

Revenue (1897) Department.

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Dated 6th April

[Despatch Abstract.]

Ordering the publication in the Fort St.
George and Anantapur D & Gazette, of
the draft notification ^{under section 16} for the Constitution
of the Shettur block in the Kalyandurg
Taluk as a Reserved Forest.

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SUBJECT.

Subj to Govt. for approval and publication in the 20th St George Gazette, draft notifi- under Sec 16 of the Madras Forest Act for the constitution of the Shethur block in the Kalyandurg taluk, Anantapur Dt., as a reserved forest.

Order Press No. 220 of 6th April 1899

The draft notification will be published in the 20th St George and Anantapur Dt. gazettes, the 15th July 1899 being entered as the date from which reservation shall take effect.

To the B.S. Lt. with map.

Supdt. Forest Press with notification. 25
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Note The initial reservation of the block was approved in (G.O. 147) of 11.3.95.

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(Land Revenue),

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Proceedings, Forest No. 120, 6th March 1899.

MARCH.

Submitting to Government, for approval and publication in the Fort St. George Gazette, draft notification under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act for the constitution of the Shetturu block, in the Kalyandrug taluk, Anantapur district, as a reserved forest.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE (LAND REVENUE).

READ—the following letter from B. MACLEOD, Esq., Collector of Anantapur, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, dated 11th January 1899, No. 647:—

I have the honour to forward herewith the papers relating to the final reservation of Shetturu reserve situated in the Kalyandrug taluk.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From E. A. SMITH, Esq., Special Deputy Collector on Forest Settlement duty, Nellore, &c., Districts, to the Collector of Anantapur (through the District Forest-officer, Anantapur), dated Giddalur, 4th December 1898, Ref. No. 262-Cur.

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Shetturu reserve in the Kalyandrug taluk.

2. The initial notification under section 4 of the Madras Forest Act proposing to constitute this area into a reserved forest appeared at page 274 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 19th March 1895, and the proclamation under section 6 of the Act was published in the District Gazette, dated 1st July 1895. The time allowed for the presentation of claims expired on the 1st October 1895.

3. I was originally appointed to settle this block and afterwards Mr. W. C. McMurray. In 1896 it was re-transferred to me for settlement. During my absence on privilege leave, M.R.Ry. P. S. Singaravelu Pillai Avergal was appointed Settlement-officer; but in notification published in *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th October 1898, the block was again re-transferred to me.

4. The block was inspected, perambulated and enquired into by me in June 1898 and twenty-eight claims were preferred for the following rights:—

- (i) Seven claims to seven rights of way.
- (ii) Three claims to temples and shrines.
- (iii) Three claims to rights of way to the above.
- (iv) Eight claims to Government patta and inam fields.
- (v) Seven claims to rights of way to fields.

The claims to rights of way involved in item No. (i) were all admitted and one of the rights of way has been excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. Of the three claims to temples and shrines involved in item No. (ii), two claims were admitted, while the remaining claim was rejected as the temple lies outside the reserve. Of those admitted, the temple in one case has been excluded by an alteration of the reserve boundary, while the shrine in the remaining case has been demarcated out and retained an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation. Of the three claims to rights of way to the temples and shrines involved in item No. (iii), one claim was admitted, while the remaining claims were rejected as unnecessary. The claims to patta and inam fields involved in item No. (iv) were all admitted. The patta and inam fields in four cases have been excluded by an alteration of the reserve boundary, while those in the remaining cases have been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act.

5. A slight alteration has been made in the eastern and southern boundaries of the reserve with the consent of the District Forest-officer to throw the reserve line a little further from the village sites of Adivi, Gollapalli and Lingadévarlahalli.

6. The reserve is thus free of all rights except those stated above.

7. The following are submitted herewith:—

- (i) A signed copy of the B register of claims.
- (ii) The draft notification under section 16.
- (iii) The sketch-map of the reserve.
- (iv) The numerical statement of claims filed and disposed of.

8. The date from which reservation is to take effect has to be inserted in the draft notification.

B. REGISTER OF claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Shetturu reserved forest, Kalyandrug taluk, Anantapur district.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	Ramappa, karnam of Santikondapuram.	19th June 1898.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the cart-track from Santikondapuram to Basaripalli.	....	District Forest-officer agrees to exclusion by alteration of boundary.	Claim admitted. Cart-track will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
2	Lakshmiipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	22nd June 1898.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community, right to the temple of Vedisalamma situated in survey No. 63 north-east of the village of Lingadévarlahalli.	....	Do.	Claim admitted. The temple will be thrown out of the reserve by the alteration of the boundary. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
3	Lakshmiipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community, right of way to the temple of Vedisalamma branching from the cart-track.	....	Do.	Claim rejected, temple being excluded. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
4	Lakshmiipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the cart-track from Bachehalli to Shetturu.	This enters the reserve about half a chain south of the north-west corner of survey No. 65 of Bachehalli and running west for about five furlongs leaves it about eight chains south-east of the south-west corner of Khaniam No. XII of Bachehalli (inside the reserve).	District Forest-officer admits.	Claim admitted. A cart-track of the width of five yards will be allowed. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
5	Lakshmiipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the cart-track from Adirigollapalli to Bachehalli.	This enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 44 of Adirigollapalli and running south-east for about one mile two and a half furlongs leaves it about two chains east of the north-east corner of survey No. 49-B of Yatakallu.	Do.	Claim admitted. A cart-track four yards wide will be allowed. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.

Claim No. 4.—Marked as I (iv) in the notification and map.

