Revenue (1897) Department.

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G.O., Nos 257-257A

Dated 22nd April

[Despatch Abstract.]

Ordering the publication in the Fort St. George & S. Canara District Gazettes of the draft notification under section 16 of the Madras Forest Act for the Constitution of the Korakhalban block in the Kondapalli Taluk as a Reserved Forest.

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From

The Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue.)

The draft notification will be published in the Fort St George and S. Canara Gazettes, the 6th June 1899 being entered as the date from which reservation shall take effect.

Mr Dutt

FOREST No. 122.

Dated 6th March 1899.

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Mr Dutt

SUBJECT.

Subg to Govt, for approval and publication in the Fort St George Gazette, draft notifn under Sec 18 of the Madras Forest Act for the Constitution of the Kovatillabare block in the Coondapoor taluk South Canara Dt, as a reserved forest.

* B. Proc No. 4941 Mis. 14-12-98

Note The initial reservation of the block was approved in G.O No. 665 14-9-94. Sometime after the B.S. & L. asked that three months' time may be allowed in the case of S. Canara blocks; hence the date proposed in the draft order above.

Mr 7-6-99

25th June Intg Mr Dutt

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

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Board of Revenue

(Land Revenue),

MADRAS.

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Proceedings, Forest No. 122, 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 Koratikalbare block, in the Coondapoor taluk, South Canara district, as a reserved forest.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF REVENUE
(LAND REVENUE).

READ—the following letter from H. S. MULLINS, Esq., Special Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, to the Collector of South Canara, dated Camp, Coondapoor, 15th November 1898, Dis. No. 187-F.S. :—

I have the honour to submit the settlement records of block No. 64, Koratikalbare. This block is one of the four notified in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 25th September 1894, and the Board in their Proceedings, No. 550, dated 21st August 1894, paragraph 3, proposed that the four blocks on submission after settlement should be amalgamated. This for the reasons pointed out when submitting block No. 63, Madibare, has not been done. The four blocks referred to are the two mentioned above, one of which, as stated, has already been submitted, the other is now submitted; of block No. 27, Hullumurdibare, the settlement is now complete and the fourth block No. 65, Megani valley, will shortly be taken up for settlement.

2. The block now under submission was taken up by me for settlement during March 1897, and, on completion, the plan being found inaccurate, resurvey was found to be necessary. This resurvey was carried out by the surveyor attached to the Forest Settlement office and from it the section 16 plan herewith submitted was prepared by the Forest office and sent to me on the 3rd instant.

3. The section 4 notification of the boundary followed the direction between cairns of the section 4 plan, but was qualified by the mention of cultivations which it skirted. Had the direction of the lines in the section 4 boundary been followed on the ground, the proposed reserve boundary would not have skirted the cultivations mentioned. The demarcated line, on which the settlement operations were based, agreed as regards the cultivations with the section 4 notification. I consider therefore that the area now proposed for reservation does not exceed that notified under section 4.

4. The number of claims preferred against the block was 9; three comprising nine public rights of way, two kumaki claims, three water easements, one of which contained also a request for a Bhutastan, and one claim to proprietary right; of these two kumaki claims, three claims for public rights of way, the one to the Bhutastan and two to rights to water were admitted, the remaining were dismissed. In claim No. 8, order No. 9, it will be noted that the claim was originally dismissed as time-barred; a revision order, however, under the instructions passed in Board's Proceedings, No. 1079, dated 18th October 1897, was afterwards passed admitting the claim to two dams and channels. In claim No. 4, though the claim has been dismissed as time-barred, for reasons given in the order, the dismissal is not purely technical, and may stand. The same remark applies to claim No. 7, order No. 4. The remaining claims and orders do not call for any special remark, except claim No. 3 on which a revision order has also been passed.

5. Against my orders, one appeal only was preferred, namely, claim No. 2 against order No. 2, the District Forest-officer referring the matter to the Collector who upheld my decision.

6. The last order was passed on the 3rd May 1897; if revision orders are not taken into account, and since the revision order of the 7th instant grants to the claimant rights which were refused him in the order of the 3rd May of the previous year, and as he did not appeal against the original order, it is highly improbable that he will appeal against that now passed.

7. The block is thus free of all rights save those mentioned in the draft notification (Enclosure No. 2).

8. I herewith submit the following records of settlement of the block :—

(*a*) Signed copy of the B. Register.

(*b*) Draft notification under section 16.

(*c*) Statement showing the number of claims filed and their disposal.

(*d*) Sketch-map of the block.

9. The date from which reservation is to take effect has been left out in the draft notification to be filled in by Government.

ENCLOSURE No. 1.

B. REGISTER of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Koratikalbare reserved forest, Block No. 64, Coondapoor taluk, South Canara 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 1-A.	The District Forest-officer, South Canara.	2nd Nov. 1895.	Claims the following public rights of way :— (1) Golihole-Bavadi foot-path. (2) Areshirur-Kollur foot-path. (3) Jedkal-Chiyarsal foot-path. (4) Melhalli-Gudikere foot-path.	....	....	The rights of way proposed by the District Forest-officer are admitted. (Signed) H. ROBERTSON, Forest Sett.-officer. CHITTOOR, 8th February 1896. Order amplified by the Special Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara— (1) Golikole-Bavadi path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve ninety yards east of cairn No. 123, passes through it in a north-north-easterly direction for half a mile, quitting it to pass into the Megani valley reserve on the boundary between the two blocks. (2) Areshirur-Kollur foot-path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve twenty-five yards north of cairn No. 130, passes through it east-north east some eight hundred yards and quits it on the boundary between this reserve and the Megani valley block. (3) Jedkal-Chiyarsal foot-path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve eighty-five yards west of cairn No. 169, passes through it nearly quarter of a mile north and quits it one hundred yards west of cairn No. 170. (4) Melhalli-Gudikere foot-path, three feet wide for men only, enters the reserve forty yards west of cairn No. 89, passes through it nearly east for about a quarter of a mile and quits it twenty-five yards north-west of enclosure cairn No. 18. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Spl. Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara.
2 2-A.	Timma Gouda, nephew of Venkat Gouda of Areshirur village.	17th Mar. 1897.	MANGALORE, 5th November 1898. Claims— (1) Right to the use of water of a permanent spring, situate two hundred yards south-east of cairn No. 130 for the cultivation of muli No. 5 of Areshirur (2) Right to a water channel to lead off water from the spring to his cultivation. (3) Right of way into the forest for the repair of the channel. (4) Right to grow and cut sago palm trees as are required for the repair and maintenance of the channel. (5) Right to cut sago palms planted by himself for the repair of the channel. (6) Rights herein prescribed to extend not more than one furlong into the forest and to be comprised within a breadth of five yards from the centre of the natural channel on which the aqueduct is built, the spring being situate two hundred yards south-east of cairn No. 130 and the aqueduct leaving the reserve the same distance south of the same cairn.	The claimant was supported by the Potail of Areshirur as to mamul right of use.	The District Forest-officer does not dispute the claim, but requests that the easements claimed may be subjected to the control of the Forest Department.	Claim is admitted and the following easements are granted :— (1) Right of entry into the forest by a path alongside of the aqueduct (described below) up to the spring. (2) Right to plant two sago palm trees a year on the borders of the aqueduct and not more than two yards distant from either side of it for use in the repair thereof. (3) Right to use of the water of the spring all the year for the cultivation of Muli Warg No. 5 of Areshirur and for drinking purposes. (4) Right to keep the aqueduct in a state of repair and of entry for that purpose for himself twice daily. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Spl. Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara.
3 3-A.	Nagappa Holla, son of Venkatramana Holla, residing in Paduvari village, Baindur magane.	24th Mar. 1897.	GOLIHOLE, 17th March 1897. Claims— (1) Kumaki at cairns Nos. 115, 117 and 118 for Geni No. 1 of Golihole. (2) Right to half an acre of garden land, a portion of Muli warg No. 1 of Golihole, included within the reserve.	....	The District Forest-officer objects to the claim of proprietary right on the ground that it is time-barred ; as regards the kumaki, elects to be guided by the Forest Settlement-officer's inspection notes.	(1) Claim admitted as regards cairns Nos. 117 and 118 and kumaki allowed by alteration of reserve boundary. Claim as regards cairn No. 115 rejected. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Spl. Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara. BAINDUR, 24th March 1897. Revised order as per Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1079, dated 18th October 1897. 2. No portion of the garden claimed was found on inspection within the reserve. (Extract from inspection notes). (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Spl. Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara. MANGALORE, 5th November 1898.

