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4TH AUGUST 1883, No. 937, REVENUE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—again G.O., dated 30th May 1883, No. 674, Revenue.

Read—also the following letter from W. WILSON, Esq., M.A., Director of Revenue Settlement and Agriculture, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, dated 9th July 1883, No. 890:—

I have the honor, with reference to G.O., No. 674, dated 30th May last, to inform you that the Conservators of Forests of the Northern and Southern Divisions, and Dr. Bidie, the Superintendent of the Central Museum at Madras, with whom I communicated on the subject, report that the dogbane known as *Parameria glandulifera* is not, to their knowledge, indigenous in this Presidency.

ORDER—dated 4th August 1883, No. 937, Revenue.

Miscellaneous.

The authorities to whom the Order read above was communicated report that the *Parameria* is not indigenous in

this Presidency, and that no specimen is found in the Madras Herbarium.

2. In Mr. Gamble's Indian Timbers, the *Parameria* is said to be chiefly found in Burma. It grows also in Martaban and the Philippines. The *Parameria glandulifera*, Mr. Lawson reports to be identical with the *Ecdysanthera glandulifera* of Wight's Eikones.

3. The attention of the Superintendent, Government Chinchona Plantations, Parks and Gardens, Nilgiris, and of the Forest Department, will be directed to the suggestion made in the enclosure to Mr. Threlton Dyer's letter, read in G.O., 30th May 1883, No. 674, as to the propagation of the *Landolphia*, a few plants of which species were lately received from Ceylon.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) H. E. STOKES,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

- To the Board of Revenue.
" Superintendent, Government Chinchona Plantations,
Parks and Gardens, Nilgiris.
" Honorary Secretary, Agri-Horticultural Society, Madras.
" Director of Revenue Settlement and Agriculture.
" Superintendent, Government Central Museum.
" Honorary Secretary, Wynaad and Shevaroy Planters' Associations.

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G.O., 4th August 1883, No. 937.

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Parameria glandulifera.

Stating that the authorities to whom the Order regarding the — was communicated, report that it is not indigenous in this Presidency, and directing the attention of the Superintendent, Government Chinchona Plantations, and of the Forest Department, to the suggestion made in the enclosure to Mr. Thielton Dyer's letter, read in G.O., 30th May 1883, No. 674, as to the propagation of the *Landolphia*.

GOVERNMENT CENTRAL MUSEUM.

21, PANTHEON ROAD

Madras 21st Aug 1883

My dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 18th inst. & in reply write to say, that we have not got a specimen of *Parameria glandulifera*, Roeth. in the Museum Herbarium nor am I aware that it is found in S. India.

We have Ecdysanthera
brachiata A. DC. from
Sikkim, but that
is quite another
plant. I return
with thanks Mr.
Lansons note.

Yours sincerely

Ledie

Hope you are having
better weather: delightful
here: Kind regards

Extract from Mr. Gamble's Indian Trees.
Apocynaceae 15

Tribe i. Cariceae.

Tribe ii. Plumerieae.

Tribe iii. Schilideae.

Vallaris, Wrightia

..... Parameeria

Epgynum etc.

*The remaining genera of climbers
..... Parameeria
are chiefly Burmese but contain
few species of any great importance
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My dear Peck
Parasmeria glandulifera,
Benth: in Gen: Plant: ii. 785.
is the same thing as
Ecdysanthera glandulifera,
Wight &c: 1307 (E. Griffithii, in
text)

I was not aware before
that this species was
indigenous in the Peninsula.

I thought I had written
before to suggest that
Dr. Bidie should be asked

to look in the botanicum
at Madras and see if any
specimens are present
then from any part of
Southern India.

I hope next Sunday
will be fine - I am
going out to Reddichiam
on Thursday, unless we
have another spurt
of "terrable" weather!

I am
yrs sincerely
J. H. L. L. L.

Extract from Wright's Sikone 8 X 9

Bodysanthera Griffithii, ~~Griffithii~~
R. W. Griffith

leaves obovate-lanceolate acute, tapering
towards the base, short petioled, glabrous
(when dry yellowish beneath), calyx lobes
ovate acute and with the peduncles
pedicels, bracts corolla, pilose: calyx
glands numerous: corolla sinistrorsely
convolute: nectary cupuleform entire,
crenate: ovary pilose, follicles long
slender moniliform.

Malacca, Griffith.

When naming the drawing
which I did before writing the description
I committed the egregious blunder
of overlooking the direction of the

"as to the fact that, finding the
"plant agree in so many particulars
"with the character & description of
"E. glandulifera, considered it the same &
"species & named it accordingly, an
"error which I beg may be corrected.
"So perfect is the agreement between the
"two plants that excepting the coloration
"of the form of the seed, which is
"scarcely oblong, Dr Lindley's de-
"scription might almost be copied
"for this species. The points of
"distinction however are of sufficient
"importance to establish this as a
"distinct species."

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Parameria glandulifera

Does from Mr. Addison & Dr. Biddermann
can extract from Mr. Gambles' Indian Tribes

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DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE SETTLEMENT
AND AGRICULTURE,

Madras, 9 July 1883.

No. 890

From

W. Wilson Esqre M.A.
DIRECTOR OF REVENUE SETTLEMENT
AND AGRICULTURE,
Madras,

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

SIR,

I have the honor with reference
to G. O. No. 674 dated 30th May last to inform
you that the Conservators of Forests of the
Northern and Southern Divisions and
Dr. Biddermann the Superintendent of the
Central Museum at Madras with whom
I communicated on the subject report
that the dog-bane known as Parameria
glandulifera is not to their knowledge
indigenous in this presidency.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant
W. Wilson

Director of Revenue Settlement
and Agriculture

Revenue Department
No. 4454

The Director of Revenue
Settlement and
Agricultural

Madras
To the Secretary to Government
Revenue Department

Marked
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No. 890

Informing that the Census
-veter of Forests & Forest
-Police with whom the
Director Council in the
subject report that the
Saguna known as Pong
-mace is of Candulipera
is not to be there
-large indigenous in
this Presidency

S. C. to the

5/12/7

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Revenue Department

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read again B.O. 30th May 1883
no: 674

" " the following letter

" " Current no: 4454
[in full]

C. C.

The authorities to whom the
order read above was communicated
report that the Paramonia is not
indigenous in this Presidency
and that no specimen is found
in the Madras Herbarium.

I did not know we
had young Landolfia
where are they?

In Mr. Gamble's Indian
timbers the Paramonia is said to
be chiefly found in Burma. It
grows also in Martaban & the
Philippines. The P. glandulifera
Dr. Dawson reports to be identical
with the Ecdysanthera glandulifera
of Wright's Eikon.

The attention of Mr.
Peppatt Govt. Chuchoua Plantation

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of the Forest Department are to
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made in the enclosure to Mr.
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^{as} dandelion^{plants}, a few of which
^{of which} were lately received from

Ceylon.

CCN

25.7.80.

To Board of Revenue
4 Supa! Govt. Ch: Al: Parks & Gardens, Nilgiris
W. Hall, Secy. Agr. & Hort. Socy
Madras
25. Director Per: S. H. & Agnelli.
3. Supa! Govt. Central Museum
W. H. L. W. Hall & Fisheries Station
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Paramenia glandulifera

For the Secretary

I have attempted to
draft on this but think the papers
had better go for orders with
the draft order, in case it prove
of any use, the extracts have
made from Wright & Gamble
the D.O.s. of Messrs. Lawson & Aldie
to.

The Right Hon.^{ble}

The Governor.

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on memo has been

sent on 10.2. The

Governor's note

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