Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
10th July 1873.

No. 98. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 18th June 1873, No. 1,047 :—

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 14th May 1873, No. 477, Revenue Department :—

ABSTRACT.—*Revenue credited as "Land Revenue, Miscellaneous."*—Letter from the Government of India requesting to be furnished with a copy of the orders on the subject of crediting the above to the head "Jungle Conservancy," communicated to the Board of Revenue for the submission of the orders issued by them.

A copy of the Board's Proceedings, dated 17th February 1873, No. 219, issued to Collectors on the receipt of G. O., dated 6th December 1872, No. 1,648, is herewith forwarded.

2. Up to date replies have been received only from five districts,* and in these the amount proposed and sanctioned to be transferred from "Land Revenue, Miscellaneous," to "Jungle Conservancy" is Rupees 8,000 while that from "Jungle Conservancy" to "Land Revenue, Miscellaneous," is Rupees 4,000.

* Bellary, Chingleput, North Arcot, Tinnevelly, and Malabar.

3. The Collectors concerned will be requested not to carry out the transfers already sanctioned till further orders. When reports are received from all the districts, and the exact amount requiring to be transferred from Imperial to Local Funds and *vice versa* is ascertained, the matter will be again laid before Government in view to the necessary reference being made to the Government of India.

No. 99. ORDER THEREON, 10th July 1873, No. 718.

Miscellaneous.

THE Governor in Council will await the report promised in the foregoing Proceedings, which, it is requested, may be submitted without any unnecessary delay.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Items of Miscellaneous Revenue, which it is suggested should be transferred to the Jungle Conservancy Fund under the spirit of Government Order, 5th June 1871, No. 992, (as per Jamabandy statement of Fasli 1280.)

Districts.	Item No. 2. Tax on trees on assessed and on unassessed lands.	Item No. 12. Grazing tax or Grass rent.	Item No. 13. Rent of gardens and topes.	Item No. 18. Hill collections.	Item No. 22. Honey rent.	Item No. 23. Wax rent.	Item No. 27. Cardamom rent.	Item No. 28. Rent on palmyra trees.	Item No. 29. Rent on soapnut trees.	Item No. 30. Rent on fruit trees.	Item No. 31. Rent on roots for dyeing cloths.	Item No. 32. Rent on medicinal roots.	Item No. 51. Ratan and Coray rents.	Included in the "Other items."										Grand Total.
														Sale proceeds of palmyra trees.	Sale proceeds of other trees.	Rent of Tangadu bark.	Pullari or Grass rent included after Jamabundy.	Sale of long grass.	Rent of tope.	Valal vari (or Grass rent.)	Sale proceeds of trees on Poruinboke lands.	Sale proceeds of trees on lands relinquished.	Sale proceeds of the products of Amani topes.	Rent of trees and topes on Railway lands under Class B. which have been since resumed.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1. Ganjam	...	...	702	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	752
2. Vizagapatam ...	...	292	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	160	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	453
3. Godavery... ...	13,354	2,864	1,055	...	...	...	...	88	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	17,371
4. Kistna	970	58,715	3,076	...	...	...	...	470	29	2,018	2,71	...	...	...	1,232	...	214	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,470	69,466
5. Nellore	...	32,284	...	...	13	1	...	584	1,500	989	8	700	...	1,234	5,807	68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,109	44,002
6. Cuddapah... ...	...	...	7,850	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,850
7. Bellary	...	4,215	6,955	...	...	...	...	60	...	1,9	...	...	...	1,296	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,296	13,528
8. Kurnool	142	1,000	7,793	...	5	...	...	739	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9,679
9. Madras	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	152	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	158
10. Chingleput ...	7,147	...	358	...	...	...	...	1,395	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	116	9,028
11. North Arcot ...	12,566	...	4,208	2,094	...	...	...	3,667	...	2,136	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	15	24,686
12. South Arcot ...	4,761	...	894	...	...	...	...	1,053	...	3,834	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10,542
13. Tanjore	49,463	...	2,830	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	183	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	52,621
14. Trichinopoly ...	10,105	...	884	...	79	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	23	20	25	416	484	11,552
15. Madura	8,848	11,108	64	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20,020
16. Tinnevelly ...	...	...	18,382	...	...	...	...	1,23,083	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,41,467
17. Coimbatore ...	1,000	1,341	...	...	...	...	...	12,428	...	863	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...	40	15,672
18. Nilgiris	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14
19. Salem...	...	19	1,285	40,320	...	98	...	...	...	6,119	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	47,841
20. South Canara...	233	...	317	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	550
21. Malabar	...	8	134	...	...	...	702	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	844
Total...	1,08,609	1,11,844	55,885	42,414	97	99	702	1,43,719	1,529	18,037	3,74	700	183	2,530	7,039	184	214	24	40	15	23	20	25	416	10,530	4,98,096
Deduct Tinnevelly...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,23,083	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
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(Signed) J. GROSE,
Secretary.