Claim 1.—Marked as P.R.W. Nos. IV, III, II and VII, respectively. *Claim* 2.—Easement No

The Collector in appeal preferred by the District Forest-officer confirmed the order of the Court of Forest Settlement, dated 20th November 1897.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Koratikalbare reserved for ... &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
4 7-A.	Venkappamaiya, son of Subrayamaiya, Potail of Hallihossur village.	10th April 1897.	Claims proprietary right on— (1) A waste land included within the reserve between cairns Nos. 74 and 76. (2) A garden land east of cairn No. 77 included within the reserve. (3) A portion of Koragudde cultivation included within the reserve. (4) A garden between cairns Nos. 15 and 16 included within the reserve. (5) The whole of the reserve between cairns Nos 72 and 96 up to the water-shed on the Mysore frontier, all the above being portions of Muli Warg No. 1 of Hallihossur.	The claimant is generally known to be the owner of Hallihossur village and he maintains that the boundary of the village and consequently his warg land is the Mysore frontier.	The range-officer contests the claim as time-barred, the reserve having been notified under section 6 in October 1894.	The contention of the range officer is admitted, but the claim is dismissed on paragraph 5 of the claim which shows the claim to be based on the ancient "Netticut" privileges of wargdars which have not been recognised by Government. The lands claimed are now the property of Government having been excluded from the claimant's warg land and relinquished by him thirty years ago under the Revenue departmental order. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Special Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara.
5 6-A.	Venkappamaiya, son of Subrayamaiya, Potail of Hallihossur.	10th April 1897.	(1) Claims kumaki at cairns Nos. 79, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 94, 95, 14, 19, 18 and 15. (2) States that cairn No. 80 is on his waste land and requests its removal. (3) Prays for more kumaki by carrying the reserve boundary direct from cairn No. 94 to cairn No. 98. (4) Prays for the cutting of the jungle around Gudikere as it harbours wild beasts. (5) Prays that the portion of the reserve between Gudikere enclosure and Hullikadike cultivation may be abandoned.	Forest Settlement-officer's Inspection.	Not contested by the range officer appearing on behalf of the District-Forest-officer.	HALLIHOSSUR, 10th April 1897. (1) The claim is admitted and the reserve boundary will be altered by the Forest Settlement Surveyor, so as to allow one hundred yards kumaki at such cairns as are within one hundred yards of claimant's lands. (2) The claim is dismissed as it is found that the land mentioned does not form a part of Warg No. 1 of Hallihossur. (3), (4) and (5). The requests of the petitioner cannot be granted. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Special Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara.
6 5-A.	Venkappamaiya, son of Subrayamaiya, Potail of Hallihossur.	10th April 1897.	Claims rights of way on behalf of the public— (1) Path from Hullikadike to Gudikere for men and cattle. (2) Path from Jettanadi to Gudikere for men and cattle. (3) Path from Korgudde to Gudikere for men and cattle. (4) Path to and from a drinking water tank south-west of Gudikere, for men only. (5) Path from Gudikere to Megani valley for men and cattle. (6) Path from Kavali to Murvana for men and cattle.	Actual existence on the ground.	Not contested by the range officer who appeared on behalf of the District Forest-officer.	The claim is admitted as follows :— (1) Hullikadike-Gudikere path, to a width of six feet for men and cattle, enters the reserve at and on the west side of cairn No. 83, passes through it nearly south for one and a half furlongs and joins the Jettanadi-Gudikere foot-path just before the latter enters the enclosure. (2) Jettanadi-Gudikere foot-path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve one furlong south-west of cairn No. 84, passes through it in a south-easterly direction some three hundred and sixty yards and quits it thirty yards north-east of enclosure cairn No. 19. (3) This path has already been admitted—*vide* order No. 1, item No. 4 (P.R.W. No. VII). (4) The Gudikere tank path, three feet wide for men only, will pass direct to the tank which is only ten yards within the reserve between enclosure cairns Nos. 18 and 19.

(5) Halliberu-Gudikere foot-path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve from the Megani valley block at a point where the Kadukod river crosses the reserve boundary, passes down the slopes of the spur in a generally west-south-westerly direction, the distance as the crow flies being about one and a quarter miles and quits it two hundred and fifty yards south-east of enclosure cairn No. 14.

(6) Kavali-Murvana foot-path, to a width of three feet for men only, enters the reserve two hundred and fifty yards south-south-east of cairn No. 95, passes through it in a north-north-easterly direction, two hundred and seventy yards and quits it one hundred and eighty yards east of the same cairn.

HALLIHOSSUR,
10th April 1897.

(Signed) H. S. MULLINS,
Special Forest Sett.-officer,
Malabar and South Canara.

Claim 6.—Item Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6 are marked as P.R.W. Nos. IX, VIII, X, I and VI respectively.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Koratikalbare 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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7 4-A.	Venkappamaiya, son of Subrayamaiya, Potail of Hallibossur.	9th April 1897.	Claims the following easements— (1) A dam and channel across the Hejjal river between cairns Nos. 72 and 74. (2) A dam and channel on the stream between cairns Nos. 74 and 76. (3) A dam across the south Hejjal river and channel. (4) A tank and channel between cairns Nos. 78 and 79. (5) Two dams across the stream between cairns Nos. 80 and 81 and two channels. (6) A dam across the stream between cairns Nos. 82 and 83 and channel therefrom. (7) A spring and channel to the east of cairn No. 86 and a dam across the stream above it. (8) A dam across the stream between cairns Nos. 89 and 90 and channel therefrom. (9) Two dams across the streams between cairns Nos. 92 and 94 and two channels. (10) A dam across the stream between cairns Nos. 14 and 15 and a channel. (11) A dam across stream between cairns Nos. 15 and 16 and channel therefrom, all within the reserve, and right to maintain in serviceable condition.	Rights exercised from time immemorial.	The Range officer appearing for the District Forest-officer, registers his contention that the claims are time-barred, the reserve having been notified for reservation in 1894.	The claimant fails to adduce any reason why the claim should not be time-barred as contended on behalf of the range officer. I visited all the localities mentioned in the claim and found the dams and channels which are all very small and close to the reserve boundary in existence. I do not consider, however, that by admitting the contention of the Forest Department I shall be depriving the claimant of the power of irrigating his lands as dams and channels outside the reserve will serve his purpose quite as well as those he now claims the right of use. I therefore dismiss the claim to one and all the easements mentioned in the plaint as time-barred. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, HALLIHOSSUR, Special Forest Sett.-officer, 10th April 1897. Malabar and South Canara.
8 9-A.	Venkatramana Vaidya, Potail of Golihole on behalf of the public.	29th April 1897.	Claims— (1) A right of way from Golihole to Bavadi for men and cattle. (2) Two water courses.	....	The District Forest-officer does not contest the claim.	(1) The claim to the right of way is already admitted—*vide* order No. 1, item No. 1 (F.R.W. No. IV). (2) The claim to water courses is dismissed. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, KOLLUR, Special Forest Sett.-officer, 1st May 1897. Malabar and South Canara.
9 8-A.	Venkatramana Shanbhogue, son of Timmappa Shanbhogue, residing in Yelajita village	Do.	Claims— (1) Two dams and water channels for the irrigation of Geni No. 1 of Yelajita, the dams being named Hollekere katta and Samanaguddi katta. (2) Right of way to and to worship at the Hulidevara bhutastan situate within the reserve.	Personal narration ..	Not contested	Item No. 2 The claim to the Hulidevara bhutastan, which covers an area of six feet by six feet or thirty-six square feet together with an additional space of two feet on each side of it, making a space of ten feet by ten feet, of an area one hundred square feet, is admitted and the shrine will be demarcated out free from reservation and form an enclosure within the reserve. Right of way thereto will be by a path three feet wide for men only entering the reserve about ten yards east of cairn No. 105 and passing through it in a north-easterly direction two hundred and fifty yards to the Bhutastan enclosure. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, KOLLUR, Special Forest Sett.-officer, 3rd May 1897. Malabar and South Canara.

* *Revised order as per Board's Proceedings, Mis. No.* 1079, *dated* 18*th October* 1897. Item No. 1. As the Court's inspection notes show that the dams are actually in existence, the order of dismissal will be, and is hereby, cancelled and the claim to the two dams is admitted as follows:—

Permission is accorded to the cultivator for the time being of Geni No. 1 of Yelajita village, known as Hanigudde, to construct two dams across the Nandikuli stream at points one hundred and forty yards north-east of and one hundred and thirty yards east-south-east of cairn No. 106, respectively, and to lead off water therefrom by channels (1) three feet wide including its banks, running through the reserve south-west for one hundred and eighty yards and quitting it thirty-five yards west of cairn No. 106 and (2) three feet wide, including its banks, running through the reserve nearly westward for one hundred and twenty-five yards, quitting it fifty yards south of cairn No. 106 for the irrigation of that land. No material from the forest may be obtained for the construction of these dams, such material being obtained from the kumaki land attached to the warg. The maintenance and repairs of the channels will be executed with material obtained from the bed of channels as above specified; and entry into the reserve for the construction of the dams and maintenance of the channels will be from May to Octobe. yearly and by the bed of the channels.

(Signed) H. S. MULLINS,
Special Forest Sett.-officer,
Malabar and South Canara.

MANGALORE,
7th November 1898.

Claim 9.—Item 1—Dams Nos. 1 and 2 and channel Nos. 1 and 2.

Claim 9.—Item 2—Enclosure No. 2 and F.R.W. No. V.

ENCLOSURE No. 2.—Draft notification.

ENCLOSURE No. 3.

STATEMENT showing the number of claims filed and their disposal.

Number and name of block.	Claims to rights of way.			Claims to kumakis.			Claims to easements.			Claims of patta and inam rights over lands and to Government patta usufruct over trees.			Miscellaneous.			Total of all claims.		
	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	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
No. 64, Koratikalbare.	3	(*a*) 3	..	2	(*b*) 2	..	3	(*c*) 2	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	9	7	2

(*a*) One contained a request for the use of two water courses, which was rejected.
(*b*) One contained a request for proprietary right over half an acre of garden land which was rejected. Another admitted in part.
(*c*) One contained a request for a bhutastan, which was admitted.

ENCLOSURE No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by A. F. PINNEY, Esq., Acting Collector of South Canara, dated 19th November 1898, N. Dis. on C. No. 1088-For.

Submitted to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, Madras, through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.

The usual area statement is enclosed.

ENCLOSURE.

STATEMENT of area and condition to accompany draft notification under section 16 for the undermentioned block.

Name and area of taluk.		Character of lands now proposed for reservation.
Coondapoor. 363,600 acs.		Block.
Extent of Government land in the taluk.	Occupied.	56,440 acres.
	Unoccupied.	307,160 acres.
Area of reserves already notified under sections 16 and 25.		* 53,157·61 acres.
Area of reserves under settlement.		76,782·53 acres.
Area of reserves already submitted for notification under section 16.		37,314 acres.
Area of reserves already submitted for notification under section 4.		..
Block.		Koratikal bare block No. 64.
Area.		6,453 acres.
How much forest.		All.
How much grass.		..
Sketch-map.		Enclosed.

