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Kurnool—Rai Kunhya Lal's tables.—Supply of, to Tannadars in the district.—The Board declines to sanction unless it is shown that they are of some practical use to them.	18th „ „ 581, Mis.
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Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order directing that in the case of books published in India, all applications shall be dealt with in the department of the Secretariat concerned, but that books which have to be procured from Europe and periodical whether published in India or not shall be as usual dealt with in the Financial Department, recorded.	17th July, „ 713, Mis.
The purchase of four copies of Diseases of Plants induced by Cryptogamic Parasites.—Sanction of Government for, requested.——Government Order sanctioning the purchase of, communicated to Conservators.	9th Aug., „ 789, Mis. 15th Sept., „ 933, Mis.
Quarterly Civil List and the Weekly Issues of the *Fort St. George Gazette*.—Supply of, to the Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India No. 9 Party.—— Government sanction for, requested.——Government Order transferring the above Board's Proceedings to the Financial	13th Aug., „ 806, Mis. 31st „ „ 874, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 909, Mis. 29th „ „ 989, Mis.

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Department, recorded.——Government Order sanctioning the supply of, to the Superintendent, Survey of India No. 9 Party, communicated to the Superintendent, to cancel the Government Order sanctioning the supply of, Government requested.	
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order fixing the price to be charged for a copy of the Forest Supplement of the District Gazette to be As. 6 per annum, recorded.	20th Aug., F. No. 843, Mis.
Government Order communicating letter from Government of India requesting supply of seven instead of three copies of the Forest Manual issued by local Governments and Administrations, recorded.	22nd Sept., „ 964, Mis.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requesting supply of copies of the Boundary and Easement Acts to the District Forest-officers in his circle and to himself.—Orders passed on,	5th Nov., „ 1146, Mis.
BOUNDARY.	
Chingleput — Description of a block recommended for reservation in the Valluvapakkam village.—Collector requested to report, through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, regarding the,	29th Jan., „ 98, Mis.
Coimbatore—Revised description of the Bolampatty Reserved Forest No. II, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Explanation submitted to Government as to circumstances which render necessary the issue of an amended description of boundary.——Government Order sanctioning publication of the notification of the east and south boundary description of the block, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	8th Feb., „ 120, Mis. 22nd Mar., „ 271, Mis. 21st April, „ 351, Mis.
Ganjám—Amended description in respect of the Dowgam block.—Report called for by Government in regard to the issue of an, submitted to Government.——Government Order directing the publication of the amended notification, communicated to Collector, Conservator and Forest Settlement-officer.	13th Feb., „ 143, Mis. 24th March „ 282, Mis.
Mysore—dispute.—Letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, forwarding copy of a descriptive memoir of the Province of Malabar, forwarded to the Collector of Nilgiris for reference and return.——Stated that Government has been requested to ask the Surveyor-General by wire to obtain the original document.——Government Order communicating, with remarks, the decision arrived at by the Commission appointed to settle the, dispute, recorded.——To arrange for the required funds being placed at the disposal of Mr. Douglas in connection with his deputation for the survey work, Government requested.——Papers relating to the apportionment between the Mysore Durbar and the Madras Government of the minor produce collected in the disputed tracts, submitted to Government with remarks.——Government Order stating that the expenditure for the survey of, should be debited to	15th „ „ 148, Mis. 17th July, „ 293, Mis. 20th Aug., „ 839, Mis. 14th Sept., „ 927, Mis. 20th „ „ 946, Mis. 29th „ „ 992, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 1024, Mis. 29th „ „ 1119, Mis. 8th Nov., „ 1154, Mis.

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"3. Land Revenue, Survey and Settlement," communicated to Collector of Nilgiris and Conservator of Forests, whether Rs. 2,500 asked for can be placed at the disposal of Mr. Douglas, Accountant-General requested to report, ——The additional copies of the maps, forwarded by the Commission, should be prepared by one of the temporary draughtsmen employed in the Southern Circle or by the draughtsmen of the Conservator's office, stated. ——Government Order approving the proposal to waive the claims to the value of the minor produce collected, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Government Order communicating Government Order (Financial) authorising the Accountant-General to place the sum of Rs. 2,500 at the disposal of Mr. Douglas for the work, recorded.——Government Order forwarding to the Board letter from the Resident, Mysore, accepting proposals of the Madras Government for permanently demarcating, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	
Nilgiris—Correct, of the Cherambadi reserve.—Government Order requesting the Board of Revenue to cause a map to be prepared defining the, communicated to the Collector.——Collector's reply, recorded pending receipt of plan.——Government Order recording, pending receipt of the plan, Board's Proceedings, No. 625, dated 29th June 1897, recorded.——Plans of the reserve returned by the Collector, submitted to Government. ——Government Order requesting to submit draft notification under section 24 for disforestation, communicated to Collector.——Draft notification called for, submitted to Government.	4th Mar., F. No. 211, Mis. 29th June, „ 625, Mis. 21st July, „ 732, Mis. 2nd Aug., „ 763, Mis. 14th Sept., „ 929, Mis. 18th Nov., „ 1199, Mis.
Kurnool—between the Nandyal and Sirvel taluks.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order approving the proposal to fix the southern margin of the Nandicanama road as the, recorded.	3rd April, „ 310, Mis.
Ganjám—Mr. J. L. MacO'Leary, to resume his special duty, directed.——Government requested to permit Mr. MacO'Leary, Assistant Conservator of Forests, to resume his special duty on the demarcation of the, Agency, in the district.——Collector directed to submit, at a very early date, a special report through the Conservator of Forests on the work already done and the time required to complete it.	8th Mar., „ 220, Mis. 6th April, „ 318, Mis.
South Arcot—Letter from the Collector forwarding a bits erratum in respect of the eastern, description of the Kannamadi reserved forests in the Tiruvannamalai taluk.—Orders passed on,	26th May, „ 496, Mis.
Bellary—Draft errata in respect of the, description of two bits of Kosigi block, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the draft errata, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	4th „ „ 181, Mis. 29th June „ 626, Mis.
Kistna—of a portion of Sorlagandi.—Collector requested to demarcate and to send a brief description of the locality to be disforested.	5th July, „ 651, Mis.

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South Arcot—Draft notification for amended, description in respect of Siruvadi and ten other blocks in the Tindivanam taluk, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving and ordering the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	17th July, F. No. 709, Mis. 9th Aug., „ 792, Mis.
Kurnool—An estimate for Rs. 2,100 for cutting and clearing the taluk, line between Nandikotkur and Markapur taluks, sanctioned.	14th „ „ 811, Mis.
Cuddapah—Draft erratum in respect of the south, description of Gopavaram extension block in the Badvel taluk, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	4th Sept., „ 890, Mis. 23rd „ „ 970, Mis.
Draft erratum in respect of the southern, description of Madupalajuvvi reserve in the Kadiri taluk, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving the erratum and ordering its publication, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	13th „ „ 925, Mis. 6th Oct., „ 1018, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Letter from the Collector reporting that no action is necessary regarding rectification of, in the case of ghât reserves except in the case of Milavattan reserve, recorded.	27th Sept., „ 984, Mis.
Coimbatore—Government Order approving and ordering publication of the revised, description under section 16 of the Forest Act for the Vellamandi reserve in Satyamangalam taluk, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	14th Oct., „ 451.
Trichinopoly—description in respect of the Pachamalai reserve may be corrected by issuing a section 16 notification, stated.	29th „ „ 1121, Mis.
North Arcot—Draft amended, description in respect of the Kinotipalli reserve, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	2nd Nov., „ 1128, Mis.
BUDGET.	
estimate of the Madras Forest Department for 1897-98. —Government Order, Financial Department, accepting the, communicated to Collectors and Conservators of Forests, &c.——Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India reviewing the budget estimate, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests. —— Conservators of Forests requested to revise the provisional allotment statement of charges appended to Board's Proceedings, F. No. 29, to resubmit it to the Board at an early date and to report by wire whether the reduction made by the Government of India in the budget estimate of charges will affect the receipts.——Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Government of India, Financial Department, sanctioning, estimate for 1896-97, and 1897-98, communicated to Conservators of Forests and	20th Jan., „ 29. 12th Mar., „ 103. 28th April, „ 169. 5th June, „ 226.

