

Revenue (1899) Department.

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G.O., No. 68

DATED 5th January 99

[Despatch Abstract.]

According Sanction to ~~the~~ writing off tea accounts Rs 13-1-7 being
the amount advanced to certain coolies by Mr Marshall, ~~late~~ when he
was D.F.O of North Malabar.

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Revenue (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 8633

From

The Board of Revenue,
Land Revenue,
Madras.

Order mis N^o 6875^a/in 1899

Sanctioned in the special order

Forest Ref. No. 479.

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Dated 14th. December 1898.

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SUBJECT,

Requesting the sanction of Govern-
ment to write off Rs. 13--1--7, being
the amount advanced to certain coolies
by Mr. Marshall, late Dt. Forest Officer,
North Malabar.

To the B.S. & R.

accountant General.

8th
21-11-98

del. 7-1-99

21/12/98

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Office of the Board of Revenue,
Land Revenue, Madras.

Dated 14th. December 1898.

Read again B.P.Forest No. 200 Misc., dated 29th. March 1898 sanctioning the writing off of certain irrecoverable advances in North Malabar drawing the attention of the Collector to section 192 of the Forest Code and requesting him to see that advances are not granted to men who cannot furnish adequate security; -- and stating in reference to a certain advance said to be irrecoverable, that the Collector should recover the amount from -- the officer or officers responsible for its payment.

Also endorsement of H.A.Gass Esquire, Ag. Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dated 15th. November 1898, No. 1436 of 1898-99 forwarding with recommendation Malabar Collector's letter requesting that sanction may be accorded for writing off Rs.----- 13--1--7, advance outstanding against certain coolies.

Forest Reference No. 479, dated 14th. December 1898.

In July 1894, Mr.J.G.F.Marshall, the then - Dt.Forest Officer, North Malabar, made an advance of Government money to certain coolies for the purchase of cumblies on condition that the amount advanced should be repaid by them in instalments. The names of the coolies, however, were not entered in the District ledger (Form No.32 of the Forest Code) and, in view of this omission, the present Dt.Forest Officer reports -- that it is not possible to identify them.

2. A portion of the advance appears to have been recovered by - Mr.Marshall, but a sum of Rs.13--1--7 is still outstanding. Mr. Marshall appears to have directed the then Range Officer, Begur, Mr.J.W.Ryan, to recover the outstanding. There is however --- nothing on record to show what action was taken by that officer nor can it be assumed that the circumstances were such that he can fairly be held responsible for failure to recover the amount.

3. Both Messrs. Marshall and Ryan are now in the Forest Department, Burma, and Mr.Marshall has been temporarily deputed to -- Siam. It is not likely that they will

transaction now and the Board considers that it will be impossible to recover the amount from the coolies at this distance of time, even if it is possible to identify them. The sanction of Government is therefore requested for writing off the amount.

Lone Davidson

Ag. Secretary.

To the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

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