Claim No. 5.—Marked as I (iii) in the notification and map.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Shetturu reserved forest, &c.—cont.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
6	Lakshminipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	22nd June 1898.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the foot-path from Lingadevaripalli to Basaripalli.	This enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 16 of Adivigollapalli and running south-west and then north-west admitted in claim No. 7-7 leaves the reserve about a chain south of the easternmost corner of survey No. 31 of Shetturu. The length inside the reserve is about one mile seven furlongs.	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. A cart-track four yards wide will be allowed.
7	Lakshminipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the foot-path from Lingadevaripalli (hamlet of Bachehalli) to Mamaduru.	This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 156 of Bachehalli and running north-west and crossing the foot-path admitted in claim No. 9-9 and the cart-track admitted in claim No. 8-6 leaves it about one chain north of the survey stone at the north-east corner of survey No. 15 of Shetturu. The length inside the reserve is about two miles two and a half furlongs.	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	(Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
8	Lakshminipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the foot-path from Konapuram to Lingadevaripalli (hamlet of Bachehalli).	This enters the reserve about fourteen chains south-west of the north-east corner of survey No. 19 of Adivigollapalli and running south and south-west for about one mile seven and a quarter furlongs leaves it seven chains west of the khandam stone at the south-west corner of khandam No. 12 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve).	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. A foot-path to a width of two yards for men only will be allowed.
9	Lakshminipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the foot-path from Shetturu to Adivigollapalli.	This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 64 of Shetturu and running north-east and crossing the foot-path admitted in claim No. 7-7 joins the cart-track admitted in claim No. 8-6 inside chains north of the north-east corner of survey No. 58 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve). The length inside the reserve is about six and a half furlongs.	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	(Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
10	Lakshminipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community, right to the shrine of Birappa Devudu situated in the ruined village of Pasalapaisahalli.	....	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. The shrine with a space of ten yards square (including it) will be demarcated out and treated as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation.
						(Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.

Claim No. 6.—Marked as I (i) in the notification and map.
 Claim No. 7.—Do. as I (v) do.
 Claim No. 8.—Do. as I (ii) do.

Claim No. 9.—Marked as I (vi) in the notification and map.
 Claim No. 10.—Do. as II do.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Shetturu reserved forest, &c.—cont.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
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11	Lakshminipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	22nd June 1898.	Claims, on behalf of the Hindu community, right of way to the above shrine.		The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. Access will be allowed by the foot-path admitted in claim No. 8-8.
12	Akathofa Kotamma of Bachehalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey Nos. 48-A and 49-B, measuring 4-98 acres assessed at Rs. 0-10-0 and 10-88 acres assessed at Rs. 1-6-0 respectively of Bachehalli.	Supported by village accounts.	The District Forest-officer admits the claim and wishes to exclude the fields.	(Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
13	Akathofa Kotamma of Bachehalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey Nos. 48-A and 49-B of Bachehalli.	....	Unnecessary if excluded.	Claim admitted. The fields will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve.
14	Panchangam Obulappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims inam right over survey No. 58 of Bachehalli measuring 17-8 acres assessed at Rs. 2-2-0, quit-rent, Rs. 0-5-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to acquire the field.	(Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
15	Panchangam Obulappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims right of way to inam survey No. 58 of Bachehalli.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act.
16	Karnam Simappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 126 of Bachehalli measuring 5-34 acres assessed at Rs. 0-11-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to exclude the field.	(Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
						(Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 25th October 1898.
						Claim rejected as unnecessary, the field having been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act.
						(Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
						Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve.
						(Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 10th August 1898.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Shetturu reserved forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
17	Karnam Sinappa of Shetturu.	22nd June 1898.	Claims right of way to survey No. 126 of Bachehalli.	....	Unnecessary if excluded.	Claim rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
18	Karnam Sinappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 65 of Adivigollapalli, measuring 1.42 acres, assessed at Rs. 6.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to acquire the field.	10th August 1898. Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
19	Karnam Sinappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 65 of Adivigollapalli.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	10th August 1898. <i>Note</i> —Acquired on payment of money compensation of Rs. 30. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
20	Karnam Kristappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims inam patta right over survey No. 53 of Adivigollapalli, measuring 4.94 acres, assessed at Rs. 10, quit-rent Rs. 1-3-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to acquire the field.	30th September 1898. Claim rejected as unnecessary, the field having been acquired. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
21	Karnam Kristappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 53 of Adivigollapalli.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	10th August 1898. <i>Note</i> —Acquired on payment of money compensation of Rs. 15. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
21	Karnam Kristappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 53 of Adivigollapalli.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	30th September 1898. Claim rejected as unnecessary, the field having been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
21	Karnam Kristappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 53 of Adivigollapalli.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	10th August 1898.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Shetturu reserved forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
22	Karnam Kristappa of Shetturu.	22nd June 1898.	Claims inam patta right over survey No. 58, measuring 12.46 acres, assessed at Rs. 1-9-0, quit-rent Rs. 3-1-0 of Adivigollapalli.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to acquire the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
23	Karnam Kristappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims right of way to inam patta survey No. 58 of Adivigollapalli.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	10th August 1898. <i>Note</i> —Acquired on payment of money compensation of Rs. 30. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
24	Pujari Rangappa of Bachehalli.	Do.	Claims on behalf of Ohuladevaraswami inam right over survey No. 56 of Bachehalli, measuring 57.11 acres, assessed at Rs. 7-2-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to exclude the field.	30th September 1898. Claim rejected as unnecessary, the field having been acquired. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
25	Radrappa, Karnam of Yatakallu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community right to the temple of Viragali situated at the north-west corner of survey No. 491.	The temple lies outside the reserve.	....	10th August 1898. Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
26	Radrappa, Karnam of Yatakallu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community right of way to the above temple.	....	Unnecessary	11th August 1898. Claim rejected as unnecessary as the temple lies outside the reserve. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
27	Yajamana Govindappa, Karnam of Konapuram.	24th June 1898.	Claims patta right over survey No. 491-B of Yatakallu, measuring 39.12 acres, assessed at Rs. 4-14-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to exclude the field.	11th August 1898. Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.
28	Yajamana Govindappa, Karnam of Konapuram.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 491-B of Yatakallu.	....	Unnecessary	11th August 1898. Claim rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer.

