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20TH OCTOBER 1892, No. 1082, REVENUE.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), dated 16th September 1892, Forest No. 494:—

MR. A. T. ARUNDEL.

Read—the following letter from C. F. MACCARTIE, Esq., Collector of Nilgiris, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle), dated Ootacamund, 24th November 1891, No. 1392:—

I have the honour to forward, herewith, for the approval of Government and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, a draft notification extending to the Kumbarakolli forest the rules sanctioned under sections 33 and 26 (f) for the Mudumalai leased forest.

Endorsement by J. W. CHERRY, Esq., Acting Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dated Coimbatore, 10th December 1891, No. 2302.

Forwarded and recommended.

2. The Collector proposes to extend to the Kumbarakolli forest the rules that were approved for the Mudumalai forest in Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd August 1889, No. 435-F.

Reference on the above, dated 21st March 1892.

The draft notification should be amended in the manner pointed out in paragraph 2 of Government Order, dated 13th November 1888, No. 6749, Revenue, printed at page 4 of Board's Proceedings, dated 23rd August 1889, No. 435-F., and should be drawn up in terms similar to those of paragraph 1 of Notification No. 1 appended to Government Order, dated 1st July 1889, No. 545, printed in the same Board's Proceedings.

2. The Collector is also requested to forward for reference a copy of the revised lease executed with reference to Government Order, dated 3rd February 1891, No. 72.

(Signed) H. A. SIM,
Acting Secretary.

To the Collector of Nilgiris, with one enclosure returned.

Read—also the following letter from J. D. REES, Esq., C.I.E., Collector of Nilgiris, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue (through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle), dated Ootacamund, 23rd June 1892, No. 527:—

With reference to Board's Reference, dated 21st March 1892, on Forest Register No. 2565 of 1891, I have the honour to submit the revised notification therein called for, together with a copy of the revised lease.

2. No material alteration has been made in the rules which are almost identical with those sanctioned for Mudumalai; but under rule (3) of the rules under section

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26 (f), I have added the words "any particular description of game," to enable the Collector to protect the females, young, &c.

Endorsement by J. W. CHERRY, Esq., Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle,
dated Coimbatore, 9th July 1892, No. 1722.

Forwarded.

2. The Board's Reference quoted by the Collector has not been communicated to this office.

Resolution—dated 16th September 1892, Forest No. 494.

In the papers read above, the Collector of Nilgiris proposes to extend to the Kumbarakolli forest, which was added to the Mudumalai forest under the revised lease sanctioned in Government Order, dated 3rd February 1891, No. 72, the rules prescribed for the latter in Government Order, dated 1st July 1889, No. 545.

2. The rules now proposed for the Kumbarakolli forest are substantially the same as those already approved for the Mudumalai forest, the only difference being the addition of the words "any particular description of game" in rule 3 of the rules proposed under section 26 (f) for the Kumbarakolli forest.

3. To avoid repetition, the Board recommends that the draft notification now submitted be amended so as to include both forests and issued in supersession of the former notification instead of in addition to it as proposed by the Collector.

4. The necessary amendments have been made in red ink in the Collector's draft which is submitted to Government for approval and publication.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) F. LEVY,
for Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with two enclosures.

Copy to the Collector of Nilgiris.
" " Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.
" " Examiner of Forest Accounts.

ORDER—dated 20th October 1892, No. 1082, Revenue.

Forest, No. 246.

The draft notification, as modified by the Board of Revenue, is approved and will be published in the Fort St. George and Nilgiri District Gazettes.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) C. A. GALTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissioners of Land Revenue,
" the Superintendent, Government Press,
with notification.

NOTIFICATION.

In supersession of Notifications Nos. 212 and 213, dated 1st July 1889, published at pages 516-17, Part I of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated 30th July 1889, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to issue the following notifications:—

(1) Whereas, under clause (a) of section 33 of Act V of 1882 (Madras Forest Act), the Government has undertaken the management of the forests and waste lands specified in the schedule hereto annexed, known as the Mudumalai and Kumbarakolli forests, and situated in the Nambalakod amsam of South-east Wynaad, in the Nilgiri District; and whereas, it is hereby notified under the said section that the provisions of section 26, chapter III of the said Act shall apply to the said forest and waste lands.

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SCHEDULE.

