

Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 2880-80A

DATED 9th June

[Despatch Abstract.]

Approving the B.D.'s proposal to allow the Mysore District to repair
and a dam & channel situated in British territory and requesting the
B.D. to submit a draft notification under Sec 14 of the M.F. Act for
the disafforestation of the land occupied by the dam & the channel.

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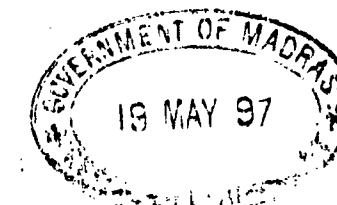
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Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 4141



From

The Board of Revenue, Land
Revenue, Madras.

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No. 1763 Misc.

The Board of Rev:
will be requested to report at an early date
whether the dam and channel
are not included in the Begur
Reserved forests and if so
whether it will not be necessary
to disafforest under Sec 26 of the
Madras Forest Act V of 1882 the
land to be occupied by the channel
before it can be granted to the
Mysore Durbar.

Dated 15th May 1897.

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SUBJECT.

Submitting to Government
a report on the proposal of the
Mysore Durbar to repair a dam and
channel situated in British terri-
tory.

Recd by R.M.
26/5/97

To the Board of Rev & R
with Encls to be refd

26.5.97

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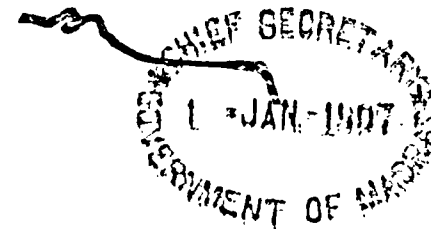
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FROM

THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

TO

The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Madras.



Camp Niffer
Dated Bangalore, 29th December 1896.

SIR,

Some two miles above Bavali in the Heggadadavankote taluk of the Mysore district, and across the Bavali stream, a dam is said to have been constructed about the year 1840 and a channel from it taken off for a short length. It is reported by the barbar that about 1861, when the boundary between Mysore and Malabar was fixed, Manantoddy obtained the dam and the first $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles of the channel, while Mysore secured in return a tract that had originally belonged to Manantoddy.

