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Revenue Department

E. M. C. dated 27th January 1857

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order no 90 dated 23rd January 1857

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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 27th January 1857.

No. 23. Read the following *Extract from the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue*; dated 12th January 1857, No. 123.

Read letter from the Collector of Coimbatore dated 6th August 1856, furnishing explanation respecting the increase in the charges for the destruction of Wild Beasts in fusly 1264.

(Here enter No. 123.)

Resolved that the foregoing letter be submitted for the orders of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, with reference to paras. 2 and 3 of Extract Minutes of Consultation dated 9th July 1856, No. 706.

2. The Collector explains that the excess of Rupees 519-8, in the expenditure on account of rewards for the destruction of Wild Animals in fusly 1264 over that in fusly 1263 is to be attributed to a larger number having been killed in the former than in the latter year. Mr. Thomas states that the maximum reward is scarcely ever given, except in special cases, where an Elephant or a Tiger that has become dangerous to life and injurious to property is killed; in all others one half or two thirds of the reward is granted. The instructions of the Board for the prevention of frauds in granting such rewards, the Collector reports, are strictly observed. Under this explanation the Board recommend that sanction be granted for the disbursements made in fusly 1264 for rewards for the destruction of Wild Beasts amounting to Rupees 1917.

3. With regard to the charge for rewards for killing Hyenas, the Collector states that they frequently attack children, and that these animals and Wolves are more dangerous to persons and Cattle than Bears, for the destruction of which a reward of 7 Rupees is allowed. The Board therefore support the Collector's recommendation for the grant of a reward of 5 Rupees for each Hyena and Wolf destroyed. For although there is not the same amount of danger attending the destruction of these animals, the havoc they commit in the sheep-folds in the open country calls for some measures for their extermination, and it can hardly be expected that Ryots or Shikarries will take upon themselves the trouble and risk of hunting down Wolves and Hyenas without some inducement in the shape of rewards. The Board would further recommend that the same reward be offered in all Districts where these animals are in any numbers.

4. Adverting to para. 2 of the above quoted Extract Minutes Consultation, the Board observe that the Report required respecting the survey classes, is under consideration, and will be submitted to Government at an early a date as practicable.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM, *Acting Secretary.*

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, No. 90; dated 23d January 1857.

Under the explanation now afforded, the Right Honorable the Governor in Council sanctions the rewards paid in the Coimbatore District in Fusly 1264 for the destruction of wild animals, amounting to Rupees (1917) one thousand, nine hundred and seventeen.

2. The Government approve the proposition of the Board of Revenue to authorize the payment of a reward not exceeding 5 Rupees for each Hyena and Wolf destroyed in all Districts

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,

Secretary to Government.

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செப்பனிலுபவர் பெயர் : ஜே. பி. ஜே.
செப்பனிலுதற்காக எடுத்தக் : 6/06
கொள்வப்பட்ட நாள் :
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3 With regard to the charges for Rewards for killing Hyenas, the Collector states that they frequently attack children, and that these animals and Wolves are more dangerous to persons and Cattle than Bears, for the destruction of which a Reward of 7 Rupees is allowed. The Board therefore support the Collector's recommendation for the grant of a Reward of 5 Rupees for each Hyena and Wolf destroyed. For although there is not the same amount of danger attending the destruction of these animals, the harm they commit in the sheep-folds in the open country calls for some measures for their extermination, and it can hardly be expected that Rajahs or Shikharries will take upon themselves the trouble and risk of hunting down Wolves and Hyenas without some inducement in the shape of reward. The Board would further recommend that the same reward be offered in all Districts where these animals are in any numbers.

4. Adverting to para 2 of the above quoted Extract Minutes Consultation, the Board observe that the Report required respecting the Survey classes, is under consideration, and will be submitted to Government as early as date as practicable.

(Thus Extract)

D. S. Sir

Acting Secretary

To I.D. Board Hon. Secy
Secretary to Government,
Revenue Department

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Extract from the
Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

Dated 19th } Jan 4 1857
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Submitting a letter
from the Collector of Coimbatore
respecting the increase in the
charges for the destruction
of Wild Porcupine. Early 1864,
and recommending the grant
of sanction to the Government
made on the above account.
Accordingly to 1857, that the same
for each Hyena and Wolf destroyed
be paid at 5 Rupees.

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Write an order.
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Under the explanation now
afforded the Right Honorable the Govern-
ment in Council sanctions the rewards
paid in the Coimbatore District in
Early 1864 for the destruction of wild
animals, amounting to Rupees (1917)
one thousand nine hundred and
seventeen.

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2 The Government approve
the proposition of the Board of Revenue
to authorize the payment of a reward
not exceeding 5 Rupees for each Hyena
and Wolf destroyed in all Districts.

For Mr. George
23rd January 1857

Return to the Collector
with an order
for each Hyena
and Wolf destroyed