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Collectors in continuation of Board's Proceedings, No. 103, dated 12th March 1897.——Certain alterations in the sub-heads under A-VIII in the appendix to Board's Proceedings, No. 169, dated 28th April 1897, made.	
—estimate of the Forest Department for 1897–98.—Memorandum from Government requesting the Board to adduce satisfactory grounds as to why the, under A. Conservancy and Works, should not be reduced to nine lakhs, answered.——Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Financial Department deciding that no reduction should be made in the estimates under A. Conservancy and Works, recorded.	25th Jan., F. No. 79, Mis. 19th Feb., „ 164, Mis.
Instructions for the preparation of, estimates circulated with Board's Proceedings, No. 342, dated 19th September 1895.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), communicating to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests, Government Order ordering the insertion of certain addenda in the copies of, recorded.——Power to sanction transfers of budget allotments from one detailed head to another within the same minor head and within the same district.——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order delegating to Collectors and Magistrates and to District and Sessions Judges the, and making certain alterations in, and additions to, the rules relating to the preparation of, estimates, recorded.	26th „ „ 198, Mis. 15th Nov., „ 1185, Mis.
Revised estimate of the Forest Department for 1896–97.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India requesting that the latest figures of the, may be telegraphed to the Comptroller and Auditor General (Forests) not later than 9th March, communicated to Conservators of Forests with the request to intimate before the 8th the actual receipts and charges for February 1897, and the probable figures for March 1897.——Accountant-General requested to furnish the Board on or before the 6th with a statement of the actual receipts and charges for the first two months of the current year.——Telegraphing to the Comptroller and Auditor General (Forests), Calcutta, the latest figures of the revised estimate for 1896–97.——Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Financial Department resuming a sum of 1·20 lakh from the sanctioned grant under forests and stating that the Board of Revenue should arrange to keep itself better informed of the monthly progress of expenditure, communicated to Conservators of Forests with remarks.	4th Mar., „ 209, Mis. 9th „ „ 230, Mis. 22nd April, „ 359, Mis.
Letter from the Accountant-General requesting to be furnished with a revised, estimate for 1897–98 under B. Establishment for the Forest Department and districtwar numerical statement of the sanctioned establishments, communicated to Conservators of Forests.——Revised, estimate, submitted to Government through the Accountant-General.——Government Order approving the revised estimate, for additional allowances, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	10th Mar., „ 236, Mis. 22nd May, „ 475, Mis. 5th July, „ 264.

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BUDGET—*cont.*	1897.
Survey of India estimate for 1896–97 and, estimate for 1897–98.—Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India regarding the, recorded.	12th Mar., F. No. 247, Mis.
estimate.—Reductions anticipated in the, of Forest receipts in consequence of reductions made by the Government of India in the estimate of charges and orders passed on the subject of,——Government informed the, estimate of receipts for 1897–98, as sanctioned by the Government of India, may be accepted provisionally.——Estimate of charges, as notified by Government of India, redistributed.——Government Order passing orders on the redistribution, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	17th „ „ 256, Mis. 13th April, „ 342, Mis. 12th May, „ 193.
Accounts, appropriation report of Provincial Funds for 1895–96.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order recording with remarks the, as submitted by the Accountant-General and the Public Works Department, recorded.	19th Mar., „ 265, Mis.
Letter from the Accountant-General stating that the sub-heads under B-III. Contingencies printed in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 75, dated 20th February 1897, follows that adopted in the Forest, estimate for 1897–98, communicated to all Conservators of Forests, Collectors and Special Forest Settlement-officers.	13th April, „ 155.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to Collector and Conservators of Forests Government Order circulating preliminary issue of Provincial Civil Works, for 1897–98, and requesting that the report called for as to which of the Revenue Department's works shown in the, list for 1897–98 are most urgent, may be submitted at an early date, recorded.——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order, Public Works Department, circulating to all officers concerned final issue of the Provincial Civil Works, for 1897–98, recorded.	30th June, „ 636, Mis. 22nd July, „ 738, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order reviewing the preliminary account of provincial services for 1896–97, recorded.——Government Order (Financial) regarding the preliminary accounts of provincial services, communicated to Conservators of Forests.——Conservators of Forests requested to discuss the question of steady increase in Forest receipts.	30th Aug., „ 862, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 885, Mis.
Letter regarding the provision to be made on account of Survey of India Parties Nos. 9 and 19 in the revised, estimates of the three circles, recorded.	27th „ „ 985, Mis.
—estimates of receipts and charges for 1898–99, reviewed and submitted to Government.	16th Oct., „ 453.
Statement showing the approximate fall in the estimates of revenue and expenditure for the current year under IX and II, Forest, on account of the late famine, submitted.	24th Nov., „ 1219, Mis.

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Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Financial Department making certain additions to the rules relating to the preparation of, estimates, recorded.	15th Dec., F. No. 1297, Mis.
BUILDINGS.	
South Canara—Construction of a town residence.—Board agrees with the Collector in considering that the, is not a purpose for which kumaki produce can be enjoyed free of charge.	11th Jan., „ 18.
Coimbatore—District Forest office.—Estimate for Rupees 1,050 for improvement to the, submitted for sanction of Government.	14th „ „ 33, Mis.
Grant of certificates by Public Works Department officers in connection with municipal assessments on,—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to all Collectors, &c., Government Order on the subject of, recorded.	26th „ „ 82, Mis.
Gòdàvari—known as the old Principal Sudder Amin's Court at Rajahmundry.—Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department removing the, in supersession of previous orders, the, from the books of the Public Works Department and permanently transferring it to the Forest Department, communicated to Collector.	12th Mar., „ 246, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Private,—Leasing of a, for the accommodation of the District Forest Office at Rs. 30 per mensem for three years, sanctioned.—Collector informs of the same by wire.	1st April „ 301, Mis.
Bellary—Old taluk office at Gooty.—Transfer of the, to the Forest Department.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Works Department sanctioning the, recorded.	30th „ „ 385, Mis.
Kurnool—Repairs to the Nandyal Forest bungalow.—Proposed execution of the work departmentally, submitted to Government for approval.—Government Order approving, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	13th May, „ 435, Mis. 5th July, „ 656, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Proposals of the Collector in regard to the construction of Forest Range office, in the compound of the new Deputy Collector's office, Srívilliputtúr, supported with modifications.—Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, requested to undertake the work.—Government Order communicating to the Board Proceedings of the Public Works Department regarding the construction of the office, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	19th May, „ 458, Mis. 16th July, „ 702, Mis.
Whether accommodation can be available for the Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., districts, in his new office.—Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requested to report,	21st May, „ 465, Mis.