(Signed) E. A. SMITH,
Forest Sett.-officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.

STATEMENT of area and condition of Shetturu reserve.

Total area of the taluks.	Extent of Government land in the taluk.		Area of reserves notified under section 16.	Area of reserves under settlement.	Area of reserves now submitted under section 16.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occupied.	Unoccupied.				Scrub.	Grass.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
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Dharmavaram and Kalyandrug ..	1,402	690	712	23 and 137	25 and 484	4,379.91	Scrub jungle ..	Herewith sent.

Note.—The figures in column 4 relate to the Kalyandrug taluk only.

ENCLOSURE No. 5.

STATEMENT showing the number of claims filed and disposed of.

Name and number of the block.	Claims to patta and inam lands.						Claims to rights of way.			Claims to shrines or temples and rights of way to them.			Claims to rights of way to fields.			Total of all claims.		
	Filed.		Admitted.		Rejected.													
	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.	Number of claims.	Extent.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Shetturu ..	8	ACS. 154	8	ACS. 154	..	..	7	7	..	6	3	3	7	..	7	28	18	10

* 36.62 acquired; 117.38 excluded.

ENCLOSURE No. 6.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by E. D. M. HOOPER, Esq., Acting Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, dated Camp, Konavaram, 22nd January 1899, R.C. No. 1205.

Forwarded.

RESOLUTION—Forest No. 120, dated 6th March 1899.

Submitted to Government for approval and publication of the draft final notification in the Fort St. George Gazette.

2. (i) *Claims Nos. 5 and 6.*—The decision on these claims allows a width of four yards for the cart-tracks, while the draft notification admits them to a width of five yards. The entry in the draft notification has been corrected on the authority of the B. Register.

(ii) *Claim No. 7.*—The foot-path referred to leaves the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 15 of Shetturu village and not of Adivigollapalli village as recorded in the B. Register and notification. The necessary corrections have been made in these documents.

(iii) The total extent of the several patta and inam fields claimed within the reserve is 154 acres and not 153.28 acres as stated in the numerical statement of claims submitted by the Forest Settlement-officer.

3. The reservation of the block may commence from the 30th June next.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Lonel Davidson
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with draft notifications (one original and two printed)
(and a sketch-map to be returned.)

* The difference of 72 Cents is apparently due to the fact that the AS has taken the area of the inam land dealt with in Claim No. 14 to be

17 acres, 80 Cents instead of 17 acres & 8 Cents.

(The latter figure is probably the correct one as being what was adopted by the F.S.O.)

Erd. Md. Pabilwan.

Draft NOTIFICATION.

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His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act V of 1882 that from the [] of which are set forth in the Schedule appended to this Notification shall be constituted "Reserved Forest."

189 . the area, the boundaries

District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Boundaries.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5
Arankapur District	Halgandug Taluk	Shelpanipallem	North:— Starting from a cairn about 14 chains East of the Northeast Corner of Survey No. 343 of Sankondapuram, a straight line east for about 57 chains to a cairn 8 chains west of the Southwest Corner of Survey No. 475. East:— Thence a straight line south for ⁴⁰ chains to a cairn; then south Southeast for 35 chains to a cairn; then east ^{slightly south} to the Southeast Corner of Survey No. 16 of Adivigallapalli; then skirting the stream of Karanam Anumappa (No. 17) to its Southeast Corner; then a straight line Northeast for 40 chains to a cairn on the Southside of Survey No. 44;	The following public rights of way are allowed:— (i) The cart track ^{four} 6 yards wide from Adivigallapalli to Basanipalli. This enters the reserve at the Southeast Corner of Survey No. 16 of Adivigallapalli and running Southwards then Northwest and crossing the foot path No. IV infra, leaves the reserve about a

then North North-west for 14 chains to a cairn on the left bank chain South of the eastern
of a stream; then along the same bank of that stream most corner of Survey No 31
to a cairn at the North-west corner of Survey No 491 B of of Sheikhow. The length
of that stream; then the west and South sides of that stream inside the reserve is about
1 mile and the South side of Survey No 491 C, up to where 1 mile 7 furlongs.
(i) cuts the said stream; then along the left bank of (ii) The foot path 2 yards wide
that stream to a village boundary stone between for men only cut
Yatakallu and Bachehalli Villages; then south from Konapuram to Linga
for 13 chains to a Khanda stone; then west for the reserve about 14 chains
about $2\frac{1}{2}$ chains to a cairn; then South South-west South-west of the Northeast
for 6 chains; then South-west for about 5 chains, corner of Survey No 19 of
then a straight line to the Northeast corner of Survey No 491 B of Bachehalli and
No 49 B of Bachehalli; then the North and west running South and South-
sides of that stream up to the point where it turns west for about 1 mile
east; then a straight line to its westernmost $7\frac{1}{4}$ furlongs leaves it
then a straight line to the Northeast 7 chains west of the

reservoir; then south South Khanda stone at the South
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cave on the right bank of west corner of Khanda
to where it cuts the No 12 of Bache halli (inside
the North and west sides the reservoir).

