Revenue (1897) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

3681-2

G.O., No. [redacted]

DATED 17th July

[Despatch Abstract.]

Requesting concurrence of the Govt of India for the action of this Govt in employing Mr O'Leary on special duty in demarcating the boundary between the Agency villages and the planned forests during the broken period.

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Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 5236

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REV. DEPT.

From The Board of Revenue (L.R.)

Order

No. 577 Mis.

Dated 17th June 1897

Received 23-6-97

Registered 24-6-97

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SUBJECT.

Submitting to Govt. with reference to its order No. 2471 Misc. dt/ 14th may 1897, certain papers relating to Mr. O'Leary's special duty in Ganjam.

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FOREST DEPARTMENT, MADRAS.

~~CONSERVATOR'S OFFICE, NORTHERN CIRCLE.~~

Office Note. R.C. No. 2010

To,

The Conservator of Forests
Northern circle
thro: the Agent, Ganjam

Reference :- Board's Proceedings

No. 318 Mis: dated 6th April 97 and
No. 220, Miscellaneous, dated 8th
March 97

Dated 7th May 97.
Camp Dahpala (near Vadayagiri)

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With reference to
the Board's Proceedings above
quoted and its concluding
para I beg to state as follows:
I commenced the boundary
cutting one mile on March 31
at the summit of the hill

Double

south of the Libandi track near Retuli and the work as proceeding. The boundary has proceeded south along the ridge of the ghats as far as Godarekha (south of Muhlingia village) and from that point has gone Eastwards for one mile 26 chains to the summit of Lyngeri (a big black rock) and has thence descended into the valley below Dapala.

2. This morning the boundary has crossed the Dahpala valley and is across the Bibrot kala and on its way to the summit of Nanigh hill.

The work was delayed early in april for one or 2. days as the coolies wanted larger advances than I was inclined to give and on 19th & 20th by the absence of the Head coolies who went to give evidence against the Muhlingia Mokhis for obstruction.

3. Considering the height of the hills and the dense jungle that clothes them I do not expect to finish before the end of this month and I expect to have completed the boundary track by June 10th. I may mention here that the 1" map of this portion of the Agency is grossly and ludicrously inaccurate as regards the hills and streams in the valley below Dahpala. The main ridge of the Ghats seems to be fairly accurately delineated.

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(True extract & copy)

(signed) Macc O'Leary
ag Dy Conservator of Forests dated 4-5-94

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Forwarded

| Signed | H. D. Taylor
ag agent.
13.5.97.

BOARD OF REVENUE
31 MAY. 17
MADRAS

Forwarded to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue Madras for information.

A report from the Collector is awaited.

Alwin da Lan
Camp Ootacamundgudalur
22nd May 97. } for Conservator of Forests

Dn. No. 229 of 97

From
H. D. Taylor Esquire
Ag Agent to the Governor in
Ganjam

To
The Secretary to the
Commissioners of
Land Revenue

Dated Chatrapur 1st June Madras.

Sir,

With reference to the Boards Proceedings Forest No 464 Mis, dated 20th May 97, I have the honor to report that Mr O'Leary's report was forwarded through the Conservator on 15th Instant, as already reported in this office Telegram dated 22nd Instant.

Mr O'Leary's services will probably be required on Special duty till the end of June.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servt

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For Agent.

BHG

From

The Agent to the Governor

Ganjam

To

The Secretary to the

Commissioners

of Land Revenue

Madras

BOARD OF REVENUE
7 JUN 97
MADRAS.

Dated 1st June 197

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Reporting

that Mr Dhanjo's report

was forwarded through

the Conservator on

15th May 197 & stating

that his services will be

required till the end of June 97

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25-11-96.

REVENUE BOARD OFFICE.
MADRAS.

Proceedings of the Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue).

Dated 17th June 1897.

Forest No. 577 Miscellaneous.

READ Endorsement of the conservator of Forests, N.C., dated 22nd May 1897 R.C. No. 2010 and the following Reference thereon d/. 2nd June 1897:-

"The collector is requested to submit at a very early date the report referred to in the conservator's Endorsement."

" also letter from the Actg. Agent to the Governor in Ganjam d/ 18th June 1897 Dis. No. 269/Actg. of '97

Resolution (allio)

The papers read above will

will be submitted to Government with reference to its order No. 2471 Mis. d/. 14-5-97.