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Kistna—Proposals of the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, for writing off the list of Forest bungalows in Kistna of Bellamkonda Hill bungalow, approved with remarks.	19th July, F. No. 719, Mis.
North Arcot—The repairs and alteration to the, intended for the District Forest-officer's office at Chittoor, should be carried out as early as possible, ordered that,	3rd Aug., „ 768, Mis.
Coimbatore—The construction of a rest house at Méttupálaiyam.—Board considers unnecessary,	8th Sept., „ 905, Mis.
Nilgiris—Collector's proposal for the acquisition of the "Wood Estate" and the, thereon, submitted to Government for orders.	9th „ „ 911, Mis.
Kistna—Government Order communicating Government Order, Public Works Department, sanctioning the transfer of the old taluk office at Bápatla in the Kistna Western division to the Forest Department, communicated to Collector.	15th „ „ 936, Mis.
North Arcot—Repairs to the Forest range office in the compound of the Goomsur Mahal, Vellore.—Estimate for Rs. 570 for, submitted to Government for orders, with the remark that the work should be undertaken by the Public Works Department.	12th Nov., „ 1172, Mis.
C	
CERTIFICATE.	
Grant of, by Public Works officers in connection with municipal assessments on buildings.—Government Order on the subject of, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	26th Jan., „ 82, Mis.
Medical Officer's, — Government Order directing one Mahomed Khader to appear before a Medical Board and agreeing with the Surgeon-General that an appeal to a Medical Board against the, should be allowed only at the request of the head of a department and subject to the Surgeon-General's approval.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating the, recorded.	5th Feb., „ 117, Mis.
Vizagapatam — as to his further fitness for duty. — Forest Ranger S. Arokiasawmi Pillai should be directed to appear before the District Medical Officer and obtain a,	6th April, „ 313, Mis.
CHARCOAL.	
Conversion of timber into one ton of,—Copy of circular from the Inspector-General of Forests regarding cost of, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	12th Mar., „ 104, Mis.
CIRCULAR.	
—from the Accountant-General issuing certain instructions to District Forest-officers and Special Forest Settlement-officers in the matter of the signing of accounts in their offices before despatch.—Copy of, recorded.	15th Jan., „ 42, Mis.

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CIRCULAR—*cont.*	1897.
—from the Inspector-General of Forests on the subject of grant of stipends to students at the Imperial Forest School, Dehra Dun.—Copy of, communicated to Conservators of Forests with a request to reply to it direct to the Inspector-General sending a copy of the reply to the Board for information.	16th Feb., F. No. 157.
—from the Inspector-General of Forests regarding the cost of converting timber into one-ton of charcoal.—Copy of, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	12th Mar., „ 104.
—from the Inspector-General of Forests to the Government of India relative to passed private students of the Dehra Dun Forest School, who are desirous of obtaining employment in the Forest Department, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	29th April, „ 378, Mis.
—regarding the sending of A Registers to District Forest-officers for their answers, issued.—Collectors requested to submit a return showing the number of blocks with regard to which enquiries were held by Forest Settlement-officers during the last official year and the number of enquiries at which the District Forest-officer was present.	6th May, „ 191.
Nellore—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) approving the revised, relating to prospecting and mining for mica in the district and requesting people interested in the industry to make remarks on the, recorded.	22nd „ „ 483, Mis.
COMPENSATION.	
Payment of, for lands taken up for public purposes under the Land Acquisition Act (I of 1894).—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order communicating Government of India resolution amending form AA prescribing rules for the payment of,	5th Feb., „ 116, Mis.
South Arcot—for land included in Killai reserve, Chidambaram taluk.—Board declines to interfere in claim of one Subbaraya Achari for,	20th „ „ 170, Mis.
Malabar—for value of improvements to certain lands in the new Amarampalayam forests.—Payment of Rupees 4,554 to one Uni Kumham as, sanctioned.	9th Mar., „ 226, Mis.
South Canara—Exchange of a portion of 100 yards of Kumaki land allowed to a wargdar.—Board sees no objection to the, for another piece of land.	7th April, „ 327, Mis.
Coimbatore—Grant of certain land in exchange for suit No. 431 of Virumundampalaiyam village, Erode taluk, taken up for a forest purpose, sanctioned.	12th „ „ 339, Mis.
Kurnool—Collector's letter enquiring whether a claimant who first expressed his willingness to take other lands in exchange but subsequently demanded money, can be compelled to abide by his first statement before the Forest Settlement-officer.—Orders passed on,	10th May, „ 419, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Collector's proposal to include within the proposed Dharakonda reserve certain villages, approved; compensation of Rs. 498-2-0 for lands taken, sanctioned.	18th „ „ 452, Mis.

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COMPENSATION—*cont.*	1897.
Malabar—The action of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, in issuing a supplemental credit for awarding, in Forest-Settlement case, approved.—Conservator of Forests requested to send if necessary application for an additional allotment by a transfer from other Circles.	6th Sept., F. No. 897, Mis.
CORRESPONDENCE.	
Conservators of Forests directed to send a copy of their endorsement on Collector's letters other than routine ones, to Collectors concerned.——Southern Circle Conservator asking for an additional Clerk on Rs. 20, declined to recommend to Government.	11th May, „ 429, Mis. 26th „ „ 495, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) directing that all important communications which cannot come by ordinary letter post shall in future be sent by registered letter post and not by parcel post, recorded.	5th June, „ 533, Mis.
D	
DEMARCATION.	
Kistna—Cost of, of the boundary of a village improperly collected from the agraharamdar of Nidhanampad, Palnad taluk.—Collector's letter reporting that the, has been refunded to him, recorded. —— Nidhanampad agraharamdar informed that his claim to the cost of trees, &c., felled in clearing the lines of demarcation, cannot be complied with.	1st Feb., „ 100, Mis. 1st April, „ 302, Mis.
Malabar—of the paddy flats in the Trikalayur Devaswrum leased forests by the Survey Department. — Board agrees with Collector and Conservator of Forests in the matter of,	16th Feb., „ 154, Mis.
Expenditure on, considered that in cases where District Forest-officers do not receive from the Accountant-General audited figures for May and June relating to, in time for incorporation in the annual report, it will be sufficient for them to send a statement for those months to the Accountant-General for verification and return.	16th Mar., „ 253, Mis.
Ganjám—of the agency boundary in the district.—Government requested to permit Mr. Mac O'Leary, Assistant Conservator of Forests, to resume his special duty on the,—Collector directed to submit, at a very early date, a special report through the Conservator of Forests, on the work already done and the time required to complete it.	6th April, „ 318, Mis.
Proposals to make alteration in the rules relating to Forest,—Orders passed on,	8th Sept., „ 391.
South Canara—Letters from the Collector of South Canara and the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, reporting on the, of Kans and Banes in the district, recorded.	18th Nov., „ 1198, Mis.