* Corrected in the Revenue Board's office.

Endorsement by H. A. GASS, Esq., Acting Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dated Coimbatore, 26th November 1898, No. 1569.

Forwarded.

RESOLUTION—Forest No. 122, dated 6th March 1899.

The draft final notification received with the letter read above will be submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

2. *Claim No.* 9–8*A*.—The claim to certain dams and channels referred to in item (1) of this claim appears from the supplemental order to have been dismissed in the first instance as time-barred. An entry to this effect should have been made in the brief abstract of the Forest Settlement-officer's original decision. A similar omission is noticed with regard to item (2) of claim No. 3–3A.

(True Copies and Extract.)

Lionel Stokes

Acting Secretary.

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

Exd. Md. Pahilwan.

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 30th June 1899, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, ~~will~~ shall be constituted a "reserved forest."

SCHEDULE.

Number.	District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Description of Boundaries.
64	South Canara.	Coondapoor ..	Koratikal bare.	*North.*—Starting from cairn No. 71, a point on the slope of Kasanmaragudde (hill) at a point about three hundred yards north of Hejjal cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur), the line passes eastward and east-north-east up the ridge to the top of ~~Medibare~~ Kadalbare. *East.*—Thence in a general direction south-east along the water shed of the spur, passing down to the Kollur river, down to the right bank of the river at a point about quarter of a mile north of Chiyarsal cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Yellur); thence the right bank of the said river south-eastward for about half a mile to within one hundred yards of the above cultivation, cairn No. 177; then passing round that cultivation north-west five hundred and forty yards cairn No. 176; south-south-west two hundred and forty-five yards cairn No. 175 and on two hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 174; south-south-east three hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 173; and on four hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 172; south-east two hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 171; and east-south-east one hundred and ninety-eight yards cairn No. 170 on the right bank of the Kollur river; again southward down the river about a quarter mile to cairn No. 169 on its right bank. *South.*—Thence west slightly north up a ravine in the Vodarigudde hill three hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 168; south-east two hundred and eighty-eight yards cairn No. 167; thence skirting Tigginkodlu cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Yellur) south-south-west two hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 166; south-west three hundred and fifteen yards cairn No. 163 to the east of Mavinamane cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Yellur); thence passing round that cultivation along the foot-slopes of Vodarigudde (hill) north three hundred and five yards cairn No. 162; north-west two hundred and fifty-three yards cairn No. 161; west two hundred and seven yards cairn No. 160; west-south-west three hundred and seventy-eight yards cairn No. 159; south-west two hundred and eighty-eight yards cairn No. 158 and south two hundred yards cairn No. 157 on the northern side of the Local Fund road leading from Kollur to Baindur at the eleventh mile five and a quarter furlongs; then westward along that road twenty-two yards from the centre thereof three furlongs cairn No. 156 to the east of Yellurmane fields (Muli No. 1 of Yellur); then passing round the eastern and northern sides of this cultivation and Balekodlu cultivation of the same warg north-north-east five hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 155; north-east three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 154; north-north-west one hundred and sixty-five yards cairn No. 153 and on four hundred yards cairn No. 152; north-west two hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 151 at the northern end of Balekodlu cultivation; then west-south-west three hundred and ten yards along the slopes of Vontimaranagudde (hill) cairn No. 150; south-west one hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 149; and on slightly more west four hundred and forty yards cairn No. 147 to the north of Matnaberu cultivation (Muli No. 2 of Yellur); then along the northern and western sides of that cultivation west-north-west four hundred and thirty yards cairn No. 146 on the slope of Gaminakodlugudde (hill); and south-west five hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 144 to the north of Thamaberujeddu Darkhast (Muli No. 11 of Yellur); thence north-west three hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 143 to the east of Mundasal cultivation (Geni 5 of Areshirur); then along the eastern and northern sides of this cultivation north-east two hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 142; north-north-east two hundred and forty yards cairn No. 141; on for the same distance cairn No. 140; north-west four hundred and ten yards cairn No. 138 to the east of Jogigudde cultivation (Muli No. 8 of Areshirur); thence up the slope of Ummibare hill north-north-east four hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 136 to the east of Gorijeddu and Belajeri tota cultivations (Muli No. 2 of Areshirur); then along the eastern and northern sides of these, north-north-east two hundred and ninety-nine yards cairn No. 135 and nearly north two hundred yards cairn No. 134 and west slightly south three hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 133; then along the foot-slopes of Doddabole (hill) to the east of Kijinamakki and Mudugumi (Muli No. 2 and Muli No. 5 of Areshirur) and Bidikere cultivations (Muli No. 4 of Areshirur) north one hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 132; north slightly east five hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 131; north slightly west four hundred and forty yards cairn No. 130; north-north-west three hundred yards cairn No. 129; north-west four hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 128; north-north-west three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 127; north five hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 126; north-north-west three hundred and thirty yards cairn No. 125 to the north-east of Sirsina fields (Geni No. 1 of Golihole) on the Shidrubare spur; then passing round the northern side of the above cultivation north-west five hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 124; west-north-west three hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 123; south-west two hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 122 and on three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 121 to the north-west of Chikkanadi cultivation (Geni No. 1 of Halliberu); then along the west side of that cultivation south-south-west three hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 120; on two hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 119; south slightly east five hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 118; south-south-east two hundred and forty yards cairn No. 117 to the west of Betmakki cultivation (Geni No. 1 of Golihole) and on the slope of Gundijeribole (hill); then along the slopes of this hill south-south-west four hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 115; north-west three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 114-A, to the east of Ellakki cultivation (Geni No. 1 of Golihole); then along the northern and eastern sides of this cultivation north slightly east one hundred and forty yards cairn No. 114; on one hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 113; west-north-west five hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 112; west-south-west four hundred yards cairn No. 111 and on slightly more west two hundred and forty yards cairn No. 110; thence west five hundred yards cairn No. 109 and on three hundred yards cairn No. 108-C, on the left bank of Nandikuli stream; thence northward up the stream for about five hundred yards cairn No. 108-B, on the same bank; west-north-west one hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 108-A; north-north-east the same distance cairn No. 108; north-north-west two hundred and ten yards cairn No. 107 to the south-east of Hanigudde cultivation (Geni No. 1 of Yelajita); then along the eastern and northern sides of that cultivation north slightly east three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 106; west-north-west one hundred and ten yards cairn No. 105; on six hundred yards cairn No. 104 to the north of Attargudde; west slightly north the same distance cairn No. 103 to the east of Melhalli cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur); north-north-west four hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 102; north-west two-hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 101 west-south-west three hundred and forty yards cairn No. 100; west four hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 99 on Jettibole hill; then west-south-west two hundred and forty yards cairn No. 98 and south-west five hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 97 on the spur between Huddige fields (Geni No. 1 of Yelajita) and Kavali cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Halliberu). *West.*—Then north-west one hundred and thirty yards cairn No. 96; and north-north-west five hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 95; then passing along the southern and eastern sides of Marvanamakki (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur) east three hundred and eighty-five yards cairn No. 94; and north-north-west five hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 92 to the east of Melhallimakki cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur); then along the north of that cultivation north-west two hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 91; slightly more west four hundred and forty yards cairn No. 90; then skirting the eastern and northern sides of Koragudde Banjar (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur) nearly north three hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 89; and nearly west two hundred and ten yards cairn No. 88; then north-north-west two hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 87

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to the south of the Jettanadi cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur) ; then passing to the east of that cultivation, Hullikadike cultivation, Bilihitlu Banjar, Kadukod cultivation, and Hejjal cultivation (all of the same warg), east-north-east one hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 86 ; north-east five hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 84 ; east two hundred yards cairn No. 83 ; north slightly east three hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 82 ; north-north-east five hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 81 ; nearly north two hundred and thirty yards cairn No. 80 ; north-west three hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 79 ; on two hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 78 ; north-north-west four hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 77 on the slope of Kalmakkigudde hill ; north-east one hundred and twenty-five yards cairn No. 76 ; then crossing the Hejjal river north-west three hundred and ten yards cairn No. 75 on the southern slope of the Kasanmaragudde hill spur ; then westward along the foot of that hill one hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 74, and west slightly north four hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 72 ; thence north-east two hundred and fifty yards up the spur to the starting point.

REMARKS.—The following enclosure notified as such in the section 4 notification of the block will form an enclosure demarcated out by cairns Nos. 14 to 19 inclusive within the reserve, itself being free from reservation.

Enclosure No. 1.—Gudikere cultivation, Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur village. Right of entry to and from the enclosure will be by P.R.W. Nos. I, VII, VIII, IX and X.

The following Bhutastan is admitted within the reserve as an enclosure during settlement.

Enclosure No. 2.—Hulidevara Bhutastan, covering an area of six feet by six feet or thirty-six square feet, together with an additional space of two feet on each side of it, making a space ten feet by ten feet of an area one hundred square feet. Right of entry to the Bhutastan will be by P.R.W. No. V.

The following aqueduct, dams and channels are admitted within the reserve :—

Easement No. 1—*Aqueduct.*—Permission is accorded to the holder of Muli No. 5 of Areshirur village for the time being to use all the year the water of a spring situate two hundred yards south-east of cairn No. 130 by means of a channel, leaving the reserve the same distance south of the same cairn ; to plant two sago palm trees a year on the borders of the aqueduct not more than two yards distant from either side of it and to cut the sago palms planted by himself for the repair thereof ; also to enter the forest twice daily for the repair of the aqueduct by a path alongside of the aqueduct up to the spring. Rights herein prescribed to extend not more than one furlong into the forest and to be comprised within a breadth of five yards from the centre of the natural channel on which the aqueduct is built.