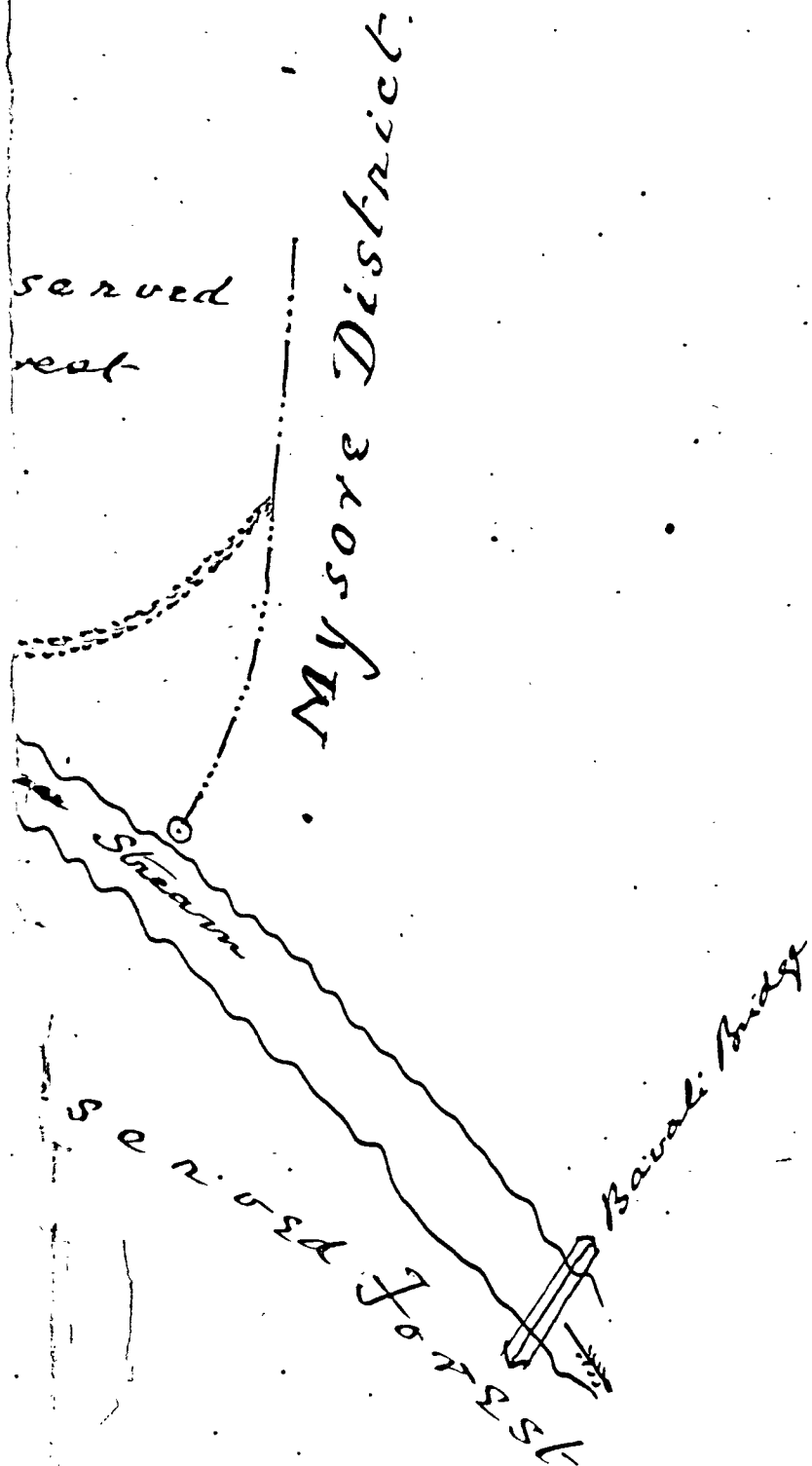
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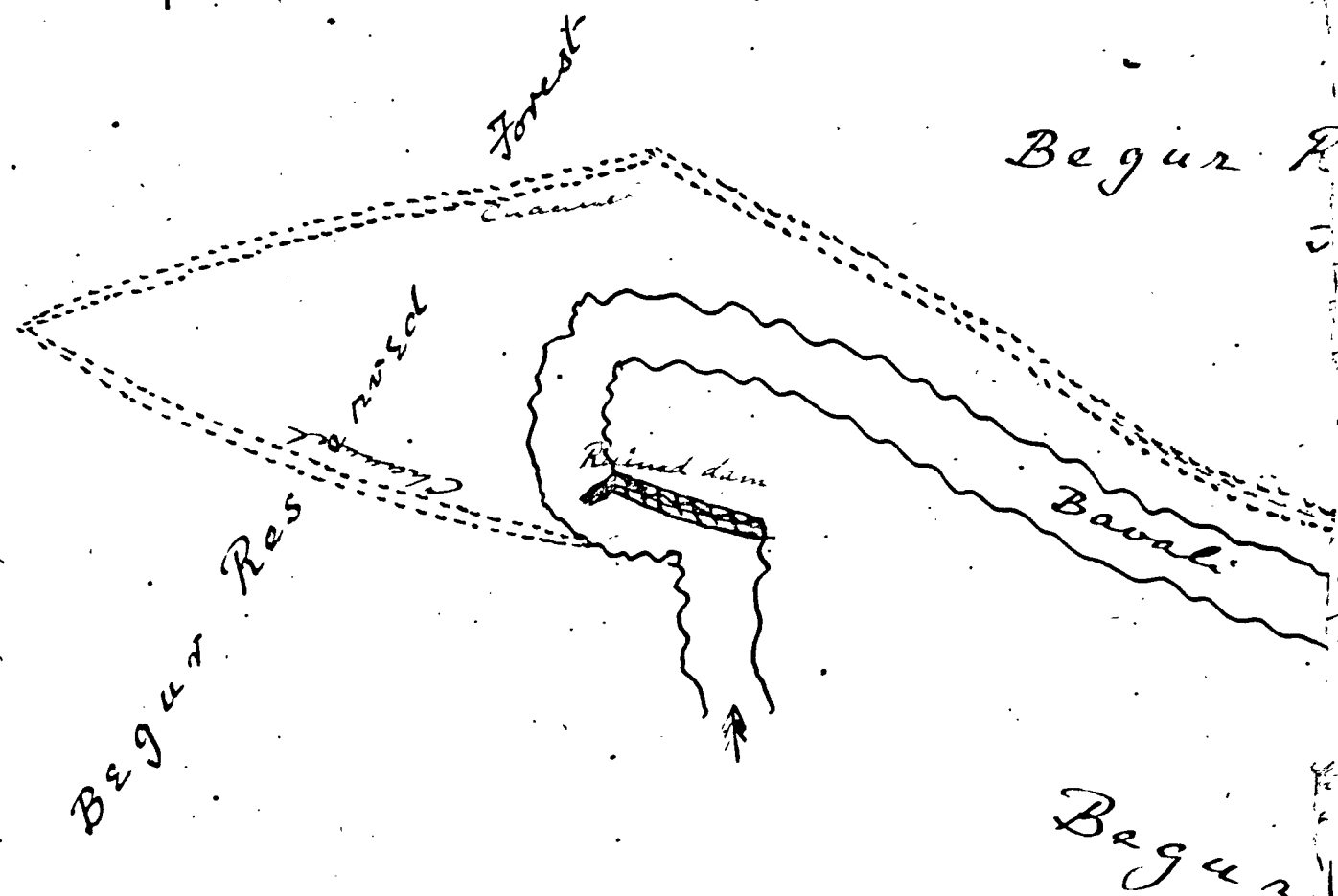
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Sketch showing the site of a new
dam built across the Bavali
and the channel leading off from
it in Trichilei division, Taluk
anahon of Wynad Taluk.