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DEPOSIT.	1897.
Kurnool—Money, of one Chittu Row.—Collector directed to adjust, as a special case, so much of the, as may be necessary to cover the arrear kist standing against him on account of lease of certain date farmers.	25th Feb., F. No. 187, Mis.
E	
ESTABLISHMENT.	
Coimbatore—D. S. Susai Pillay, Sub-Inspector of Salt and Abkári Revenue. — Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, praying that he may be reverted to the post of Second Clerk, District Forest Office, North Coimbatore, communicated to Collector of Coimbatore through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	8th Jan., „ 15, Mis.
Temporary,—Government Order authorising the Accountant-General to admit cases where a smaller, than the sanctioned one is entertained for a longer period than that fixed by Government but without any extra expense being incurred.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests, recorded.	8th „ „ 16, Mis.
Nilgiris—Entertainment of a Mahout on Rs. 10 and a Cavady on Rs. 8 per mensem, sanctioned from the 13th November 1896.	9th „ „ 17, Mis.
Nellore—Peon Munuswami of the District Forest Office.—Orders of dismissal passed on, considered too severe and reduced to one of suspension for six months.	21st „ „ 67, Mis.
Trichinopoly — Zainulabdien, late Forest Guard.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Board dismissing him from service, submitted to Government. —— Government Order declining to interfere on petitioner's behalf, recorded.	20th „ „ 60, Mis. 25th Feb., „ 190, Mis.
North Arcot—Durgiah Naidu, late a depôt-keeper, dismissed from service.—Government Order declining to interfere in petition from, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	26th Jan., „ 80, Mis.
Nellore—Entertainment of a clerk on Rs. 25 per mensem in the District Forest Office, sanctioned.	9th Feb., „ 124, Mis.
Entertainment of one Bolamrazu, an unpassed candidate, as a clerk on Rs. 15 in the office of Forest Settlement-officer, Nellore, &c., districts, for two months from the 16th February 1897, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 167, Mis.
Subordinate executive and protective staff of the Forest Department.—Government Order embodying Government of India letter sanctioning the scheme for the reorganization of the, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests with remarks. —— Southern Circle Conservator's scale of temporary, for his Circle, returned to Conservator of Forests for revision.—— Board's Proceedings, recorded by Government.——The continuance of certain temporary, in the Southern Circle, until the close of the current official year, sanctioned.	20th „ „ 68. 4th Mar., „ 210, Mis. 29th „ „ 290, Mis. 14th July, „ 694, Mis.

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Trichinopoly — T. Subraya Pillay, late Range Clerk, Perambalúr.—Board declines to interfere on behalf of, in regard to his dismissal from his post.	22nd Feb., F. No. 175, Mis.
Malabar—Entertainment of a Mahout on Rs. 15, three Mahouts on Rs. 12 each and a Cavady on Rs. 8 in North Malabar division during 1896-97, sanctioned.	11th Mar., „ 238, Mis.
Office, of the Conservator of Forests.—Proposals for the revision of the, submitted to Government.——Letter from Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requesting early orders on the proposals submitted to Government. ——Board declined to sanction employment of an additional Clerk on Rs. 25.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, No. 706, Mis., dated 17th July 1897, recorded. —— Government Order passing orders on Board's Proceedings, No. 107, dated 13th March 1897, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests. —— Conservators of Forests requested to report on the grading of managers. —— Government Order sanctioning the revision of the Conservator's office, communicated to Conservators of Forests. —— Certain alterations in the Accountant-General's table of powers of sanction, submitted to Government.——Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings, Financial Department, directing that certain alterations in the Accountant-General's tables of sanction be incorporated in the list recorded in Government Order, No. 59, Financial, dated 22nd January 1896, recorded.——Conservator's reports on the grading of their clerical establishments with the executive, submitted to Government and the post of the Forest Assistant in the office proposed to be constituted into an extra Assistant Conservatorship.	13th „ „ 107. 17th July, „ 706, Mis. 6th Aug., „ 780, Mis. 11th „ „ 343. 28th Sept., „ 988, Mis. 29th Nov., „ 1230, Mis. 1st Dec., „ 475.
Temporary,—Scale of, of the Central Circle for 1897-98, approved and sanctioned.	16th Mar., „ 115.
Vizagapatam—K. Bhagirazu, late a Forest Guard in the district.—Memorial from, appealing to the Government of India against the orders of his dismissal from the public service, submitted to Government with remark. —— Government Order withholding the memorial, recorded.	17th „ „ 259, Mis. 29th „ „ 295, Mis.
Forest Subordinate,—Scale of, for the last three months of 1896-97 and for 1897-98, proposed by the Conservators of Forests, approved with remarks.—Certain promotions made in the several grades of Rangers.	26th „ „ 133.
Coimbatore—Certain correspondence from the Collector regarding the work turned out by the special, for the registration of sandalwood trees in the Bhavání taluk, recorded with remark.——Further information on the subject, recorded.——Government Order stating that Government of India is moved for the sanction, recorded.	2nd April, „ 307, Mis. 22nd „ „ 360, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 834, Mis.
Chingleput—Forest Guard Syed Jaffer who was reinstated to his post on appeal by the Board.—Collector's letter requesting sanction for payment of Rs. 145-13-11 to, being arrears of pay due to him, submitted for the orders of Government. —— Government Order sanctioning, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	22nd April, „ 362, Mis. 21st May, „ 468, Mis.

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ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*	1897.
Revision of the Forest Office, in Madras.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India stating that the question of, will be taken into consideration, recorded.	26th April, F. No. 369, Mis.
Accountant-General considering that salaries to subordinate officers should only be paid on bills duly passed by the head of the office.—The Board agrees with,—Salary bills of permanent, be governed by section 166 of Forest Code, stated.	17th May, „ 197.
The continued employment of one Bollam Razu, an unpassed candidate, on Rs. 15 in Forest Settlement-officer's Office, Nellore, &c., districts, up to 5th May 1897, sanctioned.	18th „ „ 447, Mis.
The appointment of an additional clerk on Rs. 20 per mensem for the office of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. — Board declined to recommend to Government.	26th „ „ 495, Mis.
Salem—The entertainment of a temporary Clerk on Rs. 20 for six months in the District Forest Office, sanctioned.	26th „ „ 497, Mis.
The entertainment of a sweeper or toti at Re. 1 per month in the office of Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, sanctioned.	31st „ „ 513, Mis.
Forest Settlement Office, Nellore, &c., districts.—Appointment of T. Adinarayanayya, an unpassed candidate, as Acting Third Clerk on Rs. 15 per month in, for three months from 1st March 1897, sanctioned.——The appointment to take effect from 16th June 1897, ordered.	2nd June, „ 520, Mis. 24th „ „ 601, Mis.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requesting that his letter requiring sanction for the employment of an additional clerk may be forwarded on to Government,—Orders passed on,	14th „ „ 552, Mis.
Government Order communicating circular from the Government of India regarding the proposed revision of the office, of the Forest Department throughout India, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	16th „ „ 566, Mis.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, submitting proposals for the additional, required if the uncontrolled permit system is abolished, recorded with remarks.	16th „ „ 567, Mis.
That the Board is unable to support Mr. Hooper's proposal for the appointment of the Manager of his office, as a Ranger, First Grade, stated.	17th „ „ 573, Mis.
The scale of temporary, for 1897–98, proposed by the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, for his Circle, approved with remarks and modifications, the retention of the temporary, up to 30th June last, sanctioned.	2nd July, „ 258. 19th Aug., „ 833, Mis.
Coimbatore—Entertainment of a temporary clerk on Rs. 20 per mensem for South, District Forest Office from 16th July 1897 until the close of the current official year, sanctioned.	5th July, „ 653, Mis.

