

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
13th April 1871.

No. 127. Read the following letter from Major R. H. BEDDOME, Conservator of Forests, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Ootacamund, 4th April 1871, No. 14:—

WITH reference to the Government Order, No. 378, of the 2nd of March last, I have the honour to inform you that at the outset of our extended operations for reserving tracts of jungle for the railway fuel-supply, I gave strict injunctions to all our officers to work in communication with the Revenue authorities, and to consult them in all matters connected with taking up or reserving unoccupied land or jungle. By the enclosed* letter, Government will perceive that Colonel Morgan personally consulted Mr. Sullivan, who was then Acting Collector of Coimbatore.

2. My absence in the jungles beyond postal limits, and subsequently the absence of Colonel Morgan, has prevented my replying earlier to the Government order in question.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From Colonel H. R. MORGAN, Deputy-Conservator of Forests, to the Conservator of Forests, dated Ootacamund, 3rd April 1871, No. 513.

WITH reference to G. O., No. 378, dated 2nd March 1871, I have the honour to inform you that I personally consulted the Acting Collector Mr. Sullivan regarding the supply of fuel for the railway and people at Mettapolliem.

2. It was intended, when demarcating the reserves, to leave, in communication with the Revenue authorities, an ample supply for the people.

No. 128. ORDER THEREON, 13th April 1871, No. 664.

Forests, No. 5.

THE Government are glad to learn that the Revenue authorities were consulted in the matter in question, although no mention was made of it by Major Beddome in his former letter.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Conservator of Forests.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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From The Conservator of Forests.

To The Secretary to Govt. R. H.
Dated 14th April 1871.
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Enclosure. H. R. MORGAN
Subject.

Replies to G. O. No. 378
of 2nd March 1871.

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No. 14.

From

Office of Conservator of Forests,
Camp, Ootacamund
4th April 1871

To

Major R. H. Beddome
Conservator of Forests.

SIR,

W. Huddleston Esq^{re}
Secretary to Government
R. D.

With reference to the Govern-
ment Order No 575 of the 2nd of
March last, I have the honor to
inform you that at the outset of
our extended operations for preserving
tracts of jungle for the Railway
fuel supply, I gave strict in-
junctions to all our officers to work
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venue authorities and to consult

them in all matters connected with
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N^o 513 of 3rd April

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedt. Servt.

R. S. S. Major