where the said stream cuts (iii) The cart track ^{four} yards

then along that stream up wide from Adinigolla-
unlows to its Southeast corner;
Swing No 57; then South palli to Bache halli

to a cave; then the west This enters the reservoir at
Southeast corner; thence the Southeast corner of

to a cave on the right Swing No 44 of Adin-
bank of that stream East
cuts the Northeast side gollapalli and running south

to its northern most east for about 1 mile
Swing No 126 to its north- 2 1/2 furlongs leaves it

to the Southeast corner about 2 chains east of
reservoir; then a straight The Northeast corner of

line to the 2^d Khandam stone right line to the northeast of Survey No 155 of Bachehalli and
Survey No 154 counting north of northeast for about 15th running northwest and crossing
the one at the northwest corner of Khandam No 4 up to the foot path No (i) infra
the ~~west~~^{east} and north limits of No 3; then the east limit and the cart track No (i) supra
the above numbers and Khandam stone at the north leaves it about one chain north
halli) to its northwest corner above numbers and Khandam of the Survey stone at the
north ~~est~~ limits of Khandam No 12 of for about 68 chains to a northeast corner of Survey No
west corner; then west for 4th Survey No 343 of Sanku 15 of ~~Adivigallapalli~~ Shethur
stone; then the east and north to the southwest corner length inside the reserve is
10 to cairn No 1 on the cart track village; then a straight line about 2 miles $2\frac{1}{2}$ furlongs
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West:- Then along the said cart
2, 3 & 4 to Cairn No 5 at the road
No 28; then along the west line
to a Cairn at the Northwest Cor
to the Southwest Cor
the reserve); then east ~~for 39~~

(vii) The foot path 2 yards wide
for men only from Shethur to
Adivigallapalli:- This
enters the reserve at the north
east corner of Survey No 64 of
Shethur and running northeast
and crossing the foot path

DRAFT NOTIFICATION.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act V of 1882 that, from the 1st June 1897, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification shall be constituted "reserved forest."

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Ananta pur.	Kalyandrug taluk.	Shetturu	<i>North.</i>—Starting from a cairn, about fourteen chains east of the north-east corner of survey No. 343 of Santakondapuram, a straight line east for about fifty-seven chains to a cairn eight chains west of the south-west corner of survey No. 495. <i>East.</i>—Thence a straight line south for forty chains to a cairn; then south-south-east for thirty-five chains to a cairn; then east slightly south to the south-east corner of survey No. 16 of Adivigollapalli; then skirting a cairn of Karnam Hanumakka (No. 17) to its south-east corner; then a straight line north-east for forty chains to a cairn on the south side of survey No. 44; then north-north-west for fourteen chains to a cairn on the left bank of a stream; then along the same bank of that stream to a cairn at the north-west corner of survey No. 491-B of Yatakalla; then the west and south sides of that number and the south side of survey No. 491-C, up to where it cuts the said stream; then along the left bank of that stream to a village boundary stone between Yatakalla and Bachehalli villages; then south for thirteen chains to a khandam stone; thence west for about two and a half chains to a cairn; thence south-south-west for six chains; then south-west for about five chains; then a straight line to the north-east corner of survey No. 49-B of Bachehalli; then the north and west sides of that number up to the point where the latter side turns east; then a straight line to its west-east corner; then a straight line to the north-east corner of survey No. 50 (inside the reserve); then south-south-east for about thirteen chains to a cairn on the right bank of a stream; then along that bank to where it cuts the north side of survey No. 56; then the north and west sides of that number up to the point where the said stream cuts the east side of survey No. 57; then along that stream up to where it cuts the west side of survey No. 57; then the west side of that number to its south-west corner; then south-south-west for about five chains to a cairn; then the west limit of khandam No. 14 to its south-west corner; thence the west limit of khandam No. 19 to a cairn on the right bank of a stream. <i>South.</i>—Thence the said bank of that stream up to where it cuts the north-east side of survey No. 125; then that side to its northernmost corner; then the east side of survey No. 126 to its north-east corner; then a straight line to the south-west corner of twelfth khandam inside the reserve; then a straight line to the second khandam stone on the east side of survey No. 154, counting north from and including the one at the north-west corner of survey No. 152; then the east and north limits of khandam No. 23 (all the above numbers and khandams are of Bachehalli) to its north-west corner; then the east and north limits of khandam No. 12 of Shetturu to its north-west corner; then west for forty-three chains to a khandam stone; then the east and north limits of khandam No. 10 to cairn No. 1 on the cart-track from Shetturu to Mamaduru. <i>West.</i>—Then along the said cart-track passing cairns Nos. 2, 3 and 4 to cairn No. 5 at the south-east corner of survey No. 28; then along the west limit of khandam No. 4 to a cairn at the north-west corner of survey No. 33 (inside the reserve); then east to the south-west corner of survey No. 31; thence to its south-east corner; then a straight line to the north-east corner of survey No. 32; then east-north-east for about fifteen chains; then the east and north limits of khandam No. 4 up to the south-east corner of khandam No. 3; then the east limit of khandam No. 3 to a village boundary stone at the north-east corner of survey No. 15 (all the above numbers and khandams are of Shetturu); then north-east for about sixty-eight chains to a cairn on the south side of survey No. 343 of Santakondapuram; then a straight line to the south-west corner of survey No. 344 of the same village; then a straight line north-east to the starting point.