Dams Nos. 1 *and* 2 *and channels Nos.* 1 *and* 2.—Permission is accorded to the cultivator for the time being of Geni No. 1 of Yelajita village known as Haniguddi to construct two dams across the Nandikuli stream at points one hundred and forty yards north-east of and one hundred and thirty yards east-south-east of cairn No. 106, respectively, and to lead off water therefrom by channels (1) three feet wide including its banks running through the reserve south-west for one hundred and eighty yards and quitting it thirty-five yards west of cairn No. 105 ; and (2) three feet wide including its banks running through the reserve nearly westward for one hundred and twenty-five yards and quitting the reserve fifty yards south of cairn No. 106 for the irrigation of that land. No material from the forest may be obtained for the construction of these dams, such material being obtained from the kumaki land attached to the warg. The maintenance and repairs of the channels will be executed with materials obtained from the bed of the channels as above specified ; and right of entry into the reserve for the construction of the dams and maintenance of the channels will be from May to October yearly and by the bed of the channels.

The following public rights of way are admitted within the reserve :—

1. *Halliberu-Gudikere foot-path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve at a point where the Kadukod river crosses the reserve east boundary, passes down the slopes of the spur in a generally west-south-westerly direction, the distance as the crow flies being about one and a quarter miles and quits it two hundred and fifty yards south-east of enclosure cairn No. 14.

2. *Jedkal-Chiyarsal foot-path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve eighty-five yards west of cairn No. 169, passes through it nearly quarter of a mile north and quits it one hundred yards west of cairn No. 170.

3. *Areshirur-Kollur foot-path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve twenty-five yards north of cairn No. 130, passes through it east-north-east some eight hundred yards and quits it on its east boundary.

4. *Golihole-Bavadi path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve ninety yards east of cairn No. 123, passes through it in a north-north-easterly direction for half a mile and quits the reserve on its east boundary.

5. *Hulidevara Bhutastan path*, three feet wide for men only, entering the reserve about ten yards east of cairn No. 105 and passing through it in a north-easterly direction two hundred and fifty yards to the Bhutastan enclosure.

6. *Kavali-Murvana foot-path* to a width of three feet for men only, enters the reserve two hundred and fifty yards south-south-east of cairn No. 95, passes through it in a north-north-easterly direction two hundred and seventy yards and quits it one hundred and eighty yards east of the same cairn.

7. *Melhalli-Gudikere foot-path*, three feet wide for men only, enters the reserve forty yards west of cairn No. 89, passes through it nearly east for about quarter of a mile and quits it twenty-five yards north-west of enclosure cairn No. 18.

8. *Jettanadi-Gudikere foot-path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve one furlong south-west of cairn No. 84, passes through it in a south-easterly direction some three hundred and sixty yards and quits it thirty yards north-east of enclosure cairn No. 19.

9. *Hullikadike-Gudikere* path to a width of six feet for men and cattle, enters the reserve at and on the west side of cairn No. 83, passes through it nearly south for one and a half furlongs and joins the Jettanadi-Gudikere foot-path just before the latter enters the enclosure.

10. *The Gudikere tank path*, three feet wide for men only, will pass direct to the tank which is only ten yards within the reserve between enclosure cairns Nos. 18 and 19.

(Signed) J. S. BATTIE,
District Forest-officer.

(Signed) H. S. MULLINS,
Spl. Forest Sett.-officer,
Malabar and South Canara.

Encl: No 2 to Letter Dis. No 87/58
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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 189 , the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the Schedule appended to this Notification, will be constituted a Reserved Forest.

SCHEDULE.

Number.	District.	Taluk.	Name of Forest.	Description of boundaries.	REMARKS.
No 64.	South Canara.	Coondapoor.	Koratikal-Bare.	North:- Starting from a point on the slope of Kasanmara Gudde (hill) (a spur Madalbare) at a point about 300 yards North of Hejjal Cultivation (Muli No 1 of Hallihossur) the line passes Eastward and East-North-East up the ridge to the top of Madabbare. Note:- This boundary is the Southern boundary of the Hallummurdi Bare Block, whilst Madalbare forms the Northern apex of the Megani Valley Block. East:- Thence in a general direction South-East along the South-Western boundary of the Megani Valley Block and along the Watershed of the spur, passing down to the Kollur River, down to the Right bank of the river at a point about quarter of a mile North of Chyarsal Cultivation (Muli No 1 of Yellur); Thence the right bank of the said river the centre of the river, South-Eastward for about half a mile to within 100 yards of the above Cultivation mentioned above Cairn No 177; then passing round that Cultivation North-West 540 yards Cairn No 176; South-South-West 245 yards Cairn No 175 and on 290 yards Cairn No 174; South-South-East 350 yards Cairn No 173; and on	Cairn No 1,

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of 420 yards Cairn № 172; South-East 290 yards Cairn № 171; and East-South-East 198 yards Cairn № 170 on the right bank of the Kollur River; again Southward down the Centre of the River about quarter mile to Cairn № 169 on the right bank: South:- Thence West slightly North up a ravine in the Vodari Gudde hill 360 yards Cairn № 168; South-East 288 yards Cairn № 167; Thence skirting Jiggin Kodlu cultivation (Muli № 1 of Yellur) South-South-West 290 yards Cairn № 166; South-West 316 yards Cairn № 163 to the East of Mavina-mane cultivation (Muli № 1 of Yellur); Thence passing round that cultivation along the foot-slopes of Vodari Gudde (hill), North 305 yards Cairn № 162; North-West 253 yards Cairn № 161; West 207 yards Cairn № 160; West-South-West 378 yards Cairn № 159; South-South-West 288 yards Cairn № 158 and South 200 yards Cairn № 157 on the North-ern side of the Local-Fund Road leading from Kollur to Baindur at the 11th mile 5¼ furlongs; then Westward along that Road 22 yards from the centre there of 3 furlongs Cairn № 156 to the East of Yellur-mane fields (Muli № 1 of Yellur); then passing round the Eastern and Northern sides of this cultivation and Balekodlu Cultivation of the same Warg North-North-East 580 yards Cairn № 155; North-East 320 yards Cairn № 154; North-North-West

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165 yards Cairn № 153 and on 400 yards Cairn № 152; North-West 280 yards Cairn № 151 at the Northern end of Balekodlu cultivation; then West-South-West 310 yards along the slopes of Vontemarana Gudde (hill) Cairn № 150; South-West 160 yards Cairn № 149; and on slightly more West 440 yards Cairn № 147 to the North of Matnabere cultivation (Muli 2 of Yellur); then along the Northern and Western sides of that cultivation West-North-West 430 yards Cairn № 146 on the slope of Gamina Kodlu Gudde (hill); and South-West 550 yards Cairn № 144 to the North of Karnabere Jeddu Derkhad (Muli № 11 of Yellur); thence North-West 370 yards Cairn № 143 to the East of Mandoal cultivation (Gavi 8 of Sreshirur); then along the Northern and Eastern sides of this cultivation North-East 220 yards Cairn № 142; North-North-East 240 yards Cairn № 141; for on the same distance Cairn № 140; North-West 410 yards Cairn № 138 to the East of Jogigudde cultivation (Muli № 8 of Sreshirur); thence up the slope of Emmibare hill North-North-East 460 yards Cairn № 136 to the East of Gorjeddu and Bela-jeri tota cultivations (Muli № 2 of Sreshirur); then along the Eastern and Northern sides of these North-North-East 299 yards Cairn № 135 and nearly North 200 yards Cairn № 134 and West slightly South 390 yards Cairn № 133; then along

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along the foot-slopes of Doddabole (hill) to the East of Kiruvanakki and Mudaguni (Muli No 2 and (Geni No 2 of Areshiruv) Muli No 5) and Bidibere cultivations (Muli No 4 of Areshiruv) North 170 yards Cairn No 132; North slightly East 550 yards Cairn No 131; North slightly West 440 yards Cairn No 130; North-North-West 300 yards Cairn No 129; North-West 420 yards Cairn No 128; North-North-West 320 yards Cairn No 127; North 580 yards Cairn No 126; North-North-West 330 yards Cairn No 125 to the North-East of Siraina fields (Geni No 1 of Golibole) on the Shidrubare spur; then passing round the Northern side of the above cultivation North-West 520 yards Cairn No 124; West-North-West 360 yards Cairn No 123; South-West 280 yards Cairn No 122 and on 320 yards Cairn No 121 to the North-West of Chikkanadi Cultivation (Geni No 1 of Halliboru); Then along the West side of that cultivation South-South-West 370 yards Cairn No 120; on 260 yards Cairn No 119; South slightly East 520 yards Cairn No 118; South-South-East 240 yards Cairn No 117 to the West of Betumakki cultivation (Geni No 1 of Golibole) and on the slope of Gundiferibole (hill); Then along the slopes of this hill South-South-West 490 yards Cairn No 116; North-West 320 yards Cairn No 114·A to the East of Ellakki cultivation (Geni No 1 of Golibole); then along the Northern and Eastern sides of this cultivation

—North—

North slightly East 140 yards Cairn No 114; on 190 yards Cairn No 113; West-North-West 580 yards Cairn No 112; West-South-West 400 yards Cairn No 111 and on slightly more West 240 yards Cairn No 110; thence West 600 yards Cairn No 109 and on 300 yards Cairn No 108·C on the left bank of Nandi Kuli stream; thence Northward up the stream for about 500 yards Cairn No 108·B on the same bank; West-North-West 180 yards Cairn No 108·A; North-North-East the same distance Cairn No 108; North-North-West 210 yards Cairn No 107 to the South-East of Hanigudde cultivation (Geni No 1 of Yelajita); then along the Eastern and Northern sides of that cultivation North slightly East 320 yards Cairn No 106; West-North-West 110 yards Cairn No 105; on 600 yards Cairn No 104 to the North of Attar Gadde; West slightly North the same distance (~~24 yards~~) Cairn No 103 to the East of Melhalli cultivation (Muli No 1 of Hallikosur); North-North-West 460 yards Cairn No 102; North-West 270 yards Cairn No 101 West-South-West 340 yards Cairn No 100; West 420 yards Cairn No 99 on Jetibole hill; then West-South-West 260 yards Cairn No 98 and South-West 580 yards Cairn No 97 on the spur between Huddige fields (Geni No 1 of Yelajita) and Kavali cultivation (Muli No 10 of Halliberu).