2. Under the sanction accorded in G.O. No. 28 Mis. d/. 8-1-96, Mr. O'Leary was employed on special duty in demarcating the boundary lines between Reserved forests and the Agency tracts from 14th January 1896 to 29th June 1896, when he was posted to act as D. F. O., Ganjam during the absence on leave of Mr. McCulloch. On the return of Mr. McCulloch from leave, Mr. O'Leary was directed to resume his special duty - (B. P. For. No. 318 Mis. d/. 6-4-97). and he did so on the 31st March last.

3. In the first paper read above, Mr. O'Leary furnishes a statement showing the progress made by him in his special work and states that he expects to complete it by June 10th. The collector, in the second letter read above, reports that Mr. O'Leary's services will probably be required on special duty till the end of June. Since the date of the collector's letter, the Board has ascertained by telegram from Mr. O'Leary and the D. F. O., Ganjam that the boundary demarcation has been virtually completed and that Mr. O'Leary's services will be available for other work about the 15th instant.

4. Mr. O'Leary has thus been employed on special duty for about 8 months (viz. from 14th January to 29th June 1896 and again from 31st March to about 15th June 1897) and this appointment, therefore, requires the sanction of the Government of India under Article

Article 95 (b) of the Civil Service Regulations.

(True extract)

Actg. Secretary

To The Secretary to Govt R.D. ✓
with letters in original to be ret.

The Hon: mr Grace C.S.
H.E. the governor ✓

To the Hon: the C.S. for Financial dept
favour of comments

To the Board of Rev: C.R.
... Acct General

Dis. 22-7-97

Flagged A

Turned remove H.E. the G in C.
from where it is, to before the word
"are obliged" Dillon Secretary to Govt, Forests
8/8/97
16.7.97

C 12/7/97

Read again G.O. 2471 / 14.5.97
also C. No 5236 of 97

Order misc No 3681 of 17th July 97
Ordered that the Govt of India be addressed.

7.7.97

Letter No 3682.

The Secy to the Govt of India
Rev: and Agric: Dept

Sir,

In January 1896, H.E. the G in C, on a representation made by the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, and the Board of Rev: that the services of a European Officer capable of dealing with the hill tribes so as not to arouse any hostility among them were required to assist the Special Assistant Agent, Ganjam, in demarcating the boundary between the Agency villages and the reserved forests in Gumsur, sanctioned the employment of Mr MacArthy O'Leary, an Asst Conservator of Forests in this Dept, for the purpose. Mr O'Leary was so employed from

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14th January 1896 to 29th June 1896 when he had to be posted as the District Forest Officer of Ganjam during the absence on leave of the permanent incumbent. On the return of the latter Officer, however, Mr O'Leary was directed to resume this demarcation work which he did on the 31st March last and it is reported to have completed by the 15th ultimo. The Special work on which Mr O'. & he was employed has thus extended over a period of about eight months and the Acct General now points out that, during the above periods, Mr O'Leary should be considered to have been on Special duty and that the Sanction of the Govt of India for this deputation has to be obtained under the provisions of Art 96 of the C.S.R. The Board of Rev: has expressed a doubt as to whether the art in question can be held to apply to the present case as Mr O'Leary was only employed as an Asst Conservator on the work of demarcating the boundary lines between reserved forests and the agency tracts without receiving any extra remuneration therefor. A.G. in C. is, however, inclined to agree with the Acct General in this view and if it is concurred in by the Govt of India, I am to request that its sanction may be accorded for Mr O'Leary's employment on the Special work referred to during the periods already mentioned, viz from 14th Jan.y to 29th June 1896 and from 31st March to about 15th June 1897

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Note

The point is, it is submitted, not free from doubt and if the G.I. agree with the Board it will say so.

(B) Please see First Endt flagged C
(not circulated to Govt)

BVMD 6.VII.97

Ill 7.7.97

Ill 10/7/97

(B) VII Fin. Dept

Ref. Madras Govt No. 28 Rev. 2 8. Jany 96 (vide specially Govt Davidson's note) can, it is thought, bear but one construction, viz, that Mr. O'Leary was placed on "special duty". This decision cannot now be revised because the work on which Govt. O.L. was engaged took more than six months

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J Hart 20/8

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9.8.97