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G.O., No. 4691
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Dated ~~29th September~~ 15th December 1893

[Despatch Abstract.]

Approving ~~the~~ Board's proposals regarding the promotion of certain Forest officers

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Board of Revenue

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To

The Secretary to Government,

R. D.,

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS
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REVENUE DEPARTMENT

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Proceedings, dated 24 November 189 3

Forest No. 1482. Misc.

Subject.

Reporting on the work and qualifications of certain assistant Conservators of forests who are eligible for promotion to the Deputy Conservators Grade.

In connection with the subject the question of promotion to the I. F. S. [illegible] to the U. P. [illegible] is [illegible]

Extract from the Accountant General's
letter dated 23rd October 1893, No. 1739
(Forest Register No. 3594 of 1893)

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para 3. Certain Dt Forest officers,
such as those of Vizagapatam
and Ganjam are chronically so late
in returning my objection statements
the Dt Forest Officer, Vizagapatam
usually retains them for over a month,
a week being the prescribed time-
that it will not be advisable
to introduce the combined form
in them until they begin to return
the objection statement more
punctually.

(True Extract)

Secretary

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Vizagapatam,
9th July 1892.

My dear Beyer,

I am sorry to say that I am obliged to recommend that my 2d. Forest Officer be transferred to another district. He is possessed of excellent abilities and can do very good work when he likes, but he is liable to fits of reminiscences during which I can get little or nothing out of him. Forest work comes so little under my notice here that neglect of work can go on for a considerable time without it attracting my notice particularly when I am in the Agency and I think he would do much better in a district where the forest interests were greater and of a less

less prospectus description than here.

The chief faults I have to find with him are inordinate delay in the disposal of various items of business, inattention to urgent calls and general want of control over his subordinates owing to his occasionally casual way of doing his work.

He has been most remiss in the submission of his diaries though repeatedly warned that I would apply for his transfer if he did not submit them punctually. I enclose a letter from the Conservator on the subject. The two last diaries mentioned in it were received on the 4th July and now here. They also were utterly worthless and gave no information

Yours truly

(Signed) W. A. Willock.

P.S. A district with a less attractive Hd Quarters than Waltair would be better for him.

(True Copy)

Lawyer
Secretary

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Enclosure No. 2
To Current No. 870

Mr. & C. McCarthy 6
W. O. 2056 d 3-6-93
D. O. dated 8th May 1893.

To
C. F. Wenton Esq. Secretary to Government
H. Thornton Esq. Treasurer, Trincomalee
R. Pyle Esq. Collector of Customs, Colombo
H. B. Jackson Esq. Collector of Customs, Chilaw

My dear Mac Carlie

The marginally noted Assistant Conservators of Forests, 2nd grade, have passed the requisite examinations prescribed for promotion to the 1st grade and are recommended by the Conservators for promotion to that grade with reference to para 47 of the Madras Forest Code. The Board supports this recommendation and submits draft minutes of appointment accordingly for His Excellency the Governor's approval.

2. The Board had doubts about recommending Mr. McCarthy for promotion owing to unfavorable reports it had received principally about his office and account work. The present Conservator (Mr. Peet) however attributes his errors to his having been owing to the short handedness of the

the Department, placed in independent charge of a district at a very early period of his official career before he could pick up sufficient knowledge of office work, and, after a personal examination of his work, is now able to say that he is far from wanting in ability. Under the circumstances the Board submits Mr. McArthy's name also for promotion. This officer has, however, been informed that he will not be recommended for promotion to the grade of Dy. Conservator until he has shown a marked improvement in his work.

Yours Sincerely
(Signed) W.S. Meyer
ag. Secretary

(True Copy)

Secretary.

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Enclosure No. 3
To Current No. 872

D/o. to the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle dated 5th May 1893.