M. J. J. J.
As Dy. J. J.
Wynad
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Length of dam ————— 68 yards
Breadth of dam ————— 2 to 4 1/2 yards
Length of channel (approximately) — 2533 yards
Breadth of — do ————— 2 yards
Extent of land under the
channel (approximately) — 1.04 acres

Wynand Deputy Collector
Mannitoddy 5th April 1897

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To G. W. Dance Esquire,
Collector of Malabar.

Sir, I have the honour to return herewith letter of the
Resident in Mysore to the Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras forwarded for report with
your endorsement dated 28th January last Ref^{erence}
c N^o 187 on Copy of Board's Reference dated 20th Edm.

2. I inspected the Site of the ruined dam. It is about
2 miles distant from the Bavali Bridge. One arm
of the dam is built alongside one of the banks
of the Stream and is about 64 yards long with
an average width of 3 yards. The other arm
built across the stream has had a major portion
of it washed off and the remainder now in system
is about 4 yards in length and 2 yards in width.
It is in a very ruined condition. The whole
thing is constructed of granite boulders and
brick in chunam.

3. I was told that the structure raised along
one of the banks was constructed with the main
object of diverting the Course of the Stream at
that point and making the water flow in a
South westerly direction so as to be able to supply
the Channel.

4. As regards the channel itself, only a portion
thereof lying within British Territory is now

The

Malabar Collector's Office
Calicut 26th April 1897.

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From H. C. D. Harding Esquire Esq
Ag Collector of Malabar.

To The Secretary to the Commissioners of
Land Revenue,
Madras.

Sir,
Adverting to Board's Reference on Government
Register No. 110 of 1897 dated 20th January 1897, I have
the honour to submit herewith copy of a letter dated 5th
Instant from the Deputy Collector, Wynnad, and its
enclosure, reporting on the proposal of the Mysore
Durbar to repair a dam and a channel partly
situated in British Territory.

2. I think there is no objection to the permission ask-
ed for being granted. The District Forest Officer, North
Malabar suggests that it should be made a con-
dition that the dam is not used for the purpose of
catching fish.

3. The Deputy Collector, Wynnad, has estimated the
value of the land required at Rs 45-6-0, but the
figure will be subject to alteration, when the exact
extent to be taken up is ascertained.

4. The enclosure to the Board's Reference is returned.

I have the honour to
Sir

Your most obedient Servant
H. C. D. Harding
Acting Collector

Recd
27.4.97



Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue)

No. 1763 Misc., dated 13th May 1897.

Read the following :-

1. Endorsement of the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, No. 75, dated 16th January 1897, and the following Reference thereon dated 20th January 1897.

Forwarded to the Collector of Malabar for early report.

2. Letter from H.O.D. Harding Esquire, I.C.S., AG. Collector of Malabar, No. 1002/Pub., dated 26th April 1897.
5. Also Government Order, Revenue Department, No. 781 R, dated 21st April 1897.

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Resolution

The Malabar Collector's letter read above will be submitted to Government with reference to its orders Nos. 75 R, dated 16th January 1897, & 781 R, dated 21st April 1897.

