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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

7th October 1878. No. 1,620.

Read the following paper:—

No. 56. From A. O. HUME, Esq.,
Department of Revenue, Agriculture,
Secretary to the Government of India,
1878, No. 910-F. Madras, dated Simla, 16th September

The attention of the Governor-General in Council has been drawn to the Proceedings of the Government of Madras for the month of June 1878, Nos. 166 to 170. The papers recorded seem to show that the protection of these forests from fire is impossible, because they cannot be closed the plains; and I am accordingly directed to suggest, for the consideration of His Grace the Governor in Council, whether it would not be practicable to devise some measures for closing the more valuable portions during the season when there is most risk from fire. The great value of these forests seems to be acknowledged by the Madras Government, and unless they are effectively protected against fire, their improvement is obviously impossible and their maintenance as a teak-producing forest is exceedingly doubtful.

2. I am also directed to state that the Governor-General in Council had read with interest the report on the working of the Jungle Conservancy Fund from its institution in 1860-61, recorded as Nos. 226-228 of the same Proceedings, and that His Excellency in Council will be glad to know the area in each Collectorate the receipts of which are credited to and expended by the administration of that Fund.

No. 57. ORDER THEREON, 7th October 1878, No. 1,620.

Forests, No. 3.

G.O., 20th July 1878, No. 1,105.

Copy of the order noted in the margin, deputing Captain C. Walker to Anamalais in view to measures being taken for the better conservancy of those forests, will be communicated to the Government of India with reference to paragraph 1 of the foregoing letter.

2. Paragraph 2 will be considered and reported on by the Board of Revenue.

3. The information desired by the Government of India is probably neither available nor easily to be obtained.

(True Extra)

(Signed) L. A. CAMPBELL,
Under Secretary to Government.

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

Ed. A. F. Goodall.

FROM

A. O. HUME, Esq., C.B.,

Secretary to the Government of India,
Department of Revenue,
Agriculture and Commerce,

TO

The Secretary to the
Government of Madras
Sum dated 16 Sept 1878.

Forests. Sir,

The attention of the Governor General in Council has been drawn to the Proceedings of the Government of Madras in the Revenue Department (Forests) for the month of June 1878, No. 166 to on the subject of the Andamallay forests. The papers referred seem to show that the protection of these forests from fire is impossible because they cannot be closed against traders and others coming up from the plains, and I am accordingly directed to suggest for

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Your most Obedt Servt,

W. H. Hume
Secretary to the Govt of India
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To the Board of Revenue & by 14 Oct
The Conservator of Forests

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