My dear Peet,

With reference to your letter of 15th April, No. 112, I am to say that though the Board has sent up Mr. McArthy's name for promotion to the 1st grade of Assistant Conservators, it has only done so with considerable hesitation, and that this officer should be warned that he will not receive further promotion, but will, on the contrary, be superseded, unless he shows a marked improvement over his past work.

Yours Sincerely
(Signed) W.S. Meyer,
ag. Secretary.

(True copy)

Secretary.

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE * MADRAS *

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

Dated 21st November 1892.

Forest No. 1253. Miscellaneous.

J. W. Cherry Esquire

READ the following endorsement of the Conservator of Forests Southern circle, dated 12th November 1892, No. 3004, on office-note from Ci. Dw. Pre. Lowton Esquire, District Forest Officer, Tinnevelly, dated 15th September 1892, No. 2864 forwarding plan and Estimate for the Papanasam new road.

Copy with enclosures in original, submitted to the Board of Revenue.

Money has already been spent on this work before sanction which is altogether irregular.

Moreover, as the work is likely to be an expensive one, an Estimate and report should have been prepared for the whole road, and if sanctioned, the portion to be constructed each year, should have been budgeted for.

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the existing road is certainly a bad one, very steep in parts, and unnecessarily long.

The new trace will be a great improvement, but fuller information is wanted to justify the expenditure on it.

Resolution.

The Board entirely concurs in the conservators remarks and declines to sanction any outlay for the new road till it is in possession of full information with proper estimates and a plan showing the road as far as Kundanthorai.

2. The Collector is requested to explain the unauthorized expenditure referred to in para 2 of the Conservators endorsement.

(True Copy and Extract)

(Signed) W. S. Meyer
Actg. Secretary.

To
The Conservator of Forests, S.C.
The Collector of Tinnevelly.

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MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

Dated 6th December 1892.

Forest No. 1321. Miscellaneous.

J. W. Cherry Esquire.

Read letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern circle, dated 3rd November 1892, No. 2886, forwarding for sanction plan and Estimate of Mandanthorai Bungalow with the connected correspondence relating thereto.

Resolution.

The estimate for the reconstruction of the Mandanthorai Bungalow forwarded with the letter read above is sanctioned.

2. The District Forest Officer must bear in mind the Conservators remark* conveyed in his original sanction order that works should not be commenced until after they have been

*. Sanctioned but it is observed that this is another instance of works being begun in this District before necessary sanctions has been first obtained, and the District Forest Officer will please put a stop to this disobedience of rules.

(Signed) J. W. Cherry
Conservator S.C.

been sanctioned by a duly competent authority.

(True Extract)

(Signed) W. P. Meyer
Ag: Secretary.

To
The Collector of Tinnevelly thro' the
Conservator of Forests, S.C.,
with plan & estimate returned.
The Examiner of Forest Accounts.

(True Copy)

Ag: Secretary.

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE
MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

Dated 30 January 1893.

Forest No. 79. Miscellaneous.

*J. W. Cherry Esquire.

READ Endorsement of the Conservator of Forests, Southern circle, dated 16 January 1893. No. 76, forwarding Tinnevelly District Forest Officer's explanation for the expenditure on the new Papanasam Road.

Resolution.

The commencement of the work without sanction was irregular and was not justified by emergency. The District Forest Officer must be careful to guide himself by the rules in future.

(True Extract)

(Signed) W. P. Meyer.
Ag: Secretary.

To
The Conservator of Forests, S.C.,

(True Copy)

Ag: Secretary.

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Extract from the Southern circle Conservator's Administration Report for 1892—93, dated 18th September 1893.

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The only fault that can be found is with Mr Thornton who is too impetuous with his reforms, and is inclined to disregard regulations for the conduct of his office and for the supply of funds.

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(signed) J. W. Chemp.

(True Extract)

Secretary.

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE * MADRAS *

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

Dated 16 February 189~~3~~

Forest No. 151. Miscellaneous.