West:- Then North-West 130 yards Cairn No 96; and North-North-West 520 yards Cairn No 95; then passing along the southern and Eastern sides of Murvanamakki (Muli No 1 of Hallikosur) East 385 yards Cairn No 94; and North-North-West 520 yards Cairn No 92 to the East of Melhallimakki cultivation (Muli No 1 of Hallikosur); then along the North of that cultivation

North-West 220 yards Cairn № 91; Slightly more West 440 yards Cairn № 90; then Skirting the Eastern and Northern sides of Koragadde Banjar (Mahl № 1 of Hallikosur) nearly North 350 yards Cairn № 89; and nearly West 210 yards Cairn № 88; Thence West North-West 290 yards Cairn № 87 to the South of Jella-nadi cultivation (Mahl № 1 of Hallikosur); Thence passing to the East of that cultivation, Thallikadike cultivation, Bilikithu Banjar, Kadkod cultivation, and Hejjal cultivation (all of the same Ward) East-North-East 150 yards Cairn № 86; North-East 660 yards Cairn № 84; East 200 yards Cairn № 83; North-slightly East 360 yards Cairn № 82; North-North-East 650 yards Cairn № 81; nearly North 230 yards Cairn № 80; North-West 360 yards Cairn № 79; on 280 yards Cairn № 78; North-North-West 420 yards Cairn № 77 on the slope of Kalmakkigudde hill; North-East 125 yards Cairn № 76; then crossing the Hejjal river North-West 310 yards Cairn № 75 on the southern slope of the Rasanmara Guddekittespur; then Westward along the foot of that hill 150 yards Cairn № 74 and West slightly North 470 yards Cairn № 72; thence North-East 250 yards up the spur to the starting point. ~~Cairn № 71~~

Remarks:- The following Enclosure notified as such in the Section 4. Notification of the Block will form an enclosure demarcated out by Cairns № 14 to 19 inclusive within the Reserve, itself being free from Reservation.

Enclosure № 1. Gudekeru cultivation, Mahl № 1 of Hallikosur village. Right of entry to and from the Enclosure will be by P.R.W. № I, VII, VIII, IX & X.

The following Bhutastan is admitted within the Reserve as an Enclosure during settlement.

Enclosure № 2. Hulidevara Bhutastan, covering an area of 6 feet by 6 feet or 36 square feet, together with an additional space of 2 feet on each side of it, making a space 10 feet by 10 feet of an area 100 square feet. Right of Entry to the Bhutastan will be by P.R.W. № V.

The following aqueduct; dams and channels are admitted within the Reserve.

Easement № 1. Aqueduct. Permission is accorded to the holder of (Geni № 2) Mahl № 5 of Areshirur village for the time being, to use the water of a spring situate (one) 200 yds furlong South-East of Cairn № 130 by means of a channel leaving the Reserve the same distance South of the same Cairn; to plant two sago palm trees a year on the borders of the aqueduct not more than 2 yards distant from either side of it and to cut the sago palms planted by himself for the repair thereof; also to enter the Forest twice daily for the repair of the aqueduct by a path alongside of the aqueduct up to the springs. Right herein prescribed to extend not more than 1 furlong into the Forest and to be comprised within a breadth of 5 yards from the centre of the natural channel on which the aqueduct is built.

Dams № 1 and 2. & Channels № 1 and 2:- Permission is accorded to the cultivator for the time being of Geni № 1 of Yelajita village, known as Hanjara

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to construct two dams across the Nandikebi stream at points 140 yards North-East of and 130 yards East-South-East of Cairn No 106 respectively and to lead off water therefrom by Channels (1) three feet wide including its banks running through the Reserve South-West for 180 yards and quitting it 35 yards West of Cairn No 106, & (2) three feet wide including its banks running through the Reserve nearly Westward for 125 yards and quitting the Reserve 50 yards south of Cairn No 106 for the irrigation of that land. No material from the Forest may be obtained for the construction of these dams, such material being obtained from the Nandiki land attached to the Haig. The maintenance and repairs of the Channels will be executed with materials obtained from the bed of the channels as above specified; and right of entry into the Reserve for the Construction of the dams and maintenance of the channels will be from May to October and by the bed of the channels.

The following Public rights of way are admitted within the Reserve.

1. Halliberu Gudekere foot-path, 6 feet wide for men and cattle, enters the Reserve from the Megani Valley Block at a point where the Kadukod river crosses the Reserve East boundary, passes down the slopes of the spur in a generally West-South-Westerly direction, the distance as the crow flies being about 1¼ miles and quits it 250 yards South-East of Enclosure Cairn No 14.

2. Jedkal-Chyarsal foot-path, 6 feet wide for men and cattle, enters the Reserve 85 yards West of Cairn No 169, passes through it nearly quarter of a mile North and quits it 100 yards West of Cairn No 170.

3. Meshirur-Kollur foot-path, 6 feet wide for men and cattle, enters the Reserve 25 yards North of Cairn No 130, passes through it East-North-East some 800 yards and quits it on the boundary between the Reserve and the Megani Valley Block.

4. Golikole-Bavadi path, 6 feet wide for men & cattle, enters the Reserve 90 yards East of Cairn No 123, passes through it in a North-North-Easterly direction for half-a-mile, quitting it to pass into the Megani Valley Reserve on the South boundary between the two Blocks.

5. Hulidevara Bhutasthan path, 3 feet wide for men only, entering the Reserve about 10 yards East of Cairn No 105 and passing through it in a North-Easterly direction 250 yards to the Bhutasthan Enclosure.

6. Kavali-Murvana foot-path to a width of 3 feet for men only, enters the Reserve 250 yards South of Cairn No 96, passes through it in a North-North-Easterly direction 270 yards and quits it 180 yards East of the same Cairn

7. Melkalli-Gudekere foot-path, 3 feet wide for men only, enters the Reserve 40 yards West of Cairn No 89, passes through it nearly East for about quarter of a mile and quits it 25 yards North West

of Enclosure Cairn № 18.

8. Jettanadi-Gudekeri foot-path, 6 feet wide for men and cattle, enters the Reserve one furlong South-West of Cairn № 84, passes through it in a South-Easterly direction some 360 yards and quits it 300 yards North-East of Cairn № 19. (Enclosure)

9. Hullikadike-Gudekeri path, to a width of 6 feet for men and cattle, enters the Reserve at and on the West side of Cairn № 83, passes through it nearly South for 1½ furlongs and joins the Jettanadi-Gudekeri foot-path just before the latter enters the Enclosure.

10. The Gudekeri tank path, 3 feet wide for men only, will pass direct to the tank which is only 10 yards within the Reserve between Enclosure Cairns № 18 and 19.

Forest settlement officer,
Malabar & S. Canara.
Mangalore - 5th November 1898.

Spl Forest settlement officer
Malabar & S. Canara.

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APRIL.

Reserved Forest.

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

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue (Land Revenue), Forest No. 122, dated 6th March 1899 :—

Read—the following letter from H. S. MULLINS, Esq., Special Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, to the Collector of South Canara, dated Camp, Coondapoor, 15th November 1898, Dis. No. 187-F.S. :—

I have the honour to submit the settlement records of block No. 64, Koratikalbare. This block is one of the four notified in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 25th September 1894, and the Board in their Proceedings, No. 550, dated 21st August 1894, paragraph 3, proposed that the four blocks on submission after settlement should be amalgamated. This for the reasons pointed out when submitting block No. 63, Madibare, has not been done. The four blocks referred to are the two mentioned above, one of which, as stated, has already been submitted, the other is now submitted ; of block No. 27, Hullumurdibare, the settlement is now complete and the fourth block No. 65, Megani valley, will shortly be taken up for settlement.

2. The block now under submission was taken up by me for settlement during March 1897, and, on completion, the plan being found inaccurate, resurvey was found to be necessary. This resurvey was carried out by the surveyor attached to the Forest Settlement office and from it the section 16 plan herewith submitted was prepared by the Forest office and sent to me on the 3rd instant.

3. The section 4 notification of the boundary followed the direction between cairns of the section 4 plan, but was qualified by the mention of cultivations which it skirted. Had the direction of the lines in the section 4 boundary been followed on the ground, the proposed reserve boundary would not have skirted the cultivations mentioned. The demarcated line, on which the settlement operations were based, agreed as regards the cultivations with the section 4 notification. I consider therefore that the area now proposed for reservation does not exceed that notified under section 4.

4. The number of claims preferred against the block was 9; three comprising nine public rights of way, two kumaki claims, three water easements, one of which contained also a request for a Bhutastan, and one claim to proprietary right; of these two kumaki claims, three claims for public rights of way, the one to the Bhutastan and two to rights to water were admitted, the remaining were dismissed. In claim No. 8, order No. 9, it will be noted that the claim was originally dismissed as time-barred; a revision order, however, under the instructions passed in Board's Proceedings, No. 1079, dated 18th October 1897, was afterwards passed admitting the claim to two dams and channels. In claim No. 4, though the claim has been dismissed as time-barred, for reasons given in the order, the dismissal is not purely technical, and may stand. The same remark applies to claim No. 7, order No. 4. The remaining claims and orders do not call for any special remark, except claim No. 3 on which a revision order has also been passed.