I. REMARKS.—The following public rights of way are allowed:—

- The cart-track four yards wide from Adivigollapalle to Basaripalli. This enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 16 of Adivigollapalli and running south-west and then north-west and crossing the foot-path No. I (v) *infra*, leaves the reserve about a chain south of the easternmost corner of survey No. 31 of Shetturu. The length inside the reserve is about one mile and seven furlongs.
- The foot-path two yards wide for men only from Konapuram to Lingadévariahalli (hamlet of Bachehalli). This enters the reserve about fourteen chains south-west of the north-east corner of survey No. 19 of Adivigollapalli and running south and south-west for about one mile and seven and a quarter furlongs, leaves it seven chains west of the khandam stone at the south-west corner of khandam No. 12 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve).
- The cart-track four yards wide from Adivigollapalli to Bachehalli. This enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 44 of Adivigollapalli and running south-east for about one mile and two and a half furlongs, leaves it about two chains of the north-east corner of survey No. 49-B of Yatakalla.
- The cart-track five yards wide from Bachehalli to Shetturu. This enters the reserve about half a chain south of the north-west corner of survey No. 65 of Bachehalli and running west for about five furlongs, leaves it about eight chains south-east of the south-west corner of khandam No. 12 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve).
- The foot-path two yards wide for men only from Lingadévariahalli (hamlet of Bachehalli) to Mamaduru. This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 155 of Bachehalli and running north-west and crossing the foot-path No. I (vi) *infra* and the cart-track No. I (i) *supra* leaves it about one chain north of the survey stone at the north-east corner of survey No. 15 of Shetturu. The length inside the reserve is about two miles and two and a half furlongs.
- The foot-path two yards wide for men only from Shetturu to Adivigollapalli. This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 64 of Shetturu and running north-east and crossing the foot-path No. I (v) *supra* joins the cart-track No. I (i) *supra* inside the reserve, about 20 chains north of the north-east corner of survey No. 58 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve). The length inside the reserve is about six and a half furlongs.

II. The following has been ordered to be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation. The temple of Birappa Devudu situated in the ruined village of Pasalapalahalli with a space of ten yards square including the temple with access by the foot-path No. I (ii) *supra*.

(Signed) E. R. MURRAY,
District Forest Officer.

(Signed) E. A. SMITH,
Forest Settlement Officer.

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G.O., Nos. 228, 228A, 6th April 1899.

APRIL.

Reserved Forest.

The draft notification, under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act, for the constitution of the Shettur block, in the Kalyandrug taluk, as a —, ordered to be published in the Fort St. George and the Anantapur District Gazettes.

1899
REVENUE DEPT.

Encl. No. 3
No. 1877

V. Rangaraj

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), Forest No. 120, dated 6th March 1899:—

Read—the following letter from B. MACLEOD, Esq., Collector of Anantapur, to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, dated 11th January 1899, No. 647:—

I have the honour to forward herewith the papers relating to the final reservation of Shetturu reserve situated in the Kalyandrug taluk.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

From E. A. SMITH, Esq., Special Deputy Collector on Forest Settlement duty, Nellore, &c., Districts, to the Collector of Anantapur (through the District Forest-officer, Anantapur), dated Giddalur, 4th December 1898, Ref. No. 262-Cur.

I have the honour to report the conclusion of the settlement of the proposed Shetturu reserve in the Kalyandrug taluk.

2. The initial notification under section 4 of the Madras Forest Act proposing to constitute this area into a reserved forest appeared at page 274 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 19th March 1895, and the proclamation under section 6 of the Act was published in the District Gazette, dated 1st July 1895. The time allowed for the presentation of claims expired on the 1st October 1895.

3. I was originally appointed to settle this block and afterwards Mr. W. C. McMurray. In 1896 it was re-transferred to me for settlement. During my absence on privilege leave, M.R. Ry. P. S. Singaravelu Pillai Avergal was appointed Settlement-officer; but in notification published in *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 18th October 1898, the block was again re-transferred to me.

4. The block was inspected, perambulated and enquired into by me in June 1898 and twenty-eight claims were preferred for the following rights:—

- (i) Seven claims to seven rights of way.
- (ii) Three claims to temples and shrines.
- (iii) Three claims to rights of way to the above.
- (iv) Eight claims to Government patta and inam fields.
- (v) Seven claims to rights of way to fields.

The claims to rights of way involved in item No. (i) were all admitted and one of the rights of way has been excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. Of the three claims to temples and shrines involved in item No. (ii), two claims were admitted, while the remaining claim was rejected as the temple lies outside the reserve. Of those admitted, the temple in one case has been excluded by an alteration of the reserve boundary, while the shrine in the remaining case has been demarcated out and retained an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation. Of the three claims to rights of way to the temples and shrines involved in item No. (iii), one claim was admitted, while the remaining claims were rejected as unnecessary. The claims to patta and inam fields involved in item No. (iv) were all admitted. The patta and inam fields in four cases have been excluded by an alteration of the reserve boundary, while those in the remaining cases have been acquired under the Land Acquisition Act.

5. A slight alteration has been made in the eastern and southern boundaries of the reserve with the consent of the District Forest-officer to throw the reserve line a little further from the village sites of Adivi, Gollapalli and Lingadévarlahalli.

6. The reserve is thus free of all rights except those stated above.

7. The following are submitted herewith:—

- (i) A signed copy of the B register of claims.
- (ii) The draft notification under section 16.
- (iii) The sketch-map of the reserve.
- (iv) The numerical statement of claims filed and disposed of.

8. The date from which reservation is to take effect has to be inserted in the draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.