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ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*	1897.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order stating that applications for the supply of type-writers should invariably be accompanied by proposals for the reduction of copyists', recorded.	9th July, F. No. 676, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to Collectors of non-affected districts Government Order regarding supply of paymasters for famine relief works in the Deccan districts, recorded.	9th „ „ 678, Mis.
Ganjám—Debit of the cost of, entertained for the protection of the Parlákimedi Maliah forests.—Orders passed on,	14th „ „ 695, Mis.
Letter and draft notification from Mr. Hooper inviting applications for appointment in the Subordinate Forest service in his Circle, referred to Conservators of Forests, Nothern and Central Circles.	26th „ „ 747, Mis.
Kistna—Payment of salaries to certain Forest subordinates during the period of their suspension.—Government sanction for, requested.——Government Order sanctioning the payment of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	29th „ „ 757, Mis. 24th Aug., „ 847, Mis.
Nilgiris—The employment of an extra draughtsman on Rs. 30 per mensem for the revision of certain reserve boundaries for two months and the Southern Circle Conservator's proposals in regard thereto, approved.	3rd „ „ 769, Mis.
Coimbatore—Increase of pay to the Range Clerk, Talamalai Range, to Rs. 20.—Board declined to sanction,	2nd Sept., „ 878, Mis.
North Arcot—The continuance of certain temporary, under A. VIII G. up to 31st August 1897, sanctioned.	3rd „ „ 884, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order empowering Board of Revenue to extend up to six months the period of lien allowed to officers who seek transfer to other department, recorded.	3rd „ „ 887, Mis.
Appointments of four temporary Deputy Rangers in Northern Circle to compensate for vacancies in Ranger's class, sanctioned.	4th „ „ 892, Mis.
Malabar—Accountant-General's report that the proposal to pay the elephant, weekly instead of monthly is contrary to the provisions of article 26 of the Civil Account Code, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for information and guidance.	14th „ „ 928, Mis.
Gódávari—The entertainment of certain additional house watchers, sanctioned.	15th „ „ 932, Mis.
The scale of temporary, for Southern Circle for 1897-98, sanctioned with remarks.——Southern Circle Conservator's letter reporting on the number of ranges sanctioned for his circle at the reorganization and the number actually existing, recorded.	28th „ „ 420. 12th Nov., „ 1173, Mis.

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ESTABLISHMENT—*cont.*	1897.
Kurnool—The employment of two temporary line-cutting Foresters, sanctioned.—Collector's proposal to alter their designation into "Supervisors," approved.	6th Oct., F. No. 1013, Mis.
Letter from Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requesting sanction to appoint A. Venkatanarayaniah, Head Clerk of the District Forest Office, Cuddapah, as Sixth Grade Deputy Ranger, submitted to Government. ——Government Order sanctioning the appointment, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	11th " " 1046, Mis. 4th Nov., " 1141, Mis.
Employment of a night watcher on Rs. 5 from 1st September 1897 till the end of official year for watching the new bungalow and grounds at Waltair, sanctioned.	12th Oct., " 1055, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order delegating to the Board of Revenue, Inspector-General of Prisons and Surgeon-General the power to entertain sweepers whose whole time is not given to the public service and who are paid from contingencies, recorded.	19th " " 1086, Mis.
the Board sees no reason to revise the promotions already made to fourth grade of Rangers, stated that,	20th " " 1088, Mis.
Coimbatore—The entertainment of two depôt keepers at Rs. 12 each per mensem for six months from September 1897 for the two sale depôts at Satyamangalam and Bhavâni, sanctioned with remark.	29th " " 1113, Mis.
Security.—Approving Central Circle Conservator's proposal to exempt temporary Forest house watchers drawing Rs. 5 per mensem and less from the liability to furnish,	29th " " 472.
The entertainment of certain additional temporary, in the Northern Circle for Bellary and Anantapur, sanctioned.	3rd Nov., " 1131, Mis.
Kurnool—The grant of pay to the Clerk of the Sub-Divisional officer, Nallamalais, from 4th August to 2nd September 1897, sanctioned.	3rd " " 1132, Mis.
Defalcations by head clerks and revenue clerks of Forest Divisional offices.—The report called for on the subject of, submitted to Government.	10th " " 1159, Mis.
Madura—The entertainment of two peons on Rs. 7 each per mensem for Mr. H. F. A. Wood, from the 21st October 1897 to the date of his relief from Madura, sanctioned.	12th " " 1169, Mis.
Gódávari — The entertainment of two peons for Mr. Arbuthnot, Assistant Conservator of Forests, posted to Gódávari district, sanctioned.	2nd Dec., " 1242, Mis.
South Coimbatore—The entertainment of two Mahouts and two Cavadis for certain periods for elephants Bixa and Sirdar, sanctioned.	3rd " " 1244, Mis.
The continuance of certain temporary, in North Coimbatore and Nilgiris up to the end of current official year, recommended by the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, sanctioned.	15th " " 1291, Mis.

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ESTIMATE.	1897.
Revised, of the cost of surveys in Madras for the financial year 1896–97.—Letter from the Assistant Surveyor-General forwarding, recorded.	9th Jan., F. No. 19, Mis.
South Canara—received from the Superintending Engineer, Fourth Circle, for the construction of a Government timber basin at Mangalore, submitted to Government with remarks.——Government Order passing orders on the same, communicated to the Collector.——Collector requested to submit a report upon the question of a site for the timber depôt.——Collector's letter stating that a timber depôt in addition to the basin is not required, submitted. —— Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, recorded.	11th „ „ 23, Mis. 9th June, „ 539, Mis. 12th July, „ 687, Mis. 30th „ „ 762, Mis.
Cuddapah—for Rs. 9,278 for fire-protecting the forests in the district during 1896–97, sanctioned.	14th Jan., „ 32, Mis.
Coimbatore—for Rs. 1,050 for improvements to the District Forest Office, Coimbatore, submitted for the sanction of Government.	14th „ „ 33, Mis.
Cuddapah—for Rs. 4,845 for continuing the Pedral-Sagudu road in Pullampet taluk for eight miles, sanctioned.	14th „ „ 34, Mis.
Kurnool—for Rs. 6,075 for the construction of the first section of the road from Gazulapalli Railway crossing to Basavapuram gate, sanctioned.	23rd Feb., „ 178, Mis.
Bellary—amounting to Rs. 1,850 for supplying babul tent pegs and loppings to the Ordnance Department from the forests of the district, sanctioned.	25th Mar., „ 283, Mis.
Coimbatore—for fire-protection.—Powers of the Collector and Conservator to sanction,—Orders passed regarding the,	13th April, „ 345, Mis.
for Rs. 2,620 for cutting a bridle-path from the waterfall estate boundary to Paralai on the Anamalais.—Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	13th „ „ 346, Mis.
Board's Forest budget, under Budget Estimate. —Accountant-General's letter requesting the despatch to him of the, not later than the 10th October of each year, recorded.—Stated that arrangements will be made to forward an advance copy of the estimate to him by the 15th October.	14th „ „ 348, Mis.
Ganjám—for Rs. 4,516 for planting casuarina at Augustinowgam village in, submitted to Government for orders.—Certain remarks in connection with supplemental, for, submitted to Government.——Additional, for Rs. 4,000 for, sanctioned by Government, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	3rd May, „ 395, Mis. 1st June, „ 514, Mis. 28th „ „ 614, Mis.
for Rs. 3,960 for the supply of timber to the Ordnance Department during the current year, sanctioned.	13th May, „ 436, Mis.
Madura—An, for Rs. 29,324 for Gundan Shola plantations. —Government sanction for, solicited.——Government Order sanctioning the above, communicated to Collector.	18th „ „ 450, Mis. 12th June, „ 546, Mis.