5. Against my orders, one appeal only was preferred, namely, claim No. 2 against order No. 2, the District Forest-officer referring the matter to the Collector who upheld my decision.

6. The last order was passed on the 3rd May 1897 ; if revision orders are not taken into account, and since the revision order of the 7th instant grants to the claimant rights which were refused him in the order of the 3rd May of the previous year, and as he did not appeal against the original order, it is highly improbable that he will appeal against that now passed.

7. The block is thus free of all rights save those mentioned in the draft notification (Enclosure No. 2).

8. I herewith submit the following records of settlement of the block :—

(*a*) Signed copy of the B. Register.

(*b*) Draft notification under section 16.

(*c*) Statement showing the number of claims filed and their disposal.

(*d*) Sketch-map of the block.

9. The date from which reservation is to take effect has been left out in the draft notification to be filled in by Government.

Enclosure No. 1.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Koratikalbare reserved forest, Block No. 64, Coondapoor taluk, South Canara 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 1-A.	The District Forest-officer, South Canara.	2nd Nov. 1895.	Claims the following public rights of way :— (1) Golihole-Bavadi foot-path. (2) Areshirur-Kollur foot-path. (3) Jedkal-Chiyarsal foot-path. (4) Melhalli-Gudikero foot-path.	....	....	The rights of way proposed by the District Forest-officer are admitted. (Signed) H. ROBERTSON, Forest Sett.-officer. Chittoor, 8th February 1896. Order amplified by the Special Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara— (1) Golikole-Bavadi path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve ninety yards east of cairn No. 123, passes through it in a north-north-easterly direction for half a mile, quitting it to pass into the Megani valley reserve on the boundary between the two blocks. (2) Areshirur-Kollur foot-path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve twenty-five yards north of cairn No. 130, passes through it east-north-east some eight hundred yards and quits it on the boundary between this reserve and the Megani valley block. (3) Jedkal-Chiyarsal foot-path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve eighty-five yards west of cairn No. 169, passes through it nearly quarter of a mile north and quits it one hundred yards west of cairn No. 170. (4) Melhalli-Gudikere foot-path, three feet wide for men only, enters the reserve forty yards west of cairn No. 89, passes through it nearly east for about a quarter of a mile and quits it twenty-five yards north-west of enclosure cairn No. 18. Mangalore, 5th November 1898. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Spl. Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara.
2 2-A.	Timma Gouda, nephew of Venkat Gouda of Areshirur village.	17th Mar. 1897.	Claims— (1) Right to the use of water of a permanent spring, situate two hundred yards south-east of cairn No. 130 for the cultivation of muli No. 5 of Areshirur. (2) Right to a water channel to lead off water from the spring to his cultivation. (3) Right of way into the forest for the repair of the channel. (4) Right to grow and cut sago palm trees as are required for the repair and maintenance of the channel. (5) Right to cut sago palms planted by himself for the repair of the channel. (6) Rights herein prescribed to extend not more than one furlong into the forest and to be comprised within a breadth of five yards from the centre of the natural channel on which the aqueduct is built, the spring being situate two hundred yards south-east of cairn No. 130 and the aqueduct leaving the reserve the same distance south of the same cairn. Golihole, 17th March 1897.	The claimant was supported by the Potail of Areshirur as to mamul right of use.	The District Forest-officer does not dispute the claim, but requests that the easements claimed may be subjected to the control of the Forest Department.	Claim is admitted and the following easements are granted :— (1) Right of entry into the forest by a path alongside of the aqueduct (described below) up to the spring. (2) Right to plant two sago palm trees a year on the borders of the aqueduct and not more than two yards distant from either side of it for use in the repair thereof. (3) Right to use of the water of the spring all the year for the cultivation of Muli Warg No. 5 of Areshirur and for drinking purposes. (4) Right to keep the aqueduct in a state of repair and of entry for that purpose for himself twice daily. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Spl. Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara.
3 3-A.	Nagappa Holla, son of Venkatramana Holla, residing in Paduvari village, Baindur magane.	24th Mar. 1897.	Claims— (1) Kumaki at cairns Nos. 115, 117 and 118 for Geni No. 1 of Golihole. (2) Right to half an acre of garden land, a portion of Muli warg No. 1 of Golihole, included within the reserve.	....	The District Forest-officer objects to the claim of proprietary right on the ground that it is time-barred ; as regards the kumaki, elects to be guided by the Forest Settlement-officer's inspection notes.	(1) Claim admitted as regards cairns Nos. 117 and 118 and kumaki allowed by alteration of reserve boundary. Claim as regards cairn No. 115 rejected. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Spl. Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara. Baindur, 24th March 1897. Revised order as per Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1079, dated 18th October 1897. 2. No portion of the garden claimed was found on inspection within the reserve. (Extract from inspection notes). (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Spl. Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara. Mangalore, 5th November 1898.

Claim 1.—Marked as P.R.W. Nos. IV, III, II and VII, respectively. *Claim* 2.—Easement No. 1.

Claim 2.—The Collector in appeal preferred by the District Forest officer confirmed the order of the Court of Forest Settlement, dated 20th November 1897.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Koratikalbare 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
4 7-A.	Venkappamaiya, son of Subrayamaiya, Potail of Hallihossur village.	10th April 1897.	Claims proprietary right over— (1) A waste land included within the reserve between cairns Nos. 74 and 76. (2) A garden land east of cairn No. 77 included within the reserve. (3) A portion of Koragudde cultivation included within the reserve. (4) A garden between cairns Nos. 15 and 16 included within the reserve. (5) The whole of the reserve between cairns Nos 72 and 96 up to the water-shed on the Mysore frontier, all the above being portions of Muli Warg No. 1 of Hallihossur.	The claimant is generally known to be the owner of Hallihossur village and he maintains that the boundary of the village and consequently his warg land is the Mysore frontier.	The range-officer contests the claim as time-barred, the reserve having been notified under section 6 in October 1894.	The contention of the range officer is admitted, but the claim is dismissed on paragraph 5 of the claim which shows the claim to be based on the ancient "Netticut" privileges of wargdars which have not been recognised by Government. The lands claimed are now the property of Government having been excluded from the claimant's warg land and relinquished by him thirty years ago under the Revenue departmental order. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Special Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara. Hallihossur, 10th April 1897.
5 6-A.	Venkappamaiya, son of Subrayamaiya, Potail of Hallihossur.	10th April 1897.	(1) Claims kumaki at cairns Nos. 79, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 94, 95, 14, 19, 18 and 15. (2) States that cairn No. 80 is on his waste land and requests its removal. (3) Prays for more kumaki by carrying the reserve boundary direct from cairn No. 94 to cairn No. 98. (4) Prays for the cutting of the jungle around Gudikere as it harbours wild beasts. (5) Prays that the portion of the reserve between Gudikere enclosure and Hullikadike cultivation may be abandoned.	Forest Settlement-officer's Inspection.	Not contested by the range officer appearing on behalf of the District-Forest-officer.	(1) The claim is admitted and the reserve boundary will be altered by the Forest Settlement Surveyor, so as to allow one hundred yards kumaki at such cairns as are within one hundred yards of claimant's lands. (2) The claim is dismissed as it is found that the land mentioned does not form a part of Warg No. 1 of Hallihossur. (3), (4) and (5). The requests of the petitioner cannot be granted. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Special Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara.
6 5-A.	Venkappamaiya, son of Subrayamaiya, Potail of Hallihossur.	10th April 1897.	Claims rights of way on behalf of the public— (1) Path from Hullikadike to Gudikere for men and cattle. (2) Path from Jettanadi to Gudikere for men and cattle. (3) Path from Korgudde to Gudikere for men and cattle. (4) Path to and from a drinking water tank south-west of Gudikere, for men only. (5) Path from Gudikere to Megani valley for men and cattle. (6) Path from Kavali to Murvana for men and cattle.	Actual existence on the ground.	Not contested by the range officer who appeared on behalf of the District Forest-officer.	Hallihossur, 10th April 1897. The claim is admitted as follows :— (1) Hullikadike-Gudikere path, to a width of six feet for men and cattle, enters the reserve at and on the west side of cairn No. 83, passes through it nearly south for one and a half furlongs and joins the Jettanadi-Gudikere foot-path just before the latter enters the enclosure. (2) Jettanadi-Gudikere foot-path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve one furlong south-west of cairn No. 84, passes through it in a south-easterly direction some three hundred and sixty yards and quits it thirty yards north-east of enclosure cairn No. 19. (3) This path has already been admitted—*vide* order No. 1, item No. 4 (P.R.W. No. VII). (4) The Gudikere tank path, three feet wide for men only, will pass direct to the tank which is only ten yards within the reserve between enclosure cairns Nos. 18 and 19. (5) Halliberu-Gudikere foot-path, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve from the Megani valley block at a point where the Kadukod river crosses the reserve boundary, passes down the slopes of the spur in a generally west-south-westerly direction, the distance as the crow flies being about one and a quarter miles and quits it two hundred and fifty yards south-east of enclosure cairn No. 14. (6) Kavali-Murvana foot-path, to a width of three feet for men only, enters the reserve two hundred and fifty yards south-south-east of cairn No. 95, passes through it in a north-north-easterly direction, two hundred and seventy yards and quits it one hundred and eighty yards east of the same cairn. Hallihossur, 10th April 1897. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Special Forest Sett.-officer, Malabar and South Canara.

Claim 6.—Item Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6 are marked as P.R.W. Nos. IX, VIII, X, I and VI respectively.