B. REGISTER OF CLAIMS TO LANDS, RIGHTS TO FOREST PRODUCE OR EASEMENTS IN THE PROPOSED SHETTURU RESERVED FOREST, KALYANDRUG TALUK, ANANTAPUR DISTRICT.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	Ramappah, karnam of Santikondapuram.	19th June 1898.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the cart-track from Santikondapuram to Basaripalli.	....	District Forest-officer agrees to exclusion by alteration of boundary.	Claim admitted. Cart-track will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
2	Lakshmiipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	22nd June 1898.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community, right to the temple of Vodisalamma situated in survey No. 63 north-east of the village of Lingadévarlahalli.	....	Do.	Claim admitted. The temple will be thrown out of the reserve by the alteration of the boundary. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
3	Lakshmiipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community, right of way to the temple of Vodisalamma branching from the cart-track.	....	Do.	Claim rejected, temple being excluded. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
4	Lakshmiipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the cart-track from Bachehalli to Shetturu.	This enters the reserve about half a chain south of the north-west corner of survey No. 65 of Bachehalli and running west for about five furlongs leaves it about eight chains south-east of the south-west corner of Khandam No. XII of Bachehalli (inside the reserve).	District Forest-officer admits.	Claim admitted. A cart-track of the width of five yards will be allowed. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
5	Lakshmiipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the cart-track from Adivigollapalli to Bachehalli.	This enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 44 of Adivigollapalli and running south-east for about one mile two and a half furlongs leaves it about two chains east of the north-east corner of survey No. 49-B of Yatakalla.	Do.	Claim admitted. A cart-track four yards wide will be allowed. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.

Claim No. 4.—Marked as I (iv) in the notification and map.

Claim No. 5.—Marked as I (iii) in the notification and map.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Shetturu reserved forest, &c.—cont.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
6	Lakshmipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	22nd June 1898.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the cart-track from Adivigollapalli to Basaripalli.	This enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 16 of Adivigollapalli and running south-west and then north-west admitted in claim No. 7-7 leaves the reserve about a chain south of the easternmost corner of survey No. 31 of Shetturu. The length inside the reserve is about one mile seven furlongs.	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. A cart-track four yards wide will be allowed. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
7	Lakshmipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the foot-path from Lingadevariahalli (hamlet of Bachehalli to Mamaduru).	This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 155 of Bachehalli and running north-west and crossing the foot-path admitted in claim No. 9-9 and the cart-track admitted in claim No. 6-6 leaves it about one chain north of the survey stone at the north-east corner of survey No. 15 of Shetturu. The length inside the reserve is about two miles two and a half furlongs.	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. A foot-path to a width of two yards for men only will be allowed. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
8	Lakshmipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the foot-path from Konupam to Lingadevariahalli (hamlet of Bachehalli).	This enters the reserve about fourteen chains south-west of the north-east corner of survey No. 19 of Adivigollapalli and running south and south-west for about one mile seven and a quarter furlongs leaves it seven chains west of the khandam stone at the south-west corner of khandam No. 12 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve).	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. A foot-path two yards wide for men only will be allowed. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
9	Lakshmipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the public, right of way over the foot-path from Shetturu to Adivigollapalli.	This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 64 of Shetturu and running north-east and crossing the foot-path admitted in claim No. 7-7 joins the cart-track admitted in claim No. 6-6 inside the reserve about twenty chains north of the north-east corner of survey No. 58 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve). The length inside the reserve is about six and a half furlongs.	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted accordingly for a foot-path two yards wide for men only up to where it joins the cart-track admitted in claim No. 6-6. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
10	Lakshmipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community, right to the shrine of Birappa Devudu situated in the ruined village of Passalapisahalli.	....	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. The shrine with a space of ten yards square (including it) will be demarcated out and treated as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.

Claim No. 6.—Marked as I (i) in the notification and map.
Claim No. 7.—Do. as I (v) do.
Claim No. 8.—Do. as I (ii) do.

Claim No. 9.—Marked as I (vi) in the notification and map.
Claim No. 10.—Do. as II

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Shetturu reserved forest, &c.—cont.

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief abstract of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
11	Lakshmipathi, karnam of Shetturu.	22nd June 1898.	Claims, on behalf of the Hindu community, right of way to the above shrine.	....	The District Forest-officer admits the claim.	Claim admitted. Access will be allowed by the foot-path admitted in claim No. 8-8. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
12	Akathota Kotamma of Bachehalli.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey Nos. 48-A and 49-B, measuring 4.93 acres assessed at Rs. 0-10-0 and 10-88 acres assessed at Rs. 1-6-0 respectively of Bachehalli.	Supported by village accounts.	The District Forest-officer admits the claim and wishes to exclude the fields.	Claim admitted. The fields will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
13	Akathota Kotamma of Bachehalli.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey Nos. 48-A and 49-B of Bachehalli.	....	Unnecessary if excluded.	Claim rejected as unnecessary, the fields having been excluded. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
14	Panchangam Obulappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims inam right over survey No. 68 of Bachehalli measuring 17.8 acres assessed at Rs. 2-2-0, quit-rent, Rs. 0-6-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to acquire the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 9th August 1898.
15	Panchangam Obulappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims right of way to inam survey No. 58 of Bachehalli.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	Claim rejected by the grant in exchange of survey No. 207-B of Shetturu measuring 13.99 acres assessed at Rs. 3-8-0 in addition to a money compensation of Rs. 7-0-0 sanctioned by the Collector in N. Dis. No. 1896, dated 3rd October 1898. (Signed) E. A. SMITH, Forest Sett.-officer. 25th October 1898.
16	Karnam Sinappa of Shetturu.	Do.	Claims patta right over survey No. 126 of Bachehalli measuring 5.34 acres assessed at Rs. 0-11-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to exclude the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 10th August 1898.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Shettum reserved Forest, &c.—*cont.*