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ESTIMATE—*cont.*	1897.
Salem—for Rs. 6,130 for extending the ghât road up the Chitteri Hills in the, district, sanctioned.	3rd July, F. No. 648, Mis.
Coimbatore—Supplemental, for Rs. 280 for completing Mavanatham-Talamalai bridle-path, sanctioned.	18th Aug., ,, 826, Mis.
Gôdâvari—for the construction of certain forest roads, sanctioned with remarks.—Sanction of Government for, amounting to Rs. 12,110 for the conversion of the cart-track from Ramanayyapeta to Lododdi into a road, requested.——Collector requested to explain certain discrepancies in, —— Government Order sanctioning the estimate for Rs. 12,110, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	14th Oct., ,, 1058, Mis. 6th Nov., ,, 1151, Mis.
— for the establishment of a saw mill, wire ropeway and water-pump on the Anamalais, sanctioned and Government sanction requested for certain other, amounting to Rs. 12,300 for setting up the sawing machine and pump.	16th Dec., ,, 1301, Mis.
EXAMINATION.	
Forestry test.—Exemption of Messrs. D'Souza and Lazrado, Forest Subordinates from passing the, —Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	6th Jan., ,, 4, Mis.
Translation Test, Lower Grade.—Temporary exemption of T. Ramachandra Row, second clerk in the office of the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.——Government sanction requested for the,——Government Order sanctioning the exemption, with remark, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.——Before going up to Government for permanent exemption of the Tour Clerk frompassing the examination the results of the next, must be awaited, considered that,	20th Feb., ,, 168, Mis. 12th Mar., ,, 243, Mis. 11th May, ,, 427, Mis.
Malabar and South Canara—rules.—Application from Special Forest Settlement-officer for the exemption from, of one Swami Kutti, a clerk in his office, submitted for the favourable consideration of Government.——Government Order sanctioning the exemption, communicated to Collector and Forest Settlement-officer.	23rd Feb., ,, 179, Mis. 9th Mar., ,, 228, Mis.
— leave not to be granted to Forest Officers for optional examinations.	24th Feb., ,, 80.
Kistna—rules.—Temporary exemption of V. Subramaniem, Acting Fifth Clerk in the District Forest Office.——Government sanction requested for,——Government Order sanctioning the exemption till the results of the next examination are announced, communicated to Collector.	3rd April, ,, 309, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 371, Mis.
Government Technical, in Type-Writing.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), communicating to all Collectors, &c., Government Order ordering that from January 1898 candidates for the post of type-writing clerks in Government offices should have passed the, recorded.	6th ,, ,, 324, Mis.
Hand-Writing Test.—Temporary exemption of A. Kistnaswami, Acting Clerk, in the office of the, Conservator of	12th ,, ,, 340, Mis. 5th May, ,, 402, Mis.

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EXAMINATION—*cont.*	1897.
Forests, Northern Circle, from passing the,——Government sanction requested for the,——Government Order exempting, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	
Stating that the candidates for "Forest Revenue," should study the old edition of Mr. Macleane's Standing Orders.	30th April, F. No. 391, Mis.
Cuddapah—Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requesting exemption from, rules of one S. Kuppu Row, Sub. *pro tem.* Forester, submitted to Government. ——Government Order exempting, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	3rd May, „ 394, Mis. 22nd „ „ 472, Mis.
Northern Circle Conservator's letter requesting permission for the retention of V. S. Subramania Aiyar as forester until the results of the next Hand-Writing Test, are announced, submitted to Government.——Government Order exempting, communicated to Collector.	5th „ „ 399, Mis. 20th „ „ 463, Mis.
Kistna and Bellary—rules.—Exemption of Veeraswami Naidu and Govindaraja Mudaliar, Foresters in the districts, from,——Northern Circle Conservator's letter requesting, submitted to Government.——Government Order exempting, with remarks, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	6th „ „ 404, Mis. 31st „ „ 512, Mis.
Proposals of Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, for exempting certain Rangers, Deputy Rangers, &c., from passing the prescribed, previous to promotions.—— Orders passed on,——Conservators of Forests, Southern and Central Circles, requested to send similar proposals. ——Mr. Hooper's remarks regarding the exemption of certain Deputy Rangers from passing the Forestry Test, referred to Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, for remarks.	17th „ „ 445, Mis. 30th June, „ 629, Mis.
rules.—Exemption from, of certain range clerks in Cuddapah and Kurnool, sanctioned up to 1st March 1898, that the Conservators of Forests concerned should make their best endeavours to replace these men by duly qualified men, stated.	2nd „ „ 518, Mis.
North Arcot—rules.—Letter from Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requesting sanction for the exemption from, of one Ganapathy Mudaliar, a plantation supervisor, on the temporary establishment, submitted to Government.——Government Order exempting, as a very special case, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	5th „ „ 532, Mis. 13th July, „ 688, Mis.
rules.—Exemption of Acharyulu Naidu and Kristna Row, third and second clerks, Forest Settlement Office, Ganjám, submitted to Government.——Government Order exempting, communicated to Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., districts.	29th June, „ 627, Mis. 21st July, „ 727, Mis.
Letter from Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requesting exemption of certain Deputy Rangers from passing the Forestry Test, submitted to Government. ——Government Order stating that the question has	1st „ „ 641, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 834, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 886, Mis.

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EXAMINATION—*cont.*	1897.
been referred to the Educational Department, recorded. ——Government Order sanctioning the exemption of Deputy Rangers from passing the Forestry Test, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	
—rules.—Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requesting the exemption of K. Lakshmipathi from, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the exemption, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	19th July, F.No. 715, Mis. 18th Aug., „ 819, Mis.
papers relating to the exemption of certain Rangers from passing the Dehra Dun School, for promotion, and certain Deputy Rangers and Foresters from passing the Forestry Test, submitted for the orders of Government.—— Certain alterations in the list appended to Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 756, dated 29th July 1897, recommended to Government.——Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requesting that the names of certain Deputy Rangers might be omitted in the list of men recommended to Government, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 892 Mis., dated 4th September 1897.	29th July, „ 756, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 892, Mis. 24th „ „ 971, Mis.
Nilgiris—rules.—Exemption from, of one Iyyacunnoo Pillai, Forester in the Nilgiris.—Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requesting, submitted to Government for orders.——Government Order exempting, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	12th June, „ 544, Mis. 3rd July, „ 649, Mis.
Draft rules for the, of European and Eurasian officers of the Forest Department in vernacular languages, submitted to Government with remarks.——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order making an addendum to the rules for the examination of European and Eurasian officers of Government in vernacular languages, recorded.——Government Order making alterations in the rules, recorded.—— Government Order approving the alterations proposed by the Board of Revenue in the rules forwarded with Government Order, No. 281, Revenue, dated 30th April 1897, communicated to Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	15th June, „ 556, Mis. 5th July, „ 655, Mis. 3rd Aug., „ 773, Mis. 18th „ „ 355.
Kistna—rules.—Exemption of Forest Guard, Kistna Row, from,—Application for, submitted to Government.—— Government Order exempting, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	23rd June, „ 596, Mis. 16th July, „ 704, Mis.
Salem—rules—Exemption of Babjee Sahib from,—Government sanction for, requested.——Government Order sanctioning exemption, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	29th June, „ 622, Mis. 19th July, „ 723, Mis.
South Canara—Temporary exemption from the Forestry Test of the Third Clerk of the District Forest Office during the period he held charge of the Mangalore Range, sanctioned.	8th July, „ 668, Mis.