READ the following letter from E. D. M. Hooper Esquire, Acting Conservator of Forests, Northern circle, dated 20 October 1892. No 502C, and referred thereon, dated 25 October 1892.

I have the honor to submit for the favorable consideration of the Land Revenue Commissioners an office-note from the District Forest Officer, Vizagapatam, asking for sanction to certain charges to be incurred in an urgent transfer from the Cuddapah District in 1889 (1890?). He appears to have wrongly disbursed the amount of Rs 329-9-0 from Government Funds for the conveyance of his effects in anticipation of sanction or rather in ignorance of his requiring such sanction and the present reference is necessitated by an objection raised long ago by the Examiner of Forest Accounts

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to the admission of the charge for want of sanction of the Board on a formal bill.

2. Mr. McArthy has after considerable delay declared his inability to make out a bill or to separate out the items which would represent the cost of carriage of his private effects as opposed to his camp equipage and I have therefore decided to forward this through the Examiner who may further advise the Board as to the amount that may be passed under the rules if the whole sum be not admissible.

3. The District Forest Officer's communication with my office regarding a special form does not appear to have been in writing or to have been a personal one on his part nor was it made with my knowledge.

Referred to the Examiner of Forest Accounts through whom the conservator's letter should have come for full report. The Board desires special information regarding what seems to be a grave irregularity referred to in the second sentence of Mr. Hooper's letter.

Read also endorsement from E. B. H. Hooper Esquire, acting conservator of Forests, Southern circle, dated 25 October 1892, No. 530C, forwarding enclosures to his letter dated 20 October 1892, No. 502C, regarding Vizagapatam District Forest Officer's claim for expenditure incurred by him in conveying ponies on his transfer from Cuddapah to Vizagapatam and the following reference thereon, dated 3rd November 1892.

Forwarded to the Examiner of Forest Accounts in continuation of Board's Reference dated 25 October 1892, on Forest Register No. 2914 of 1892.

A. W. C. Staunton Esqre

Read also letter from the Examiner of Forest Accounts, dated 18 November 1892, No. 2293, reporting on certain allowances drawn by Mr. McArthy assistant conservator for conveyance of his tents and horses on transfer from Cuddapah to Vizagapatam in March 1890.

Resolution.

The papers read above relate to a claim by Mr. McCarthy, Assistant Conservator of

the admission of the charge for want of Forests, for Rs 242-1-0 being a portion of the amount improperly disbursed by him from Government funds for the conveyance of his private effects tents and horses on his transfer from Cuddapah to Vizagapatam in February 1899, both objected to by the Examiner of Forest Accounts for want of Board's sanction. Mr. Mearthy, after prolonged delay in replying to references made to him on the subject by both the Examiner of Forest Accounts and the conservator of Forests, Northern circle, has at last reported that he is unable to separate out the items which represented the cost of the conveyance of his private effects from those that related to the cost of the conveyance of his camp-equipment, but that his tents and tent-furniture (which are the same as those carried on the occasion of his transfer) were recently found to weigh together 1266 lbs or 15 maunds and 15 5/12 seers.

2. Accepting this as the weight of

during both the railway and steamer journeys, the charges to which he is entitled will be as follows:-

1) For carriage of two horses by rail from Cuddapah to Madras. } Rs as per 30-6-0

2. Do - of tent-equipment (15 mds and 15 5/12 seers) by rail from Cuddapah to Madras. } 11-9-0

3. For carriage of two horses and two syces by steamer from Madras to Vizagapatam. } 70-0-0

4. Freight & charges on tent-equipment shipped from Madras to Vizagapatam. } * 65-9-0

5. For shipping charges of ponies at Madras (Rs 10 for attendance and shipping and Re 1-8-0 for coir mats have been disallowed). } 6-8-0

6. For landing charges:-

Landing two horses. —— 8-0-0

- Do tent-equipment —— * 5-6-0

Total Rs 197-6-0

* Calculated on the basis of the proportion in the weights carried according to the Madras Railway company's calculation

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The Board accordingly resolves to pass 20
Mr. Mearthy's claim for Rs 197-6-: and
directs that the balance Rs 44-11-:
(242-1-: minus 197-6-:) be recovered from
Mr. Mcarthy's next pay bill, along with
interest at the rate of 6 percent per
annum from the date of his appro
-priation of the money.

