

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
22nd March 1871.*

No. 326. Read the following from the Accountant-General, Madras,
Revenue Department, Fort Saint George,

to the grade of 2nd-class Assistant Conservator of Forests, I have the honour to state that the objections to Mr. Ferguson's promotion, brought to the notice of Government in my letter, No. 50, dated 19th May 1870, are equally applicable to Mr. Cherry's case. That gentleman can, therefore, be allowed salary as 3rd-class Assistant Conservator only, until the requisite sanction is obtained.

No. 327. ORDER, 22nd March 1871, No. 520.

Forests, No. 13.

THE Government do not understand that the sanction of the Government of India to the then existing Forest

Establishment in this Presidency, conveyed in the Financial Resolution, dated 31st October 1868, No. 55, was intended to bar the usual departmental promotion, which has always been viewed as a matter within the competence of this Government to settle.

2. The papers will, however, be forwarded to the Government of India, with the request that the order in Mr. Cherry's case may be confirmed, and that this Government may be vested with authority to sanction such promotions within the Budget grant for the year concerned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Accountant-General.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
22nd March 1871.

No. 521.

No. 328.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,

DEPARTMENT PUBLIC WORKS

Forests, No. 14.

Procs. of Govt., 10th January 1871, No. 65.
Do. 22nd March 1871, Nos. 326, 327.

SIR,—I am directed to forward the papers noted in the margin for submission to the Government of India, with the request that the proceedings of this Government, promoting Mr. Cherry,

an Assistant Conservator of Forests, from the third to the second grade, or from a salary of Rs. 200 to one of Rs. 300, may be confirmed from the date of the Order, viz., 10th January 1871.

2. The Accountant-General objects to pass the charge on the score that the establishment, detailed in the Proceedings in your department, dated 27th November 1868, No. 405-F., included only *one* 2nd-class Assistant Conservator, which post is already filled; but it has never been understood by this Government that the sanction of the Supreme Government, then given to the existing state of things, barred departmental promotion when duly earned, and it is obvious to remark that as operations extend, and the younger officers qualify under the rules, should receive the promotion and higher emoluments to which they are entitled.

3. In Mr. Cherry's case it may be remarked that, having had charge of the Wynaad Range under Colonel Morgan, the Senior Deputy-Conservator, having done good work there for nearly two years, and passed in the language of the district, he has been placed in sole charge of the neighbouring and very important forest district of Canara. The pay attached to the grade of 2nd-class Assistant to which he has been promoted is really not adequate remuneration for such extended responsibilities, and for the laborious nature of the duties which have been entrusted to him; and the Government consider that in time the charge will have to be constituted that of a Deputy-Conservator. Meanwhile, however, this Government direct me to request that the Accountant-General may be instructed to recognize their orders, giving departmental promotion to Forest-officers within the Budget provisions for the department for the year, on the understanding that the rules guiding promotion observed in Bengal will be maintained here.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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Revenue Department
22 March 1911.

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For

The Secretary to the Government of India.
Department Public Works.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government
Under date the 22nd ^{March} January 1871.

Read the following
letter from the Accountant
General. -

Pointing out that there is no
vacancy in the 2nd Class Assistant
Commissioner's grade for Mr Cherry
promotion, and that allowance
as a 3rd Class Assistant only
will be paid to him. -

(A.E. 27th January 1871 N° 313.)

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