2. The Board considers that the Mysore Durbar may be allowed to repair the dam & channel on the condition of its paying a lump sum representing 29 years' purchase of the combined assessment and jammabhogam of Rs. 2-8-0 per acre on the land to be occupied by the channel in British territory.

5. The proprietary rights in the land may continue to vest in this Government. If so, it will be unnecessary to make an express stipulation regarding the catching of fish at the dam, as suggested by the District Forest Officer.

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From

The Collector of Malabar

To

The Secretary to the Commr. of
Land Revenue,
Madras.

Dated 26. 4. 97.



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Enclosures

Subject

Reporting on the proposal of
the Mysore Durbar to repair a
dam and a channel partly
situated in British Territory

(True Copy & Extract)

C No. 4191

Receives

Secretary.

To

The Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, with a letter
* 3 Enclos. in original.

From The Bd R.

The Hon. W. S. G. C. E.

Dated 13 - 5 - 1897.

FOR ORDERS.

Md. R. H.

[Signature]

The Mysore Darbar want to
repair a dam & channel
in British Territory in the
Malabar Dist.

File A

The sketch appended
to the Dy Collector's report
shows the position of the
present ruined dam &
channel.

The Bd considers
that the Mysore Darbar
may be allowed to repair
the dam &
channel on the condition
of its paying a lump
sum representing 25
years purchase of the
combined assessment
and jannabhogam of
Rs 2-8-0 per acre on the
land then occupied by
the channel in British

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Territory Proprietary rights
however are to remain
with the Govt.

The dam & channel
are shown to be in the
Begur Reserved Forest.
The Bd does not allude
to this point but apparently
if the Bd's proposal is to
be accepted so much of
the land as will be taken
up by the channel & the
be disafforested.

It is nowhere
distinctly reported that
the proposed concession
will not interfere with
existing rights. From the
Residents letter it would
appear that when the
boundary was settled
Malabar for the dam
& first 1 1/2 miles of the
channel while Mysore
for another tract in the
vicinity.

There was no claim on either
the channel apparently at the
creation of the Forest. V. K. F. A.

FOR ORDERS.

See
(from orders)

Dr 9/6/97

There can not be any under the
circumstances.

The Bd's proposal may be
accepted. The land taken up
will be disafforested.

4/6/97

Left account of
S.O. & letter
recd 5/6/97

Read no. 4191 of 97

Order no. 2880 of 9th June 97
The Govt agrees with
the Board of Rev: and approval
of the proposal made by it in
its Prop read above

2 The channel and
the dam being situated within
the limits of the Begur Reserve
forest, the Govt, however, con-
siders that the land occupied
by them should first be dis-
afforested under the provisions
of Sec 24 of the Madras Forest
Act V of 1882 before it is formally
handed over to the Mysore Durbar.
The Board will be requested to
submit the necessary draft with
justification for transmission to
the Govt of India in case the
Durbar expresses its willingness
to take up the land on the con-
ditions now proposed.

3. The following letter
will be despatched to the Resident

To the Board - Secy. L.R.

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Letter 2880A.

The Resident in Mysore

With reference to your
letter, Camp No 5 of 29th Dec^r.
1896 and reminder thereon No
1466 of 3rd April 1897, I am
directed to inform you that
that the Govt. will be
glad to allow the Mysore Durbar
to repair the dam and channel
therein referred to on the con-
ditions that (1) the Durbar pays
a lump sum representing 29
years' purchase of the combined
assessment and jummabhojann
of Rs 2-2-0 per acre on the land
to be occupied by the channel and
dam in British territory and
(2) that the proprietary rights
in the land continue to vest in
this Govt.

2. The land in question
being situated within the limits
of the Begur reserved forests must
however be first disafforested
under Sec 21 of the Madras Forest

Darbar and the Board of Re-
venue, Madras, has accordingly been
instructed to submit the ne-
cessary draft notification for transmission
to the Govt. of India in the event
of the Durbar's expressing its
willingness to take up on the
conditions above mentioned.

Wm
5.6.97
7.16/97

Note

The Board has apparently
not ascertained the exact area
that will have to be given up.
If the Durbar agree, the Bd will
be able to ascertain this as a
necessary preliminary to sending
up the draft disafforestation notice.

Bm
5.11.97

Wm
5.6.97

Letter 2880A.

R.S.

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READ AGAIN G.O., No.

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LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

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