District and Registration district.	Registration sub district.	Amsam.	Desam.	Name of forest.	Survey and Settlement number.	Area in acres.	Boundaries.
Nilgiris ..	Gudalur ..	Nambalakod.	Mudumalai.	Mudumalai.	1	46,639.48	North.—The Mysore territory. South.—Gudalur desam, the Moyar river, Sri Madurai desam and Cherumuli desam. East.—The Mysore territory and Todanad boundary. West.—Boundary of Munanad amsam and North Malabar district, Wynaad taluk, Ganapatti Vattam amsam.
Do. ..	Do. ..	Do. ..	Gudalur ..	Kumbarakolli.	1 2 3	605.05 249.92 888.00 28.49	North.—The Bithur halla. South and east.—The Moyar river. West.—Settlement Nos. 4 to 8, 9, 10 and 11 of Gudalur desam.
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2. It is further notified that the Governor in Council has made the following rules under section 26 of the said Act, and that these rules shall apply to the said Mudumalai and Kumbarakolli forests:—

Rules.

- (1) No person shall fell, girdle, mark, lop, tap, uproot or burn or strip off the bark or leaves from, or otherwise damage, any tree growing on the said lands or remove the timber or collect the natural produce of such trees or lands or quarry or collect stone, lime, gravel or earth which has any commercial value, upon such lands, unless he is authorised so to do by the Collector or some person duly empowered in that behalf by the Collector.
- (2) The Collector may select any of the said lands to be constituted fuel and fodder reserves or grazing grounds or to be placed under special fire-protection. After the limits of these areas have been clearly indicated and duly notified in the District Gazette, no person within such areas shall wilfully or negligently set fire to the trees, timber, grass or other forest produce, or shall kindle or keep burning any fire except at such places and subject to such precautions as may be prescribed by the Collector by notification in the District Gazette.
- (3) Any breach or infringement of the above rules will render the offender liable, on conviction by a Magistrate, to imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to one month, or fine which may extend to 200 rupees, or both.
- (2) Under section 26 (f) of Act V of 1882 (Madras Forest Act), the Governor in Council makes the following rules to regulate the hunting, shooting and fishing and to forbid the poisoning of water and setting of traps or snares in the lands described in the schedule appended to Notification (1) *supra*.
 - (1) No person shall hunt, fish, or shoot within the limits of the Mudumalai and Kumbarakolli forests unless he has obtained a license from the Collector of the Nilgiris. Provided that the foregoing rule shall not apply to holders of licenses granted under the rules under section 21 (A) of the said Act published at page 1117 of the Fort St. George Gazette, dated 21st December 1886.
 - (2) The payment to be made for such license shall be Rs. 15 and the said license shall not be transferable. It shall be available only for the currency of the *faali* year to which it relates, whether it be taken out at the commencement of or during the currency of the year.
 - (3) The Collector of the Nilgiris may, by a notification in the District Gazette, from time to time, declare during what season such license will entitle the holder to hunt or shoot any particular description of game or to fish within the limits of the said forest.
 - (4) The Collector may, from time to time, by notification in the District Gazette, declare that the whole or any particular portion of the said forests shall be closed against hunting, shooting and fishing in any year or during any portion of a year; and after the publication of such notification, no license taken out under rule (1) will be held to give authority to hunt, shoot or fish in such forest or portion thereof.
 - (5) The poisoning of water or the setting of traps or snares for game in the above forests is absolutely forbidden.
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G.O., 20th October 1892, No. 1082.

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Kumbarakolli forest.

Draft notification extending to the — the rules sanctioned under sections 33 and 26 of the Forest Act for the Mudumalai forest, approved and ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and Nilgiri District Gazettes.

BOARD OF REVENUE (LAND REVENUE), 16TH SEPTEMBER 1892, FOREST No. 494.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE).

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J. W. Cherry
for Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
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" " Examiner of Forest Accounts.

Exd. J. Moses.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Board of Revenue.

(Land Revenue),

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Order

The draft notification as modified by the Board of Revenue, is approved and will be published in the Fort St. George and Nilgiri District Gazettes.

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Proceedings, dated 16th September 1892,
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The Commr of Land Rev.

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notification under 526 f
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Submitting to Government, for approval and publication, a draft notification for extending to the Kumbarakolli forest the Rules under sections 33 (a), 26, and 26 (f) of the Forest Act sanctioned for the Mudumalai forest in the Nilgiri district.

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Exempt from Stamp duty under Article 18 Schedule II of Act I of 1879

By C. J. Mac. Cantie.
Collector.