3. The conservator will convey to Mr. Mcarthy
the severe censure of the Board for the
grave irregularity he committed in appro
-priating public money for his travelling
expenses without Sanction, and also
for his protracted delay in replying
to the references of the Examiner of
Forest Accounts and the Conservator
of Forests. If Mr. Mcarthy was in
want of money, he could have obtained
in advance under article 137(4) of
the Civil Account Code. The Examiner
of Forest Accounts is also to blame
for not bringing such a serious irregularity
to the notice of the Board as soon
as

as it came to his knowledge, and for 21
not having recovered the amount objected
to, when it was found that the objection
was not at once explained.

(True copies and Extract,
(sigd) W. S. Meyer
Ag: Secretary.

To
The Conservator of Forests N.C.
with 9 enclosures returned.
The Examiner of Forest Accounts.
Copy to the Accountant-General.

(True Copy)

W. S. Meyer
Secretary.

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W. Lawrence

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

Dated 18th November 1893.

Forest No. 1455 Miscellaneous.

Endorsement

READ the following ~~letter~~ from J. W. Cleny Esquire Conservator of Forests, Southern circle, dated 9th September 1893, No. 1946, and ~~Letter~~ from the Collector of Tinnevelly, dated 27th August 1893, No. 3728/7326, requesting sanction for the entertainment of certain temporary Establishment in excess of and for time longer than what was sanctioned for 92—93.

RECORDED to the Board of Revenue with the following explanatory remarks.

For 1892—93 Sanction of the Board was obtained to the continuance of the Temporary Establishment as it stood in the previous year — vide Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 887, mis., dated 29th August 1892.

The fact that the Board's sanction, as above, had been applied for, was communicated to all District Forest Offi-

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in this Office no. 2233, dated 28th August 1892, with the remark that if they had entertained any additional Establishment over that formally sanctioned, it would be at their risk, and that they should at once send applications for the necessary additional Sanctions."

The District Forest Officer Tinnevelly first sent in a statement of additional staff required with his no. 2669 dated 6th September 1892, and this was subsequently modified by a revised statement received with his no. 2932 dated 18th September 1892.

On the above revised statement, the following additional Establishment was asked for.

A. II. 3. Jamadars - at 10 Rs.
A. VIII. c. 1 Draftsman - 30.
1 Surveyor - 60
2 Lascars - 7
d. 1. Gardener - 6
f. 1 Watcher - 6.

omitting Draftsman and Surveyor (for whom there was Sanction under "Direction"), the Board's supplemental Sanction was obtained for the rest. vide G. O., Revenue no. 1223 Mis, dated 11th November 1892.

In communicating this Sanction, the District Forest Officer was told that he should not under any circumstance entertain temporary establishment without previous Sanction.

In spite of the above, and in place of the above mentioned additional staff of 3 Jamadars at 10 Rs and 2 watchers at 6 Rs, the District Forest Officer appears to have entertained the several men (excluding fire patrols) as shown in the statement received with the Collector's letter, and to which the Collector now requests to obtain Sanction.

The fire patrols were also retained during the whole year, instead of 2 months, for which latter period alone he had sanction.

Resolution.

The conservator's remarks in his endorsement read above will be communicated to the Collector of Tinnevelly who is requested to obtain an explanation from Mr. Thornton of his irregular and disobedient conduct.

2. The Board observes that this is by no means the first time that

Mr.