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EXAMINATION—*cont.*	1897.
—rules.—Exemption from, of certain clerks of the Forest Settlement Offices, Trichinopoly, &c., districts and Malabar and South Canara districts.—Government sanction for, requested.——Government Order sanctioning the exemption, communicated to Forest Settlement-officers concerned.	2nd Aug., F. No. 764, Mis. 18th " " 821, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order directing that an examination in Hand-Writing and Dictation be held in the month of May for Under Graduates, recorded.	16th " " 817, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order ordering candidates for the post of type-writing clerk be required to pass Elementary, in type-writing if the pay is less than Rs. 20 per month, and the Intermediate, if the pay is Rs. 20 or upwards, recorded.	18th " " 822, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order directing that European and Eurasian Deputy Collectors shall be required to pass an, in vernaculars prescribed for Covenanted Civil Servants according to the higher grade, recorded.	18th " " 828, Mis.
General permission asked for by Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, for the employment of unpassed men as Acting Foresters.—Board declined to grant,——Exemption of Nagayya from, rules for employment as Forester on Rs. 15 up to 31st March 1898, granted.	23rd " " 844, Mis.
—rules.—Exemption of certain individuals in Southern Circle from,——Government sanction for, requested.——Government Order sanctioning exemption, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Conservator's application requesting exemption of Supervisor G. Subramaniya Aiyar and peon Mahomed Khan from, submitted to Government.——Government Order exempting G. Subramaniya Aiyar and Mahomed Khan from, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	4th Sept., " 888, Mis. 20th " " 950, Mis. 1st Oct., " 1000, Mis. 19th " " 1084, Mis.
Chingleput—Letter from the Collector requesting exemption of one Raghavendra Row, permanent Range clerk, from, rules.—Orders passed on,	4th Sept., " 889, Mis.
Anantapur—rules.—Exemption from, of one Govindiah, Acting Clerk in the District Forest Office, sanctioned.	4th " " 894, Mis.
Application of Mr. Gompertz, Forest Settlement-officer, Trichinopoly, &c., districts, for permission to appear for the reward text, in Telugu, submitted to Government for orders.——Government Order permitting Mr. Gompertz to appear for, communicated to Forest Settlement-officer, Trichinopoly, &c., districts.	11th " " 916, Mis. 8th Oct., " 1031, Mis.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requesting relaxation of, rules for peons' posts, recorded.—Conservator of Forests requested to report the result of his correspondence with Superintendent of Pensions.——Certain articles of the public service notification, Conservator's attention drawn to, and stated that, rule	18th Sept., " 941, Mis. 8th Dec., " 1262, Mis.

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does not apply to appointments in the Forest Department of a permanent or temporary character which is not chargeable to works and does not exceed Rs. 12 per mensem.	
Letter from Secretary to the Board of Examiners requesting to be furnished with a list of Forest-officers who have applied for, in the vernaculars to be held on 3rd January 1898 and following days, forwarded to Conservators of Forests for compliance.—Mr. Mullins permitted to appear for third-class test in Malayalam in January next.——List of officers to be examined in the vernacular languages in January 1898, submitted to the Secretary to the Board of Examiners.	21st Sept., F. No. 953, Mis. 4th Nov., „ 1139, Mis. 15th „ „ 1182, Mis.
—rules.—Exemption from, of one Parthasarthy Naidu, Depôt keeper, Coonoor Fuel Depôt, for employment as Forester.——Government requested to sanction.——Government Order sanctioning the exemption, communicated to the Collector of Nilgiris and the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	8th Oct., „ 1034, Mis. 3rd Nov., „ 1135, Mis.
Letter from the Collector of Gódávari requesting sanction for the exemption of T. K. Subramaniya Aiyar, temporary clerk, from the operation of, rules for six months.——Government Order sanctioning the exemption, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari.	11th Oct., „ 1047, Mis. 3rd Nov., „ 1136, Mis.
Permission to Mr. Batchelor, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Cuddapah, to appear for the, in Telugu (third-class) to be held in 3rd January 1898, accorded.	17th „ „ 1193, Mis.
The appointment of one Krishna Rao as second clerk of the Forest Settlement Office, Ganjám, &c., districts, up to 31st March 1898, sanctioned and stated that the exemption from, rules accorded in Government Order, communicated in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 727, dated 21st July 1897, covers his case.	7th Dec., „ 1256, Mis.
Exemption from, rules sought for by the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, in favour of D. S. Ragavendra Rao, Range clerk in the Chingleput district, in view to his being appointed as a Forester in the executive line, submitted to Government with Board's recommendation.	15th „ „ 1293, Mis.
Government Order, Educational Department, exempting A. G. Jesudasen Pillai from the Forestry Test and Mr. R. S. Thomas from the Forestry and Departmental Tests, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	18th „ „ 1303, Mis.
EXPENDITURE.	
North Arcot—of Rs. 100 for payment of cooly clerks and peons employed in filling in and stamping grazing permits for the current calendar year, sanctioned.	1st Feb., „ 104, Mis.
Bellary and Anantapur—of Rs. 500 for sinking wells in reserved forests.—Northern Circle Conservator's recommendation for the District Forest Officer incurring an, approved.	3rd „ „ 109, Mis.

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EXPENDITURE—*cont.*	1897.
Contingent, incurred during 1895–96 under XI. Forests B III. Contingencies.—Statement showing the details of, forwarded to the Accountant-General.	8th Feb., F. No. 123, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) stating that charges incurred on account of carriage of stationery and printed forms from Madras to district head-quarters, should be debited to "30. Stationery and Printing," recorded. —— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating letter from Accountant-General stating that charges incurred in connection with the despatch of stationery and printed forms from district head-quarters to subordinate officers should be debited to "30. Stationery and Printing," recorded.	10th Aug., „ 796, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 1023, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order communicating telegram from Government of India requesting a restriction of, in all branches of the Public Works Department, recorded. —— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order communicating telegram from Government of India withdrawing the orders regarding restriction of, on Provincial and Local Fund Works, recorded.	14th Aug., „ 813, Mis. 18th Sept., „ 945, Mis.
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FAMINE RELIEF.	
Gódávari—Report on the condition of, and necessity for, relief in the Bhadráchalam taluk.—Proceedings of the Settlement Department submitting to Government, recorded.	1st Mar., „ 205, Mis.
Ganjám—Test work opened at Padmanabhapuram.—Proceedings of the Settlement Department recording Ganjám Collector's report on the, recorded.—Stated what powers Collectors possess in the matter of reduction, &c., of seigniorage rates.	29th April, „ 381, Mis.
Board's Proceedings communicating to Conservators of Forests and Collectors of non-affected districts Government Order regarding the provision of a supervising staff for, works, recorded. —— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order recording Board's Proceedings (Settlement) submitting list of officers that can be spared for famine duty from the Collectorate staff in the non-affected districts, recorded.	22nd May, „ 488, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 881, Mis.
FIRE-CONSERVANCY.	
Cuddapah—Fire-protection of forests in the district during 1896–97.—Estimates for Rs. 9,278 for the, sanctioned.	14th Jan., „ 32, Mis.
Coimbatore.—Estimates for fire-protection.—Form in which, should be submitted.——Orders passed on Coimbatore Collector's letters requesting instructions regarding the,——Stated that the Conservator of Forests should decide the form.——Orders passed regarding the powers of the Collector and Conservator of Forests to sanction,	25th Feb., „ 192, Mis. 13th April, „ 345, Mis.