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Collector
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The following are the terms of the Agreement entered into between Thacharavil Manavir Kravan Tirumalpad hereinafter called the Lessor of the one part and the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India in Council represented by the Collector of Nilgiris hereinafter called the Lessee of the other part.

Whereas by a Kuran or lease dated 5 day of October 1863 executed by the Lessor of the one part and the Collector of Nilgiris of the other part a tract of land called the Mudumalai Forests was leased by the Lessee for a term of ninety nine years reckoned from the 21st March 1863 to 21st March 1962 for an annual payment of Rupees (3500) three thousand five hundred only.

And Whereas the parties to this agreement desire to effect certain modifications in the terms of the lease above quoted and to include an additional tract lying to the South east of the Mudumalai Forests the two tracts being situated in the Kumbalakod Amsam the Tanjamm propship of the Lessor in the Registration District of Nilgiris in the Subregistration district of Gudalur and more particularly described

James
Collector

Enclosure No. 2
to G.R. No. 3916 of 1892

In supersession of notifications No. 212 & 213 dated July 1, 1881, published at pages 516-17 of the first of George's Gazette, 1881, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to issue the following notification:—

Encl. No. 1
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Whereas under clause (a) of Section 33 of Act V of 1882 (Kandoo Forest Act) the Government has undertaken the management of the forests and waste lands specified in the Schedule hereto annexed, known as the Kumbalakott Forests and situated in the Namalakott Amshom of South East Wynad in the Nilgiri District, it is hereby notified under the said Section that the provisions of Section 26, Chapter III of the said Act, shall apply to the said Forest and waste lands.

Schedule.

District and Registration District.	Registration Sub-district.	Amshom.	Desam.	Name of forest.	Survey and Settlement No.	Area in acres.	Boundaries.
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			Gudalur	Kumbalakott	1	605.05	North - The Pittur Kalla.
					2	249.92	South & East - The Moyar River.
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2. It is further notified that the Governor in Council has made the following rules under Section 26 of the said Act and that these rules shall apply to the said Mudumalai & Kumbalakott.

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Kumbhakalli forests

Rules.

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(2) The Collector may select any of the said lands to be constituted fuel and fodder Reserves or grazing-grounds or to be placed under special fire protection. After the limits of these areas have been clearly indicated, and duly notified in the District Gazette, no person within such areas shall wilfully or negligently set fire to the trees, timber, grass or other forest produce, or shall kindle or keep burning any fire except at such places, and subject to such precautions, as may be prescribed by the Collector by notification in the D. Gazette.

(3) Any breach or infringement of the above rules will render the offender liable on conviction by

by a Magistrate to imprisonment of either description as defined in the Indian Penal Code for a term which may extend to one month, or fine which may extend to 200 Rs or both.

Notification no. Under Section 26 of Act V of 1882, (Madras Forest Act) the Governor in Council makes the following rules to regulate the hunting, shooting and fishing and to forbid the poisoning of water and setting of traps or snares, in the lands described in the schedule appended to notification no. x

(1) No person shall hunt, fish, or shoot within the limits of the ^{Madumalai} Kumbhakalli Forest unless he has obtained a license from the Collector of the District. Provided that the ^{foregoing} rule shall not apply to holders of licenses granted under the rules under Section 21 (b) of the said Act, published at page 1117 of the Fort St. George Gazette dated 21st December 1886, ~~to holders of licenses to shoot in the Madumalai Forest under the rules under Section 26 of the said Act, published at page 516 of the Fort St. George Gazette dated 30th July 1889.~~

(2) The payment to be made for such license shall be Rs 15 and the said license shall not be transferable. It shall be available only for the currency up to the Fasli year to which it relates, whether it be taken ^{up} at the commencement

of or during the currency of the year.

3. The Collector of the taluqs may, by a notification in the District Gazette, from time to time, declare during what season such licensee will entitle the holder to hunt or shoot any particular description of game or ^{to} fish within the limits of the said forest.

4. The Collector may from time to time by notification in the District Gazette, declare that the whole or any particular portion of the said forest shall be closed against hunting, shooting and fishing in any year or during any portion of a year; and after the notification publication of such notification, no license taken out under rule 1 will be held to give authority to hunt, shoot or fish in such forest or portion thereof.

5. The poisoning of water or the setting of traps or snares for game in the above forests is absolutely forbidden.

6. Any breach or infringement of the above rules will render the offender liable

liable, on conviction by a Magistrate, to imprisonment of either description, as defined in the Indian Penal Code, for a term which may extend to one month or fine which may extend to Rs 200 or both.

per
Collector

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