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and Commerce, (Forests,) to the H
the Government of Madras, Revenu
1876, No. 1,108 :—

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	NO.	RS.	NO.	RS.
Deputy Conservators on Rs. 700 per month ..	2	1,400	1	700
„ „ 500 „	3	1,500	3	1,500
„ „ 350 „	4	1,400	4	1,400
„ „ 250 „	6	1,500	6	1,500
Probationary Assistant Conservators on 0 per month	...	...	2	300
Supernumerary Deputy Conservators on 0 per month	..	..	1	250
al ...	15	5,800	17	5,650

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—	Permanent Batta.	Daily Batta.
	PER MONTH.	PER MONTH.
2 Probationary Assistant Co servators	Rs. 120 „ 120	Rs. 80 „ 80
Total ...	240	160

Hon. T. C. HOPE, Officiating Secre-
Department of Revenue, Agriculture,
D. F. CARMICHAEL, Secretary to
Department, dated Simla, 16th October

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No. 2. ORDER THEREON, 1st ...mber 1876, No. 1,552.

Forests, No. 1.

REFERRED, together with a copy of G.O., 28th July 1876, No. 1,005, to the Conservator for his remarks.

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...d) D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Secretary to Government.

To the Conservator of Forests.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

Govt. of Madras.

REVENUE.

To

THE CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS.

Dated November, 1st.

Read.

G.O., 1st November 1876, No. 1552.

NOVEMBER.

Nos. 1-2.

1. Travelling Allowance to Probationary Assistant Conservators of Forests.—Referring to the Conservator of Forests, for remarks, letter from the Government of India with regard to the proposal for granting increased —.

No 1108

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From

The Honourable T. C. Hope

Offg: Secretary to the Govt. of India

Department of Revenue, Agriculture

and Commerce.

To

The Secretary to the Government of

Madras

Forests

Simla, Dated the 16th October 1876.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 1006 dated the 28th July last, submitting for confirmation by the Government of India the orders passed by the Government of Madras in December 1875, on the subject of travelling allowances to be paid to Probationary Assistant Conservators of Forests.

2. From the papers received with your letter it is gathered that the existing staff of superior officers in the Forest Depart-

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tioned by the Government of India. If
the facts of the case are correctly under-
stood, the following is the present staff
as compared with that sanctioned:-

	Sanctioned		Existing	
	No.	Rupees	No.	Rupees
Deputy Conservators on Rupees 700, per month	2	1,400	1	700
——— Ditto ——— " 500 — Ditto —	3	1,500	3	1,500
——— Ditto ——— " 350 — Ditto —	4	1,400	4	1,400
——— Ditto ——— " 250 — Ditto —	6	1,500	6	1,500
Probationary Asst. Conservators on Rupees 150 per month. —	-	-	2	300
Supernumerary Deputy Conservators on Rupees 250 per month —	-	-	1	250
Total	15	5,800	17	5,650

Should the existing staff not be correctly
quoted, I am directed to request that with
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Under existing orders these officers are
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that they are in camp during 8 months
in the year would make their batta
equivalent to Rupees 80 per mensem. If
this is correctly understood the difference for
which confirmation is solicited is as follows:-

	Permanent Batta	Daily Batta
2 Probationary Assistant Conservators. ———	Rupees 120 per month — " 120 — " —	Rupees 80 per month — " 80 — " —
Total Rupees.	240 per month	160 per month

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The excess of Rupees 80 per month which these proposals will involve will apparently be covered by the saving of Rupees 150 per mensem shown in the table given in paragraph 2 of this letter.-

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to add, only be given for the current financial year, and on the understanding that the additional outlay caused thereby is covered by savings in the pay and allowances of the superior staff as indicated above. If by the end of 1876-77, the 2 Probationary Assistants in question have not been absorbed within the sanctioned scale, it will then be necessary to make a fresh application, and it should then also be explained in detail that the total cost of the superior staff will not exceed that sanctioned by the Government of India, namely Rupees 5,800 per mensem.

5. "With reference to the proposal made by the officiating Inspector of Forests in paragraph 9 of his letter No. 726 dated the 9th December 1875, I am directed to state that

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the expediency of placing trained officers specially selected for the service by Her Majesty's Secretary of State, on the list below Probationary Assistant Conservators, seems doubtful.

I have the honour to be
sir
Your most obedient servant

W Hope

Officiating Secretary to the
Government of India

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No 44/78
No 12886
Revenue 1876 Deptt.

From
The Govt of India
Revenue Deptt.

Dated 16th Oct 1876
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No 1108.

Order [illegible] 1876

Refused to the Conservator for [illegible]
together with a letter No 284 dated 76 No 1005
remarks.

31.10.

To Committee of Taxation Dept-1-11/76.
21 Oct 1876 10-11/76

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