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No. 190. Read the following letter from H. S. THOMAS, Esq., Collector of South Canara, to the Hon. W. HUDLESTON, Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Uppinangady, 20th February 1874, No. 346:—

In the forest tracts of this district it is usual for the ryots to sink pits for the capture of wild elephants with a view to taming and training them for work. Some of the elephants thus captured, however, die from the injuries received during their fall or by delay or neglect in taking them up. I have the honour to request the instructions of Government as to whether it is intended that the provisions of Act I. of 1873 (Madras), to prevent the indiscriminate destruction of wild elephants should be applied to cases in which elephants so captured may happen to die or the Government desire that people should be prohibited from digging such pits in Government forests.

No. 191. ORDER THEREON, 25th March 1874, No. 537.

The intention being not to destroy but to capture alive and tame these elephants, it is clear that the parties concerned cannot be proceeded against under the Act cited. No one, however, should be permitted to trap elephants in Government forests.

(True Extract.)

H. S. Thomas
Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Collector and Magistrate of South Canara.
Revenue Department.

Ed. A. S. Rodgers.

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