M.R.O. 1—77,000—8-6-37.

(1) Number of pages 8

(2) Date of repair 28.6.38

(3) Initials of the Referencer

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 768 Press / Mis.

Dated 23.3.1878.

Not to be folded or roughly handled

No 895

15

Note

The Act. Comptr. has made a separate reference regarding Rose Linen & their permanent employment & has recommended to the Govt. of India

Nilgiri Commissr Office
Ootacamund 26th Feby 1876

No 49
From

The Commissioner 37
Nilgiris

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
Fort St. George

Sir

With reference to your Official Memo-
=randum of the 15th Instant No 53 I have
the honor to report that the Temporary
Overseer on 50 Rs. per mensem was sanctioned
in Government Order of 17th November 1875
No 1703 for employment on the Pykara
Plantation. Subsequent to the appointment
of a temporary Overseer Mr. Powlson transferred
the Permanent Overseer at Neddiwuttum
to Pykara and the Temporary Overseer
to Neddiwuttum so as to keep him more
under his supervision, and to put a better
man in the more independent charge.
Mr. Powlson requires an Overseer at Nedde
=uttum to assist in working that large
plantation and to take sole charge of the
coolies during Mr. Powlson's absence at
Pykara

Pykara. During the barking season especially it is absolutely necessary to have the barkers under constant and careful supervision

2. I have in my letter submitting the Budget Estimate for 1878-79 brought to notice that one Overseer is not sufficient for the two plantations at Pykara which are separated by the Pykara River and Government has admitted the allotment for an additional Overseer pending formal sanction which will be applied for.

3. The services of the Temporary Overseer cannot therefore be dispensed with and he should be brought on the permanent Establishment

4. As reported in my letter No 172 of 21 December 1874 the writer was entertained by the late Dr. McIvor without apparently the sanction of Government to assist Narrainsawmy at Dodabetta. His pay was debited to working charges. Subsequently he was transferred to duty in the Superintendents Office. I have proposed his appointment

appointment of a writer on the regular Establishment for duty at the Dodabetta Plantations and of another writer on the same pay for the Superintendents Office

5. The Nursery Overseer was sanctioned in Government Order 19 September 1876 No 1290. In submitting the Budget for 1878/79 I have included his pay under the Special Head "Nurseries" His duties are:-

1st To see that the Nurseries are properly watered and kept in good order

2nd To count and deliver plants to purchasers

3rd To pack the seed

4th To attend to Propagation House

He is also employed in copying from the Estate Journal the daily reports sent by my Office.

6. As none of these individuals can be dispensed with I have the honor to recommend that the appointments may be made permanent

Revenue 1878 Depts

From No 895

The Comptroller
Of Accts

To

The Secy to Govt
Rev: Dept
Fort St George

Dated 26th July 1878
Recd 28th July

No 949

Replying
to Offl: Memo
No 4307 of 15th July
1878 regarding Temporary
Establt in connection with
Cinchona Plantations.
No 768
Lodged.
23d Mar/78.

6 19 July 176 to 174-75
17 November 287-90
16 Sept 75 167-68