

Revenue Department

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Pros of the Madras Govt

Under date the 17th April 1871

Read the following

letter from the Actg. Account-

ant General

Pointing out that the objection
the permission of Mr. J. J. J. J.
was owing to the sanctioned
number of 2nd Class App. Conservator
Forests being thereby exceeded.

H. E. 31st Mar. 1871, No. 393

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The Govt do not consider
that the sanction given by
the Supreme Govt in their
order of 27th November 1868
to the then existing Forest
Establishment was intended
to restrict the numbers in

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below what the extension
of operations may render
absolutely necessary, or
that promotion to a higher
grade constitutes such
a creation of a new office
as was contemplated by
the Secretary of State's
despatch referred to by
the Ag. Accountant
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2. But as the
question has been referred
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G. O.
Mr Cherry's promotion
to the grade of 2nd Class Asst.
Cons^r of Forests.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
17th April 1871.

No. 168. Read the following letter from the Acting Accountant-General, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort Saint George, 31st March 1871, No. 393 :—

With reference to paragraph 1 of Government Order, No. 520, dated 22nd instant, I have the honour to explain that the objection taken by this department was not to "the usual departmental promotion" of which the Local Government has the control, but to promotion into a class in which there was no vacancy. Only one 2nd-class Assistant Conservator was sanctioned by the Government of India in their orders of 31st October 1868, No. 3,296, and as A. Cundasawmy Moodelly held that post, the promotion of Messrs. Ferguson and Cherry created two additional Assistants' appointments in that grade,

*Second Appendix to the *Gazette of India*, dated 14th May 1864, which required the sanction of the Home Government under Notification* of the

Government of India, No. 50, dated 9th May 1864.

No. 169. ORDER THEREON, 17th April 1871, No. 685.

Forests, No. 8.

THE Government do not consider that the sanction given by the Supreme Government, in their Order of 27th November 1868 to the then existing establishment, was intended to restrict the numbers in any grade then existing below what the extension of operations may render absolutely necessary, or that promotion to a higher grade constitutes such a creation of a new office as was contemplated by the Secretary of State's despatch referred to by the Acting Accountant-General.

2. But as the question has been referred to the Supreme Government for decision, it is unnecessary for this Government to take any further steps in the matter at present.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

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

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.