Mr. Thornton has without justification incurred expenditure without previous sanction (vide Board's Proceedings, dated 21st November 1892, Forest No. 1253 Mis., 6th December 1892, Forest No. 1321 Mis., and 30th January 1893, Forest No. 79 Miscellaneous).

3. The temporary establishment already entertained and referred to in the proposition statement received with the Conservator's endorsement is sanctioned, but it will be considered, on receipt of Mr. Thornton's explanation as to whether a portion of this extra cost should not be recovered from him with reference to Board's Proceedings, dated 2nd July 1892, Forest No. 347.

True copy and Extract,

(Signed) W. S. Meyer
Ag. Secretary.

To
The Collector of Tinnevelly.
thro' the Conservator, &c.
The Accountant General.

True Copy

Secretary

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REVENUE BOARD OFFICE
MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

Dated 24th November 1893.

Forest No. 1482 Miscellaneous.

Read Government order dated 29th September 1893,
No. 3597.

Read Erratum to the above G.O dated 14th October 1893.

Resolution

With reference to the G.Os read above, the Board begs to report that it is decidedly of opinion that Mr. Mellsby is not at present fit for promotion to the D.C. Conservator's grade. This fact has been already represented to Government in para 3 (1) of B.P. dated 2-9-93 F. 1102 Mis. and the Board now begs attention to the following papers:—

(1) B.P. dated 16-2-93, F. No. 151 Mis.

(2) Extract from the Accountant General's letter to the Board dated 23-10-93, No. 1739.

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(3) Mr. Willock's D.O. to the Board dated 9-7-92.

(4) Mr. Meyer's D.O. to Mr. MacCartie dated 5-6-93.

(5) Mr. Meyer's D.O. to Mr. Peck dated 5-5-93.

Copies of these papers are herewith submitted. As regards No (3) it should be explained that Mr. Willock subsequently recalled his request for Mr. McArthy's immediate transfer.

2. It will be seen from the above that Mr. McarthY's work in Vizagapatam has not been by any means satisfactory, and that it was with considerable hesitation that the Board recommended his name for promotion to the 1st grade Assistant Conservator, subject however to the proviso that he would not be recommended for further promotion until he had shown a marked improvement in his work. As yet, the Board regrets that no indication of such improvement has been given.

3. As regards the next Assistant Conservator, Mr. Thornton, the Board has to state that though he is a zealous officer and was commended for good work in para 25 of B.P dated 25-5-92, F. No 252 recorded in G.O 5-7-92, his No 3120 3120, he has on several occasions been guilty of grave irregularities and disobedience to rules in spite of serious warnings - vide B.P dated 21-11-92 / F 1253 Mis, 6-12-92 / F. 1821 Mis, 30-1-93 / F. 79 Mis and 18-11-93 / F. 1455 Mis and also extract from Mr. Cherry's Administration Report, copies of which are herewith submitted to Government. Special attention is invited to the case dealt with in B.P. 18-11-93 / 1455. The Board therefore considers that he is not yet fit to be promoted to the Dy Conservator's grade.

4. The work of the other two officers, Messrs McCulloch and Jackson merits the Board's commendation. Both are excellent officers and require only further experience. The Board thinks therefore that they may be promoted to the grade of Dy Conservator from January 18, 1894, when they will have had a years' experience in their present grade.

5 The Board recommends that the supersession of Messrs McArthy and Thornton should be only temporary and that their promotion be merely

merely postponed till they have shown themselves fit for it.

6. The Board takes this opportunity to deal with the case of Mr Bryant, who is also an Assistant Conservator, 1st grade, though he is not one of the officers now referred to by Government as he passed his examination for promotion 6 months later. He too, the Board considers, is an excellent officer and may, if Government approves, be promoted from the 18th July next when he will have had 4 years experience in his present grade.

True Extract/.

Sd/ [illegible]
Secretary

To

The Secretary to Government Revenue Department,

with copies of papers noted in paras 1 and 3.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

No. 8710/53.
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From The Board. Land Rev.