No. 219.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 17th February 1873.

Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 6th December 1872, No. 1,648, Revenue Department:—

No. 36. Read Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 29th August 1872, No. 1,722, submitting for orders proposal to transfer certain items of Land Revenue, Miscellaneous, to Jungle Conservancy Fund.

No. 37. ORDER THEREON, 6th December 1872, No. 1,648.

Miscellaneous.

THE Board have lately been led, as explained in their Proceedings, to consider what items of revenue now credited as "Land—Miscellaneous" should more properly be credited to the head of "Jungle Conservancy."

2. The Collectors of districts have suggested twenty-four items, the aggregate revenue derived from which is, in round numbers, five lakhs of Rupees. The Board select nine items producing a total revenue of Rupees 1,58,606.

3. The Government are unable to admit the claim of Jungle Conservancy to the first item on the list, as apparently none of the trees taxed are situate in tracts reserved as jungle.

4. Now that the Forest Department is on a new footing the correct principle is that revenue from *forest* products should go to "Forests," that from *jungles*, *i.e.*, village jungles, to Jungle Conservancy, and the rest of the items to "Land—Miscellaneous." The Board will be good enough to issue detailed instructions accordingly.

5. The Board's Enclosure A. is an interesting comparative statement, and should be printed for the advantage of district officers; there is great inequality in looking after these products in different parts of the Presidency.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.

COMMUNICATED to all Collectors.

2. Under the principle now enunciated by Government several of the items which are at present carried to the credit of the Jungle Conservancy Fund have to be in future credited to Land Revenue, Miscellaneous, or Forest, and *vice versâ*. For instance, the tax on Palmyra trees on occupied and unoccupied lands (not jungles, though sometimes but rarely they *are* jungles) in South Arcot, Salem, and Kistna have to be transferred from Jungle Conservancy to Land Revenue, Miscellaneous; the Grass rents in Kurnool, referred to in G. O., dated 17th August 1868, No. 21,855, and the Cardamom rent in Malabar, and Wax and Honey rents when they are forest products from Land Revenue, Miscellaneous, to Forest.

3. Collectors are therefore requested to submit to the Board a detailed statement showing the revenue which requires to be transferred from one head to another under the order of the Government above recorded, and after examining

the statement referred to in paragraph 5 of the G. O., which will be printed and circulated with these Proceedings, to point out whether any sources of revenue existing in other districts are neglected in theirs.

4. There may be cases in which the revenue from the same source, for instance Grass rents, have to be credited to two different heads according as they are derived from tracts reserved as jungles or otherwise, but this is inevitable under the principle laid down.

(True Extracts.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
for Secretary.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) M. JORDAN,
Acting First Assistant.

To all Collectors, with Statement.

Copy to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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Miscellaneous Revenue.—Proceedings of Government stating, with reference to proposed transfer of certain items of — to Jungle Conservancy Fund, that revenue from forest products should go to "Forests," that from village jungles to Jungle Conservancy, and rest of the items referred to to "Land—Miscellaneous," communicated to all Collectors with remarks.

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No. 1,047.

Miscellaneous Revenue.—Copy of Board's Proceedings, dated 17th February 1873, No. 219, regarding transfer of certain items of — to Jungle Conservancy Fund and *vice versa*, forwarded to Government with intimation that subject will be again laid before them when Collectors' reports on subject have been received.

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The Govt. & Council will admit the urgent. I remain &c the former Proceedings, which it is requested may be submitted without any unnecessary delay

Lieut

Collectorate 10th July 1873