B. Register of claims to Lands, rights to Forest produce or easements in the proposed Koratikalbare 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
7 4-A.	Venkappamaiya, son of Subrayamaiya, Potail of Hallibossur.	9th April 1897.	Claims the following easements— (1) A dam and channel across the Hejjal river between cairns Nos. 72 and 74. (2) A dam and channel on the stream between cairns Nos. 74 and 76. (3) A dam across the south Hejjal river and channel. (4) A tank and channel between cairns Nos. 78 and 79. (5) Two dams across the stream between cairns Nos. 80 and 81 and two channels. (6) A dam across the stream between cairns Nos. 82 and 83 and channel therefrom. (7) A spring and channel to the east of cairn No. 86 and a dam across the stream above it. (8) A dam across the stream between cairns Nos. 89 and 90 and channel therefrom. (9) Two dams across the streams between cairns Nos. 92 and 94 and two channels. (10) A dam across the stream between cairns Nos. 14 and 15 and a channel. (11) A dam across stream between cairns Nos. 15 and 16 and channel therefrom, all within the reserve, and right to maintain in serviceable condition.	Rights exercised from time immemorial.	The Range officer appearing for the District Forest-officer, registers his contention that the claims are time-barred, the reserve having been notified for reservation in 1894.	The claimant fails to adduce any reason why the claim should not be time-barred as contended on behalf of the range officer. I visited all the localities mentioned in the claim and found the dams and channels which are all very small and close to the reserve boundary in existence. I do not consider, however, that by admitting the contention of the Forest Department I shall be depriving the claimant of the power of irrigating his lands as dams and channels outside the reserve will serve his purpose quite as well as those he now claims the right of use. I therefore dismiss the claim to one and all the easements mentioned in the plaint as time-barred. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Hallihossur, Special Forest Sett.-officer, 10th April 1897. Malabar and South Canara.
8 9-A.	Venkatramana Vaidya, Potail of Golihole on behalf of the public.	29th April 1897.	Claims— (1) A right of way from Golihole to Bavadi for men and cattle. (2) Two water courses.	....	The District Forest-officer does not contest the claim.	(1) The claim to the right of way is already admitted—*vide* order No. 1, item No. 1 (P.R.W. No. IV). (2) The claim to water courses is dismissed. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Kollur, Special Forest Sett.-officer, 1st May 1897. Malabar and South Canara.
9 8-A.	Venkatramana Shanbhogue, son of Timmappa Shanbhogue, residing in Yelajita village.	Do.	Claims— (1) Two dams and water channels for the irrigation of Geni No. 1 of Yelajita, the dams being named Hollekere katta and Samanaguddi katta. (2) Right of way to and to worship at the Hulidevara bhutastan situate within the reserve.	Personal narration ..	Not contested	Item No. 2. The claim to the Hulidevara bhutastan, which covers an area of six feet by six feet or thirty-six square feet together with an additional space of two feet on each side of it, making a space of ten feet by ten feet, of an area one hundred square feet, is admitted and the shrine will be demarcated out free from reservation and form an enclosure within the reserve. Right of way thereto will be by a path three feet wide for men only entering the reserve about ten yards east of cairn No. 105 and passing through it in a north-easterly direction two hundred and fifty yards to the Bhutastan enclosure. (Signed) H. S. MULLINS, Special Forest Sett.-officer, Kollur, Malabar and South Canara. 3rd May 1897.

Revised order as per Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 1079, *dated* 18*th October* 1897. Item No. 1. As the Court's inspection notes show that the dams are actually in existence, the order of dismissal will be, and is hereby, cancelled and the claim to the two dams is admitted as follows:—

Permission is accorded to the cultivator for the time being of Geni No. 1 of Yelajita village, known as Hanigudde, to construct two dams across the Nandikuli stream at points one hundred and forty yards north-east of and one hundred and thirty yards east-south-east of cairn No. 106, respectively, and to lead off water therefrom by channels (1) three feet wide including its banks, running through the reserve south-west for one hundred and eighty yards and quitting it thirty-five yards west of cairn No 106 and (2) three feet wide, including its banks, running through the reserve nearly westward for one hundred and twenty-five yards, quitting it fifty yards south of cairn No. 106 for the irrigation of that land. No material from the forest may be obtained for the construction of these dams, such material being obtained from the kumaki land attached to the warg. The maintenance and repairs of the channels will be executed with material obtained from the bed of channels as above specified; and entry into the reserve for the construction of the dams and maintenance of the channels will be from May to October yearly and by the bed of the channels.

(Signed) H. S. MULLINS,
Special Forest Sett.-officer,
Malabar and South Canara.

Mangalore,
7th November 1898.

Claim 9.—Item 1—Dams Nos. 1 and 2 and channel Nos. 1 and 2.

Claim 9.—*Item 2*—Enclosure No. 2 and P.R.W. No. V.

Enclosure No. 2.—Draft notification.

Enclosure No. 3.

Statement showing the number of claims filed and their disposal.

Number and name of block.	Claims to rights of way.			Claims to kumakis.			Claims to easements.			Claims of patta and inam rights over lands and to Government patta usufruct over trees.			Miscellaneous.			Total of all claims.		
	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	Filed.	Admitted.	Rejected.	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
No. 64, Koratikal-bare.	3	3 (a)	..	2	2 (b)	..	3	2 (c)	1	1	..	1	..	..	..	9	7	2

(a) One contained a request for the use of two water courses, which was rejected.
(b) One contained a request for proprietary right over half an acre of garden land which was rejected. Another admitted in part.
(c) One contained a request for a bhutastan, which was admitted.

Enclosure No. 4.—Sketch-map.

Endorsement by A. F. PINHEY, Esq., Acting Collector of South Canara, dated 19th November 1898, N. Dis. on C. No. 1088-For.

Submitted to the Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenue, Madras, through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.

The usual area statement is enclosed.

Enclosure.

Statement of area and condition to accompany draft notification under section 16 for the undermentioned block.

Acs. Coondapoor. 363,600	Name and area of taluk.		
56,440 acres.	Occupied.	Extent of Government land in the taluk.	
307,160 acres.	Unoccupied.		
* 53,157·61 acres.	Area of reserves already notified under sections 16 and 25.		
76,782·53 acres.	Area of reserves under settlement.		
37,314 acres.	Area of reserves already submitted for notification under section 16.		
..	Area of reserves already submitted for notification under section 4.		
Koratikal bare block No. 64.	Block.	Character of lands now proposed for reservation.	
6,453 acres.	Area.		
All.	How much forest.		
..	How much grass.		
Enclosed.	Sketch-map.		

* Corrected in the Revenue Board's office.

Endorsement by H. A. GASS, Esq., Acting Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dated Coimbatore, 26th November 1898, No. 1569.

Forwarded.

Resolution—Forest No. 122, dated 6th March 1899.

The draft final notification received with the letter read above will be submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.

2. *Claim No.* 9-8*A*.—The claim to certain dams and channels referred to in item (1) of this claim appears from the supplemental order to have been dismissed in the first instance as time-barred. An entry to this effect should have been made in the brief abstract of the Forest Settlement-officer's original decision. A similar omission is noticed with regard to item (2) of claim No. 3-3A.

(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. 257, Revenue, dated 22nd April 1899.

Forest No. 79.

The draft notification will be published in the Fort St. George and South Canara District Gazettes, the 30th 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. 257A.

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 30th June 1899, the area, the boundaries of which are set forth in the schedule appended to this notification, shall be constituted a "reserved forest."

Schedule.

Number.	District.	Taluk.	Name of forest.	Boundaries.
64	South Canara.	Coondapoor ..	Koratikal bare.	*North.*—Starting from cairn No. 71, a point on the slope of Kasanmaragudde (hill) at a point about three hundred yards north of Hejjal cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur), the line passes eastward and east-north-east up the ridge to the top of Madalbare. *East.*—Thence in a general direction south-east along the water shed of the spur, passing down to the Kollur river, down to the right bank of the river at a point about quarter of a mile north of Chiyarsal cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Yellur); thence the right bank of the said river south-eastward for about half a mile to within one hundred yards of the above cultivation, cairn No. 177; then passing round that cultivation north-west five hundred and forty yards cairn No. 176; south-south-west two hundred and forty-five yards cairn No. 175 and on two hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 174; south-south-east three hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 173; and on four hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 172; south-east two hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 171; and east-south-east one hundred and ninety-eight yards cairn No. 170 on the right bank of the Kollur river; again southward down the river about a quarter mile to cairn No. 169 on its right bank.