Dated 24. Nov 1893.

FOR ORDERS.

The Convent in the Board's reply to Go. 3597. d/. 29. Sept. 93. calling for a report on the Ass[t] Conserv[r] of Forests 1st Grade with view to their promotion to the next higher Grade of Dy Conserv[r] 4th Grade.

There are now 5 Ass[t] Con. 1st Grade.

1. W. C. D. McArthur. (N.C.)
2. " C. Du Pré Thornton (S.C.)
3. " R. McIntosh. (C.C.)
4. " A. B. Jackson. (N.C.)
5. " H. B. Bryant (S.C.)

and there are 4 vacancies in the 4th Grade of Dy Conserv[r]

In its Proc[s] read in the Go. above quoted the Bd said that the senior officer W. McArthur was "certainly not fit for promotion yet" and added that none of the above officers had completed 5 years service

in the Department. The Bd was not therefore in favor of promoting any of them at present.

The views of H.E. the Gov^r of St^ms. are stated in the notes under the above order of Sept. 29. 53 – His Hon^ble said – "I do not think it signifies how long or how short a time they may have been in the country. If they are fit to go up they should not be kept down" – and the Report now submitted was called for.

The Board states that neither of the Senior men, Messrs. Lee Astley & Thornton are fit for promotion as yet – In support of this assertion the Board sends copies of various papers which show that these officers are not always inclined to obey the rules & that their work is not such as to entitle them to promotion.

W. Lee Astley was badly reported on in Jan. 52 by Mr. Wilcocks – In Aug. 53 however the Board recommended his promotion to Ass^t Com^r 1^st Grade. Reporting

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FOR ORDERS.

× do. from W. Wilcocks to W. Mercer.

* do. from Mr Mercer to the Private Sec^y

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FOR ORDERS.

⊗. do. from W. Mercer to W. Peel.

⊗. B.P. under Gov^t. 3/120 5th July 52

× To whom order should be communicated for time.

* W. Bryant was not reported on before – There is a paper now in Circ^n about a letter to Lieut. Smeaton written by W. Bryant. Q

Reporting that the Commissioner W. Peel was able to give him a better character, and W. Lee Astley was at the same time warned that he would be superseded unless his work showed a marked improvement.

W. Thornton seems to be capable of good work & the Commissioner's Inspection Memo^m on the Tinnevelly District of Feb. 52. stated that he was a zealous officer, an opinion in which the Colonel (Mr Forbes) shared & which the Board⊗ noted with approval. But he appears to be most disobedient to orders in the matter of sanction of expenditure – Please see especially B.P. 1455 18 Nov 53 – marked with red tape.

The three* officers

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Promotion of Certain Forest Officers

are however, well reported on & the Bd recommend their promotion to the grade of Dy Conservr of 4th grade, this promotion not to place them permanently above their seniors Messrs Hughes Hallett & Thornton.

The date of promotion in each case is fixed at one year from the date of promotion to the 1st grade of Asst Conservators.

These proposals seems fair, and may it is submitted be accepted.

In his note under No. 3597. dd. 29. Sept. 93. the Hon'ble Sir H.S. Stokes referred to the rules prevailing in the Salt Dept as to the filling up of the higher grades to sanctioned strength. The principles governing this Dept are explained in the B.P. read in G.O. 1006. dd. 28. Oct. 1887.

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HS Vice Governor
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To the Govt. of India

Sd H.M.S.

Sec

G.O. mis no 4691 dd 15 Dec 93

The Bdi proposals contained in the Proc read above, are approved, and the promotions therein recommended are sanctioned. The usual minutes of appointment &c. should in due course be submitted.

2. It should be clearly intimated to all the Offrs Concerned that the supersession of Messrs Hughes Hallett & Thornton is not to be considered as permanent.

By Order, Rs
13. Dec. 93

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READ AGAIN G.O., No. 189, DATED

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