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No. 238. Read the following letter from the Conservator of Forests, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Camp at Ootacamund, 8th July 1867, No. 96 :—

1. I beg to submit, for the sanction of Government, a proposal* of Major Morgan to purchase 4,000 Rupees worth of bullocks (say 20 to 25 pairs) to enable him to cart timber from Mudumallay to Ootacamund, the wood being required immediately for the Lawrence Asylum and new Church.

* No. 703, dated 4th July 1867, enclosed for reference.

2. The principle of abandoning the payment of advances, enjoined in G. O. No. 2,798, dated 15th October 1866, is perfectly correct, but the system is universal in Wynaad and general at Ootacamund, it is therefore difficult to obtain contracts for carriage even at exorbitant rates.

3. The departmental agency now proposed will tend to check the high rates, and the sum solicited is available from the Budget grant for Mudumallay "Conservancy and working."

No. 239. ORDER THEREON, 15th July 1867, No. 1,569.

Forests, No. 5.

The proposed expenditure of a sum not exceeding 4,000 Rupees for the purpose stated is sanctioned.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Conservator of Forests.
,, the Accountant General.
,, the Revenue Board.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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