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No. 114. READ THE FOLLOWING PAPER:—

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 30th April 1880, No. 595.

ABSTRACT.—Submitting for orders of Government letter from Superintendent of Revenue Survey proposing a scale of price for village maps of Nilgiri District for sale to the public.

No. 115. ORDER THEREON, 17th May 1880, No. 557.

Miscellaneous.

APPROVED and sanctioned.

(True Extract)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
„ the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

Exd. W. H. French

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No. 595.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE, dated 30th April 1880.

Read the following letter from F. C. PUCKLE, Esq., Deputy Superintendent, Madras Survey, in charge of Revenue Survey Office, to C. A. GALTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Madras, 21st April 1880, No. 61-B:—

I HAVE the honor to request that the orders of Government may be obtained as to the rate at which the sixteen-inch village maps in the Nilgiri District should be prepared for sale to the public.

2. In G.O., No. 140, dated 22nd January 1863, the price laid down for village maps on this scale in the plains is from 4 annas per 1,000 acres up to 1 rupee for 5,000 acres and upwards, and in G.O., No. 570, dated 10th April 1878, it was ordered that the price of coffee and other estate maps should be at the rate of 1 rupee per 100 acres.

3. Many estates are comprised within the Nilgiri village maps, and the details on these village maps are as minute as those exhibited on such of the estate maps as have been published separately and for which the higher charge is made; if therefore the Nilgiri maps are sold at the same rate as village maps on the plains it will constantly happen that a proprietor can purchase a copy of the village map showing, not only his own estate, but all the country round it, for very much less than he would pay for a copy of his estate by itself.

4. In view of the above and of the fact that the Nilgiri village maps have cost very much more to prepare than similar maps on the plains, and seeing that the class of estate proprietors from whom the greatest demand for the maps will come are far wealthier than the ryots in the plains, I submit the following scale for approval:—

Rs. 1 per 100 acres up to 500 acres and an additional rupee for every additional 500 acres.

5. I should add that the areas of these villages, as far as published, range from 180 acres up to 6,100 acres, so that the prices range from Rs. 2 for the smallest to Rs. 17 for the largest map.

SUBMITTED for the orders of Government.

2. The circumstances of the Nilgiri Hills are so different from those of the plains that some special arrangement seems needed to regulate the sale of village maps, which are larger and more costly than those of ordinary villages; the scale proposed by the Acting Superintendent, Revenue Survey, seems to meet the requirements of the case.

(A true Copy and Extract.)

C. A. Galton
Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

Copy to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

" " Commissioner of Nilgiris.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.

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