503.
Padroam

No 1708. 30th September 1871

Subject:

Bullion Office
Telegram re withdrawals
(Rec'd 30th Sept 1871)

No 1708

Bullion Office Bombay
30th September 1871

To Colonel Maclean
Resident at Aden

Sir

I am directed by the Governor in Council to request that you will be so good as to forward to this Office by Telegraph the amount of Bullion withdrawn from the Bullion Office at Aden during the month of September 1871.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
[illegible]
Secretary

On the whole I am disposed to think that it would be desirable if any scheme of re-organization is adopted, we should need [illegible] General Law. I am sure we can find room for the transfer here

Lt Col