No.	Names of claimants.	Date of presentation of claims.	Nature and extent of claims preferred.	Brief summary of the evidence adduced in support of claims.	Brief summary of the District Forest-officer's arguments and evidence produced by him.	Brief summary of decision and final disposal of the claims by the Forest Settlement-officer.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
22	Karnam Kristappa of Shettur.	22nd June 1898.	Claims inam patta right over survey No. 58, measuring 12.46 acres, assessed at Rs. 1-9-0, quit-rent Rs. 3-1-0 of Adivigollapalli.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to acquire the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be acquired under the Land Acquisition Act. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 10th August 1898.
23	Karnam Kristappa of Shettur.	Do.	Claims right of way to inam patta survey No. 58 of Adivigollapalli.	....	Unnecessary if acquired.	<i>Note</i> —Acquired on payment of money compensation of Rs. 30. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 30th September 1898.
24	Pujari Rangappa of Bachehalli.	Do.	Claims on behalf of Ohuladevaraswami inam right over survey No. 56 of Bachehalli, measuring 57.11 acres, assessed at Rs. 7-2-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to exclude the field.	Claim rejected as unnecessary, the field having been acquired. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 10th August 1898.
25	Rudrappa, Karnam of Yatakallu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community right to the temple of Virngalu situated at the north-west corner of survey No. 491.	The temple lies outside the reserve.	....	Claim admitted to the portion inside the reserve which will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 11th August 1898.
26	Rudrappa, Karnam of Yatakallu.	Do.	Claims on behalf of the Hindu community right of way to the above temple.	....	Unnecessary	Claim rejected as unnecessary as the temple lies outside the reserve. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 11th August 1898.
27	Yajamana Govindappa, Karnam of Konapuram.	24th June 1898.	Claims patta right over survey No. 491-B of Yatakallu, measuring 39.12 acres, assessed at Rs. 4-14-0.	Supported by village accounts.	Admits claim and wishes to exclude the field.	Claim admitted. The field will be excluded by an alteration of the boundary of the reserve. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 11th August 1898.
28	Yajamana Govindappa, Karnam of Konapuram.	Do.	Claims right of way to survey No. 491-B of Yatakallu.	....	Unnecessary	Claim rejected as unnecessary, the field having been excluded. (Signed) P. S. SINGARAVELU, Forest Sett.-officer. 11th August 1898.

(Signed) E. A. SMITH,
Forest Sett.-officer.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.

STATEMENT of area and condition of Shetturu reserve.

Total area of the taluks.	Extent of Government land in the taluk.		Area of reserves notified under section 16.	Area of reserves under settlement.	Area of reserves now submitted under section 16.	Character of land proposed for reservation.		Sketch-map.
	Occu- pied.	Unoccu- pied.				Scrub.	Grass.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	SQ. MLS.	SQ. MLS.	SQ. MLS. ACS.	SQ. MLS. ACS.	ACS.			
Dharmava- ram and Kalyan- drug ..	1,402	690	712	23 and 137	25 and 484	4,379.91	Scrub jungle ..	Herewith sent.

Note.—The figures in column 4 relate to the Kalyandrug taluk only.

ENCLOSURE No. 5.

STATEMENT showing the number of claims filed and disposed of.

Name and number of the block	Claims to patta and inam lands.						Claims to rights of way.			Claims to shrines or temples and rights of way to them.			Claims to rights of way to fields.			Total of all claims.		
	Filed.		Admitted.		Rejected.													
	Number claims.	Extent.	Number claims.	Extent.	Number claims.	Extent.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Shetturu ..	8	ACS. 154	8	ACS. 154	..	..	7	7	..	6	3	3	7	..	7	28	18	10

* 36.62 acquired; 117.38 excluded.

ENCLOSURE No. 6.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by E. D. M. HOOPER, Esq., Acting Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, dated Camp, Konavaram, 22nd January 1899, R.C. No. 1205.

Forwarded.

Resolution.—Forest No. 120, dated 6th March 1899.

Submitted to Government for approval and publication of the draft final notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

2. (i) *Claims Nos. 5 and 6.*—The decision on these claims allows a width of four yards for the cart-tracks, while the draft notification admits them to a width of five yards. The entry in the draft notification has been corrected on the authority of the B. Register.

(ii) *Claim No. 7.*—The foot-path referred to leaves the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 15 of Shetturu village and not of Adivigollapalli village as recorded in the B. Register and notification. The necessary corrections have been made in these documents.

(iii) The total extent of the several patta and inam fields claimed within the reserve is 154 acres and not 153.28 acres as stated in the numerical statement of claims submitted by the Forest Settlement-officer.

3. The reservation of the block may commence from the 30th June next.

(True Copies and Extract.)

(Signed) LIONEL DAVIDSON,
Acting Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department,
with draft notifications (one original and two printed)
and a sketch-map to be returned.

ORDER—No 228, Revenue, dated 6th April 1899.

Forest No. 64.

The draft notification will be published in the Fort St. George and Anantapur District Gazettes, the 15th June 1899 being entered as the date from which reservation shall take effect.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) G. S. FORBES,
Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), with map.
„ the Superintendent, Government Press, with notification.

Endorsement No. 228A.

Copy to the Government of India, Revenue and Agricultural Department.

(Signed) N. E. MARJORIBANKS,
Ag. Under Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATION.

His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased to declare, under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act V of 1882 that, from the 15th June 1899, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification shall be constituted "reserved forest."

