No. 130. Read the following letter from the Inspector of Forests, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated Madras, 31st January 1873, No. 1,672 :—

With reference to the Proceedings of Government dated 13th December 1871, No. 2,100, Revenue Department, I have the honour to forward herewith specimens of gums, as per accompanying list, for transmission to England. As only a small quantity was collected by the officers of the department, duplicate specimens are not forthcoming.

List of Specimens of Gums collected by the Officers of the Forest Department of the Madras Presidency, agreeably to G. O. No. 2,100, dated 13th December 1871.

Ranges.	Botanical Names of the Species of Gum.		English Names.	Vernacular Names.	Quantity supplied.	Quantity that could be supplied yearly from the Forest.	Approximate Value per Ton or 2,240 lbs.
					lbs.	Tons.	rs.
Salem ...	1	Chloroxylon Swietenia ...		Billoo (Telugu), Peresa (Tamil) ...	10	1	300
	2	Conocarpus latifolia ...		Cheerimaru or Yellama (do.)	10	2	420
				Nanji or Vellai Nagay (do.)			
	3	Hardwickia binata ...		Acha (Tamil), Yapei (Telugu) ...	10	2	320
	4	Pterocarpus Marsupium ...		Vagy (Telugu), Vengay (Tam.	10	1½	420
	5	Sapindus Anacardium ...		Geedachitta (Telugu), Chorin Cottai (do.)	10	3	420
	6	.....		Mookkalu (do.)	10	1	350
	7	Melia Azadirachta ...		Vaipum (do.)	10	3	150
	8	Acacia Arabica ...		Babool (do.), Karvaikum (Tamil).	10	2½	350
South Arcot ...	1	Nim. 1st sort		Vapen (Tamil) ... ... 3½ lbs.	10	2	150
	1	Do. 2nd ,, ...		Do. (do.) ... ... 6½ ,,			
	2	1st ,, ...		Velam pesin (Tamil) ... ... 5 ,,	10	2	300
	2	2nd ,, ...		Do. (do.) ... ... 4 ,,			
	3	1st ,, ...		Karuvalen (do.) ... ... 3 ,,	10	1	250
	3	2nd ,, ...		Do. (do.) ... ... 7 ,,			
South Canara ...	9	Vateria Indica... ...		....	9½	1	300

(Signed) R. H. BEDDOME, Major,
Inspector of Forests.

MADRAS,
31st January 1873.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
20th February 1873.

No. 131. ORDER THEREON, 20th February 1873, No. 198.

Forests No. 5.

ORDERED that the foregoing letter, together with the twelve tin cases and list therewith received, be forwarded to the Government of India, with reference to the letter from that Government dated 7th November 1871, No. 558.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Inspector of Forests.
,, the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT,
FORT ST. GEORGE,
20*th February* 1873.

No. 199.

No. 132.

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
REVENUE, AND COMMERCE.

Forests, No. 6.

SIR,—With reference to your Under-Secretary's letter dated 7th November 1871, No. 558, I am directed to inform you that the Master Attendant has been instructed to forward to you by the first opportunity a box, for transmission to England, containing in twelve tin cases specimens of gums collected by the Forest Officials of this Presidency.

2. Enclosed is a list giving all requisite particulars in connection with these gums; also a letter* from the Inspector of Forests, from which it will be seen that duplicate specimens are not forthcoming.

* Dated 31st January 1873, No. 1,672.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

Rgd. F. R. Bantleman.

Office of Inspector of Forests.
Camp Madras 31st January
1873.

No. 1672.

From

Major R. H. Beddome
Inspector of Forests.

To

D. F. Carmichael Esqre
Secretary to Government
R. D.

Sir,

With reference to the Pro=
=ceedings of Government, dated 13th
December 1871 No. 2100 R. D. I have
the honor to forward herewith speci=
=mens of gums, as per accompany=
=ing List for transmission to England.
As only a small quantity was collect=
=ed by the officers of the Department,
duplicate specimens are not forth=
coming.-

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

R. H. Beddome Major
Inspector of Forests.

List of Specimens of Gum Collected by the Officers of the Forest Deptt of the Madras Presidency agreably to G. O. No 2100 dated 13th December 1871.

Range	Botanical names of the Species of Gum	English names	Vernacular names	Quantity Supplied lbs	Quantity that could be supplied yearly from the Forest	Approximate value per ton or 2240 lbs
Salem	1 Chloroxylon Swietenia		Billoo (Telugu). Porasa (Tamil)	10	1 Ton	300 " "
	2 Cono-carpus Latifolia		Cheeriman or Yellama (do). Nannai or Vellai Nagay (do).	10	3 "	420 " "
	3 Hardwickia Binata		Acha (Tamil). Yapei (Telugu)	10	2 "	320 " "
	4 Pterocarpus Marsupium		Yagy (Telugu) Vengay (Tamil)	10	1½ "	420 " "
	5 Semicarpus Anacardium		Geedachilli (Telugu) Chera (Tellai do)	10	3 "	420 " "
	6		Montalu (do).	10	1 "	350 " "
	7 Melia Azadirachta		Vaspum (do).	10	3 "	150 " "
	8 Acacia Arabica		Babool (do) Nuvvilum (Tamil)	10	2⅓ "	350 " "
South Arcot	1 Nim 1st Sort		Vapum (Tamil) 3½	10	2 "	150 " "
	2d "		2d (do) 6½			
	2 1st "	Wood apple	Velam junm (do) 6	10	2 "	300 " "
	2d "	do.	2d (do) 4			
	3 1st "	Babool	Karuvalam (do) 3	10	1 "	250 " "
	2d "	do.	2d (do) 7			
South Canara	9 Vateria Indica	Dhoop		9½	1 "	300 " "

Camp Madras
Office of Inspector of Forests
31st January 1873

P. A. Robinson. Major
Inspector of Forests

Revenue Department

№ 198.

Proceedings of the Madras Government.

Under date the 20th February 1873.

Read the following letter from the Inspector of Forests

Forwards specimens of sums agreeable to G. O. No. 2100 of 13th December 1871 — M. S. 31st January 1873. No. 167.

Ordered that the foregoing letter, together with the twelve tin cases and list therewith received, be forwarded to the Government of India with reference to the letter from that Government, dated 7th November 1871. No. 558.

3 To the Inspectors of Forests dated 1st Feb
14, the Board of Revenue

Sgd [illegible]

Enclosure
to a letter No. 167 dated 31st January 1873 from the Inspector of Forests to the Secretary to Govt. Revenue Dept.

Rec'd 3 Feb 1873

Revenue Deptt.
20th July 1873.

W. 199.

To

The Secretary to the Government of India
Deptt of Agrie & Rev & Commerce

Sir,

With reference to your
Under Secretary letter dated 7th
November 1871, No. 558, I am
directed to inform you that the
Master Attendant has been
instructed to forward to you
by the first opportunity, a Box
for transmission to England, con-
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Forest Officers of this Presi-
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2. Enclosed is a list giving
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of Forests from which it will
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-mens are not forthcoming

I have &c

Sd

To Copy Dated 21st Feb 1870

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