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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

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6th May 1880, No. 518.

No. 38. READ THE FOLLOWING PAPER:—

Endorsement of the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Ootacamund, 17th April 1880, No. 845.

From R. S. BENSON, Esq., District Magistrate, Nílgiris, to R. DAVIDSON, Esq., C.S.I., Chief Secretary to Government, Ootacamund, dated Ootacamund, 14th April 1880, No. 119.

I HAVE the honor to inform you that the Hospital Pound-keeper at Wellington reports to me that rinderpest is said by the bandymen plying on the Coonoor Ghât to have just appeared at Mettupálaiyam among the draught cattle at that place and that some deaths have already occurred.

2. I have addressed the Collector of Coimbatore, and suggested that if the rumour is found to be correct it would be well to apply to Government to extend Act II of 1866 to Coimbatore, to enable him to appoint an Hospital Pound-keeper at Mettupálaiyam with a view both to checking the spread of the disease to other villages in his district and also to prevent cattle showing symptoms of disease from starting for the Hills, and thus endangering the safety of the large numbers of draught animals now plying on the ghât.

3. I have also instructed the Police to exercise especial vigilance at our boundary and to impound any animals found to be diseased.

TRANSFERRED to the Revenue Department.

(Signed) R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

No. 39. ORDER THEREON, 6th May 1880, No. 518.

Miscellaneous. RECORDED.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. G. MASTER,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Magistrate, Nilgiris.
„ the Board of Revenue.

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District Magistrate's Office
Ootacamund 14th April 1880.

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No. 119.

From

W. A. Benson Esqr:
District Magistrate
Nilgiris

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Ootacamund

Sir,

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3. I have also instructed the police to exercise especial vigilence at our boundary and to impound any animals found bitten diseased

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
Ralph A. Benson
District Magistrate
Nilgiris

Requisition for supply (1880) Despatch of Cattle Disease Report by Dr. Murray Surgeon Madras 1879 from the Chief Secretary No. 2345 to Government dated 14 April 1880 Rec'd. R.D. Print 6.5.80

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