

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th March 1872.*

No. 155. Read the following letter from the Conservator of Forests, to the
Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort
St. George, dated Octacamund, 12th March 1872, No. 1,031:

In forwarding the documents as per

Letter from the Deputy-Conservator of Anna-
mallay, etc., Forests, to the Conservator of
Forests, No. 403, dated 4th March 1872.

True copy of Memorandum from do. to Runga-
sawmy Chetty, No. 259, dated 20th October
1871.

Do. do. from do. to Soobramania Iyer,
No. 253, dated 18th October 1871.

• As early as possible.

received from the Deputy-Conservator of the Annamallay, I have the honour
to request the sanction* of Government
for Mr. Douglas to employ a Vakeel to
defend the suit in question.

2. I have been carefully into the
case, and consider the Deputy-Conservator quite in the right, and I informed
the contractor that I could not interfere.

Mr. Douglas entered into a contract
with a certain contractor to cart timber, and paid him advances. By our rules, the
contractor receives vouchers with the timber when it is handed over at the forests,
and those vouchers he has to get checked at our depôts in the plains where he
delivers the timber, and he is not entitled to payment in full or a settlement of his
accounts until he produces these vouchers (duly countersigned by the Dépôt Clerk)
at the Deputy-Conservator's Office. This contractor has, I believe, carted all his
timber, and money is due to him; but he mortgages his vouchers to certain brahmins,
and then cautions the forest officer not to pay any one but himself. The mort-
gagees apply to the forest officer for the money, but he refuses to pay without a
receipt in full from the contractor in addition to the vouchers, which is, of course,
the usual proceeding. The mortgagees now bring this action.

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ORDER THEREON, 12th March 1872, No. 442.

Forests, No. 3.

As the time is too short to allow of
further reference, the Government sanc-
tion the defence of the suit at the public

cost, and authorize the employment of the Government Vakeel at Calicut to repre-
sent the Deputy-Conservator. The result of the suit will be reported in due course.
The forest officer should, in his defence, state the amount due under the contract,
and his readiness to pay it into Court to any person to whom the Court may direct
payment.

2. The case has been very imperfectly placed before Government. In such
cases, a copy of the plaint and a draft of the proposed answer should invariably
accompany the application for leave to defend the suit.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Officiating Chief Secretary.

To the Conservator of Forests.
„ the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Office of the Conservator of Forests
Ootacamund, 7th March 1872
N^o 1031

From
Major. R. H. Beddome
Conservator of Forests

To
W. Huddleston Esq^r
Off^r Chief Secretary to Government
R. D.

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 R. H. Seddome Major
 Conservator of Forests.

Enclosed within I send you
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From No 849.
The Conservator of Forests
To The Offg Chief Secy
to Govt. A. L.
Dated 17th March 1872
No 1031
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No 1442-12 March 1872
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Revenue Department.

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Sanctioned by the Government
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