Number.	Boundaries.
	South.—Thence west slightly north up a ravine in the Vodarigudde hill three hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 168; south-east two hundred and eighty-eight yards cairn No. 167; thence skirting Tigginkodlu cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Yellur) south-south-west two hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 166; south-west three hundred and fifteen yards cairn No. 163 to the east of Mavinamane cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Yellur); thence passing round that cultivation along the foot-slopes of Vodarigudde (hill) north three hundred and five yards cairn No. 162; north-west two hundred and fifty-three yards cairn No. 161; west two hundred and seven yards cairn No. 160; west-south-west three hundred and seventy-eight yards cairn No. 159; south-west two hundred and eighty-eight yards cairn No. 158 and south two hundred yards cairn No. 157 on the northern side of the Local Fund road leading from Kollur to Baindur at the eleventh mile five and a quarter furlongs; then westward along that road twenty-two yards from the centre thereof three furlongs cairn No. 156 to the east of Yellurmane fields (Muli No. 1 of Yellur); then passing round the eastern and northern sides of this cultivation and Balekodlu cultivation of the same warg north-north-east five hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 155; north-east three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 154; north-north-west one hundred and sixty-five yards cairn No. 153 and on four hundred yards cairn No. 152; north-west two hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 151 at the northern end of Balekodlu cultivation; then west-south-west three hundred and ten yards along the slopes of Vontimaranagudde (hill) cairn No. 150; south-west one hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 149; and on slightly more west four hundred and forty yards cairn No. 147 to the north of Matnaberu cultivation (Muli No. 2 of Yellur); then along the northern and western sides of that cultivation west-north-west four hundred and thirty yards cairn No. 146 on the slope of Gaminakodlugudde (hill); and south-west five hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 144 to the north of Thamaberujeddu Darkhast Muli No. 11 of Yellur); thence north-west three hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 143 to the east of Mundasal cultivation (Geni 5 of Areshirur); then along the eastern and northern sides of this cultivation north-east two hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 142; north-north-east two hundred and forty yards cairn No. 141; on for the same distance cairn No. 140; north-west four hundred and ten yards cairn No. 138 to the east of Jogigudde cultivation (Muli No. 8 of Areshirur); thence up the slope of Ummibare hill north-north-east four hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 136 to the east of Gorijeddu and Belajeri tota cultivations (Muli No. 2 of Areshirur); then along the eastern and northern sides of these, north-north east two hundred and ninety-nine yards cairn No. 135 and nearly north two hundred yards cairn No. 134 and west slightly south three hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 133; then along the foot-slopes of Doddabole (hill) to the east of Kijinamakki and Mudugumi (Muli No. 2 and Muli No. 5 of Areshirur) and Bidikere cultivations (Muli No. 4 of Areshirur) north one hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 132; north slightly east five hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 131; north slightly west four hundred and forty yards cairn No. 130; north-north-west three hundred yards cairn No. 129; north-west four hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 128; north-north-west three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 127; north five hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 126; north-north-west three hundred and thirty yards cairn No. 125 to the north-east of Sirsina fields (Geni No. 1 of Golihole) on the Shidrubare spur; then passing round the northern side of the above cultivation north-west five hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 124; west-north-west three hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 123; south-west two hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 122 and on three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 121 to the north-west of Chikkanadi cultivation (Geni No. 1 of Halliberu); then along the west side of that cultivation south-south-west three hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 120; on two hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 119; south slightly east five hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 118; south-south-east two hundred and forty yards cairn No 117 to the west of Betmakki cultivation (Geni No. 1 of Golihole) and on the slope of Gundijeribole (hill); then along the slopes of this hill south-south-west four hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 115; north-west three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 114-A, to the east of Ellakki cultivation (Geni No. 1 of Golihole); then along the northern and eastern sides of this cultivation north slightly east one hundred and forty yards cairn No. 114; on one hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 113; west-north-west five hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 112; west-south-west four hundred yards cairn No. 111 and on slightly more west two hundred and forty yards cairn No. 110; thence west five hundred yards cairn No. 109 and on three hundred yards cairn No. 108-C, on the left bank of Nandikuli stream; thence northward up the stream for about five hundred yards cairn No. 108-B, on the same bank; west-north-west one hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 108-A; north-north-east the same distance cairn No. 108; north-north-west two hundred and ten yards cairn No. 107 to the south-east of Hanigudde cultivation (Geni No. 1 of Yelajita); then along the eastern and northern sides of that cultivation north slightly east three hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 106; west-north-west one hundred and ten yards cairn No. 105; on six hundred yards cairn No. 104 to the north of Attargudde; west slightly north the same distance cairn No. 103 to the east of Melhalli cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur); north-north-west four hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 102; north-west two-hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 101 west-south-west three hundred and forty yards cairn No. 100; west four hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 99 on Jettibole hill; then west-south-west two hundred and forty yards cairn No. 98 and south-west five hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 97 on the spur between Huddige fields (Geni No. 1 of Yelajita) and Kavali cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Halliberu). *West.*—Then north-west one hundred and thirty yards cairn No. 96; and north-north-west five hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 95; then passing along the southern and eastern sides of Marvanamakki (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur) east three hundred and eighty-five yards cairn No. 94; and north-north-west five hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 92 to the east of Melhallimakki cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur); then along the north of that cultivation north-west two hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 91; slightly more west four hundred and forty yards cairn No. 90; then skirting the eastern and northern sides of Koragudde Banjar (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur) nearly north three hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 89; and nearly west two hundred and ten yards cairn No. 88; then north-north-west two hundred and ninety yards cairn No. 87 to the south of the Jettanadi cultivation (Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur); then passing to the east of that cultivation, Hullikadike cultivation, Bilihitlu Banjar, Kadukod cultivation, and Hejjal cultivation (all of the same warg), east-north-east one hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 86; north-east five hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 84; east two hundred yards cairn No. 83; north slightly east three hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 82; north-north-east five hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 81; nearly north two hundred and thirty yards cairn No. 80; north-west three hundred and sixty yards cairn No. 79; on two hundred and eighty yards cairn No. 78; north-north-west four hundred and twenty yards cairn No. 77 on the slope of Kalmakkigudde hill; north-east one hundred and twenty-five yards cairn No. 76; then crossing the Hejjal river north-west three hundred and ten yards cairn No. 75 on the southern slope of the Kasanmaragudde hill spur; then westward along the foot of that hill one hundred and fifty yards cairn No. 74, and west slightly north four hundred and seventy yards cairn No. 72; thence north-east two hundred and fifty yards up the spur to the starting point.

Remarks.—The following enclosure notified as such in the section 4 notification of the block will form an enclosure demarcated out by cairns Nos. 14 to 19 inclusive within the reserve, itself being free from reservation.

Enclosure No. 1.—Gudikere cultivation, Muli No. 1 of Hallihossur village. Right of entry to and from the enclosure will be by P.R.W. Nos. I, VII, VIII, IX and X.

The following Bhutastan is admitted within the reserve as an enclosure during settlement.

Enclosure No. 2.—Huliidevara Bhutastan, covering an area of six feet by six feet or thirty-six square feet, together with an additional space of two feet on each side of it, making a space ten feet by ten feet of an area one hundred square feet. Right of entry to the Bhutastan will be by P.R.W. No. V.

The following aqueduct, dams and channels are admitted within the reserve :—

Easement No. 1– *Aqueduct.*—Permission is accorded to the holder of Muli No 5 of Areshirur village for the time being to use all the year the water of a spring situate two hundred yards south-east of cairn No. 130 by means of a channel, leaving the reserve the same distance south of the same cairn ; to plant two sago palm trees a year on the borders of the aqueduct not more than two yards distant from either side of it and to cut the sago palms planted by himself for the repair thereof ; also to enter the forest twice daily for the repair of the aqueduct by a path alongside of the aqueduct up to the spring Rights herein prescribed to extend not more than one furlong into the forest and to be comprised within a breadth of five yards from the centre of the natural channel on which the aqueduct is built.

Dams Nos. 1 *and* 2 *and channels Nos.* 1 *and* 2.—Permission is accorded to the cultivator for the time being of Geni No. 1 of Yelajita village known as Haniguddi to construct two dams across the Nandikuli stream at points one hundred and forty yards north-east of and one hundred and thirty yards east-south-east of cairn No. 106, respectively, and to lead off water therefrom by channels (1) three feet wide including its banks running through the reserve south-west for one hundred and eighty yards and quitting it thirty-five yards west of cairn No. 106 ; and (2) three feet wide including its banks running through the reserve nearly westward for one hundred and twenty-five yards and quitting the reserve fifty yards south of cairn No. 106 for the irrigation of that land. No material from the forest may be obtained for the construction of these dams, such material being obtained from the kumaki land attached to the warg. The maintenance and repairs of the channels will be executed with materials obtained from the bed of the channels as above specified ; and right of entry into the reserve for the construction of the dams and maintenance of the channels will be from May to October yearly and by the bed of the channels.

The following public rights of way are admitted within the reserve :—

1. *Halliberu-Gudikere foot-path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve at a point where the Kadukod river crosses the reserve east boundary, passes down the slopes of the spur in a generally west-south-westerly direction, the distance as the crow flies being about one and a quarter miles and quits it two hundred and fifty yards south-east of enclosure cairn No. 14.

2. *Jodkal-Chiyarsal foot-path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve eighty-five yards west of cairn No. 169, passes through it nearly quarter of a mile north and quits it one hundred yards west of cairn No. 170.

3. *Areshirur-Kollur foot-path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve twenty-five yards north of cairn No. 130, passes through it east-north east some eight hundred yards and quits it on its east boundary.

4. *Golihole-Bavadi path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve ninety yards east of cairn No. 123, passes through it in a north-north-easterly direction for half a mile and quits the reserve on its east boundary.

5. *Huliidevara Bhutastan path*, three feet wide for men only, entering the reserve about ten yards east of cairn No. 105 and passing through it in a north-easterly direction two hundred and fifty yards to the Bhutastan enclosure.

6. *Kavali-Murvana foot-path* to a width of three feet for men only, enters the reserve two hundred and fifty yards south-south-east of cairn No. 95, passes through it in a north-north-easterly direction two hundred and seventy yards and quits it one hundred and eighty yards east of the same cairn.

7. *Melhalu-Gudikere foot-path*, three feet wide for men only, enters the reserve forty yards west of cairn No. 89, passes through it nearly east for about quarter of a mile and quits it twenty-five yards north-west of enclosure cairn No. 18.

8. *Jettanadi-Gudikere foot-path*, six feet wide for men and cattle, enters the reserve one furlong south-west of cairn No. 84, passes through it in a south-easterly direction some three hundred and sixty yards and quits it thirty yards north-east of enclosure cairn No 19.

9. *Hullikadike-Gudikere* path to a width of six feet for men and cattle, enters the reserve at and on the west side of cairn No. 83, passes through it nearly south for one and a half furlongs and joins the Jettanadi-Gudikere foot-path just before the latter enters the enclosure.

10. *The Gudikere tank path*, three feet wide for men only will pass direct to the tank which is only ten yards within the reserve between enclosure cairns Nos. 18 and 19.

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