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
Ananta-pur.	Kalyandrug	Shettura	<i>North.</i>—Starting from a cairn, about fourteen chains east of the north-east corner of survey No. 343 of Santakondapuram, a straight line east for about fifty-seven chains to a cairn eight chains west of the south-west corner of survey No. 495. <i>East.</i>—Thence a straight line south for forty chains to a cairn; then south-south-east for thirty-five chains to a cairn; then east slightly south to the south-east corner of survey No. 16 of Adivigollapalli; then skirting inam of Karnam Hanumakka (No. 17) to its south-east corner; then a straight line north-east for forty chains to a cairn on the south side of survey No. 44; then north-north-west for fourteen chains to a cairn on the left bank of a stream; then along the same bank of that stream to a cairn at the north-west corner of survey No. 491-B of Yatakallu; then the west and south sides of that number and the south side of survey No. 491-C, up to where it cuts the said stream; then along the left bank of that stream to a village boundary stone between Yatakallu and Bachehalli villages; then south for thirteen chains to a khandam stone; thence west for about two and a half chains to a cairn; thence south-south-west for six chains; then south-west for about five chains; then a straight line to the north-east corner of survey No. 49-B of Bachehalli; then the north and west sides of that number up to the point where the latter side turns east; then a straight line to its westernmost corner; then a straight line to the north-east corner of survey No. 50 (inside the reserve); then south-south-east for about thirteen chains to a cairn on the right bank of a stream; then along that bank to where it cuts the north side of survey No. 56; then the north and west sides of that number up to the point where the said stream cuts the east side of survey No. 57; then along that stream up to where it cuts the west side of survey No. 57; then the west side of that number to its south-west corner; then south-south-west for about five chains to a cairn; then the west limit of khandam No. 14 to its south-west corner; thence the west limit of khandam No. 19 to a cairn on the right bank of a stream. <i>South.</i>—Then the said bank of that stream up to where it cuts the north-east side of survey No. 125; then that side to its northernmost corner; then the east side of survey No. 126 to its north-east corner; then a straight line to the south-west corner of twelfth khandam inside the reserve; then a straight line to the second khandam stone on the east side of survey No. 154, counting north from and including the one at the north-west corner of survey No. 152; then the east and north limits of khandam No. 23 (all the above numbers and khandams are of Bachehalli) to its north-west corner; then the east and north limits of khandam No. 12 of Shettura to its north-west corner; then west for forty-three chains to a khandam stone; then the east and north limits of khandam No. 10 to cairn No. 1 on the cart-track from Shettura to Mamaduru. <i>West.</i>—Then along the said cart-track passing cairns Nos. 2, 3 and 4 to cairn No. 5 at the south-east corner of survey No. 28; then along the west limit of khandam No. 4 to a cairn at the north-west corner of survey No. 33 (inside the reserve); then east to the south-west corner of survey No. 31; thence to its south-east corner; then a straight line to the north-east corner of survey No. 32; then east-north-east for about fifteen chains; then the east and north limits of khandam No. 4 up to the south-east corner of khandam No. 3; then the east limit of khandam No. 3 to a village boundary stone at the north-east corner of survey No. 15 (all the above numbers and khandams are of Shettura); then north-east for about sixty-eight chains to a cairn on the south side of survey No. 343 of Santakondapuram; then a straight line to the south-west corner of survey No. 344 of the same village; then a straight line north-east to the starting point.

I. REMARKS.—The following public rights of way are allowed:—

- (i) The cart-track four yards wide from Adivigollapalle to Basaripalli. This enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 16 of Adivigollapalli and running south-west and then north-west and crossing the foot-path No. I (v) *infra*, leaves the reserve about a chain south of the easternmost corner of survey No. 31 of Shettura. The length inside the reserve is about one mile and seven furlongs.
 - (ii) The foot-path two yards wide for men only from Konapuram to Lingadévarlahalli (hamlet of Bachehalli). This enters the reserve about fourteen chains south-west of the north-east corner of survey No. 19 of Adivigollapalli and running south and south-west for about one mile and seven and a quarter furlongs, leaves it seven chains west of the khandam stone at the south-west corner of khandam No. 12 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve).
 - (iii) The cart-track four yards wide from Adivigollapalli to Bachehalli. This enters the reserve at the south-east corner of survey No. 44 of Adivigollapalli and running south-east for about one mile and two and a half furlongs, leaves it about two chains east of the north-east corner of survey No. 49-B of Yatakallu.
 - (iv) The cart-track five yards wide from Bachehalli to Shettura. This enters the reserve about half a chain south of the north-west corner of survey No. 65 of Bachehalli and running west for about five furlongs, leaves it about eight chains south-east of the south-west corner of khandam No. 12 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve).
 - (v) The foot path two yards wide for men only from Lingadévarlahalli (hamlet of Bachehalli) to Mamaduru. This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 155 of Bachehalli and running north-west and crossing the foot-path No. I (vi) *infra* and the cart-track No. I (i) *supra* leaves it about one chain north of the survey stone at the north-east corner of survey No. 15 of Shettura. The length inside the reserve is about two miles and two and a half furlongs.
 - (vi) The foot-path two yards wide for men only from Shettura to Adivigollapalli. This enters the reserve at the north-east corner of survey No. 64 of Shettura and running north-east and crossing the foot-path No. I (v) *supra* joins the cart-track No. I (i) *supra* inside the reserve, about 20 chains north of the north-east corner of survey No. 58 of Bachehalli (inside the reserve). The length inside the reserve is about six and a half furlongs.
- II. The following has been ordered to be demarcated out and retained as an enclosure within the reserve free from reservation. The temple of Birappa Devudu situated in the ruined village of Pasalapisalhalli with a space of ten yards square including the temple with access by the foot-path No. I (ii) *supra*.

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