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FIRE-CONSERVANCY—*cont.*	1897.
Madura — works in the district. — Conservator's recommendation that, need not be extended during the current year, accepted.	26th Feb., F. No. 193, Mis.
North Malabar—Mr. Ireman's office-note on fire protection in, recorded and his attention drawn to Conservator's endorsement thereon.	10th Nov., ,, 1160, Mis.
FIREWOOD AND FUEL.	
Tinnevelly—Working plans for certain firewood blocks in the, district, approved and recorded.	3rd Feb., ,, 44.
Supply of fuel to the Madras Railway Company.—Central Circle Conservator's letter reporting on the subject of, submitted for the information of Government. —— Government Order communicating with remark to Public Works Department the Board's Proceedings regarding supply of, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	25th ,, ,, 184, Mis. 2nd April, ,, 306, Mis.
Circular from Inspector-General of Forests requesting to report the value of, removed in 1895–96 under rights or granted free or at reduced rates, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	30th Mar., ,, 135.
Government Order communicating with remarks Proceedings, Public Works Department, referring to the Revenue Department, letter from the Agent and Manager, Madras Railway, giving a statement of the quantity of, required by the Locomotive Department, Madras Railway Company, communicated to Conservators of Forests, Southern and Central Circles for early compliance. —— Reports from Conservators of Forests, Central and Southern Circles, regarding the supply, submitted to Government. —— Government Order communicating to Public Works Department Board's Proceedings regarding supply of, to the Madras Railway, recorded. —— Central Circle Conservator's letter reporting that the Forest Department cannot guarantee the Madras Railway Company against loss through failure of supply of fuel, submitted to Government with reference to its endorsement, No. 1604, dated 26th August 1897.—— Government Order, Revenue Department, recording Proceedings of the Public Works Department communicating the above Board's Proceedings to the Agent, Madras Railway Company, recorded.	7th May, ,, 409, Mis. 19th July, ,, 717, Mis. 4th Aug., ,, 778, Mis. 2nd Oct., ,, 1005, Mis. 29th Nov., ,, 1227, Mis.
North Arcot—The writing off of 968 tons 45 cubic feet of, valued at Rs. 1,937 from the accounts of the District Forest Office, sanctioned.	29th Oct., ,, 1116, Mis.
Salem—Board's views on the subject of the cost of charcoal for iron-smelting in the district and the annual supply of charcoal available, submitted to Government.	18th Dec., ,, 556.
FORESTS, GENERAL.	
Coimbatore—Selection of land on the Anamalais by three of the original applicants.—Collector's report on, submitted for the orders of Government with the request that the Collector may be authorised to overlook certain summary cases and charge assessment in certain cases.	7th Jan., ,, 8, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 55. 20th Feb., ,, 72. 20th ,, ,, 73. 22nd ,, ,, 171, Mis.

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FORESTS, GENERAL—*cont.*	1897.
—— Anamalai, — Conditions under which lands on the, are leased out for coffee cultivation.——Collector's letter requesting early orders on the memorial from certain planters requesting a reconsideration of the, submitted to Government. —— Government Order passing orders on memorial from certain planters on the subject, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. —— Government Order approving Board's proposals (1) to authorize the Collector to overlook in certain cases excesses not exceeding 10 per cent. over the maximum area to be granted to each applicant, (2) to charge assessment on the area found on a boundary or outline survey, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.—— Government Order passing orders on certain papers on the question of grant of lands for coffee cultivation on the Anamalais, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. —— Collector's letter reporting that he has not allowed Mr. Windle to take up 20 acres of grass land at Paidai submitted for the information of Government. —— Government Order making certain observations on Board's Proceedings, No. 171, Mis., recorded. —— Board's Proceedings, No. 232, Mis., recorded by Government.——Collector's letter recommending the grant of 10 acres of land to Mr. Windle, as a special case, submitted for the favourable consideration of Government. —— Government Order sanctioning the grant to Mr. Windle, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	10th Mar., F. No. 232, Mis. 19th „ „ 268, Mis. 1st April, „ 303, Mis. 6th „ „ 315, Mis. 15th May, „ 195.
South Arcot—Alathur reserve, — Government Order declining to comply with the request of certain ryots of Ariyaperumanur village requesting to exclude from reservation certain portions of the, lying within their village, communicated to Collector of South Arcot.	7th Jan., „ 11, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Melavittam reserve.—Draft notification under section 24 of the Forest Act for disafforestation of certain portions of the, approved by Government and forwarded to the Government of India.——Collector's proposal to levy a quit-rent of Rs. 10 per acre, approved.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. —— Government requested to approve the date proposed for the notification to take effect.	9th „ „ 20, Mis. 16th Mar., „ 117.
areas as entered in the agricultural statistics for 1894–95 and those given in the Forest Administration Report for that year.—Government Order communicating Government of India letter requesting to explain certain discrepancies in the, recorded with remarks.	5th Feb., „ 113, Mis.
Malabar—Tirukalayur Devaswam leased,—Board agrees with the Collector and Conservator of Forests in the matter of demarcation of the paddy flats in the,	16th „ „ 154, Mis.
South Canara—reservation.—Exclusion of certain hillocks in Mangalore taluk from,—Stated that the Board sees no reason to comply with the request of certain wargdars in regard to,	25th „ „ 185, Mis.

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FORESTS, GENERAL—*cont.*	1897.
Madura—in the Sáptúr estate.—Draft rules under the Forest Act for the management of the, approved and ordered to be published by Government.	26th Feb., F. No. 85.
Service branch of the Cooper's Hill College for 1897.—Government Order communicating Government of India circular embodying the Regulations for the, and ordering them to be republished in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	26th „ „ 194, Mis.
Kurnool—Construction of water reservoirs in the Nallamalais for the use of cattle.—Board concur with Conservator's remarks regarding the, and communicate them to the Collector for necessary action.	9th Mar., „ 224, Mis.
policy enunciated in Government Order, No. 261, dated 10th May 1895.—Statement showing the forest areas disafforested or abondoned *in re* the, forwarded to the Board of Revenue (Settlement Department and Separate Revenue Department.)	11th „ „ 237, Mis.
Coimbatore—on the Anamalai Hills recently opened for coffee cultivation.—Board's Proceedings submitting lists of minor forest produce and reserved trees in the,—Government Order passing orders on, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.—Submitted to Government that the table of rates furnished by the Collector refers only to reserved trees and that Lagerstrœmia microcarpa is a reserved tree for which the seigniorage rate has already been fixed.	13th „ „ 105.
offence cases.—Stated that none of the, forwarded by Mr. Peet are of such a character as to afford a satisfactory basis for a reference to the High Court.	15th „ „ 114.
Kurnool—Nallamalai,—Disafforestation of certain portions of the, traversed by the Southern Mahratta Railway.—Draft notification under section 24 of the Madras Forest Act for the, submitted to Government with remarks.——Government Order returning to the Board for resubmission in the prescribed form the draft notification, communicated to Collector for compliance.——Notifications returned by the Collector, submitted to Government.——Government Order amending the notification and submitting to Government of India, recorded.	16th „ „ 254, Mis. 8th „ „ 334, Mis. 15th June, „ 561, Mis. 21st July, „ 730, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Madgole,—Revenue due from the, to the Rani for the current year.—Payment of Rs. 3,500 on account of, sanctioned.	29th Mar., „ 296, Mis.
Madgole estate,—Report on the management of the, by the Forest Department, submitted to Government.——Considered that the proposal to introduce the Forest Act into the estate should be held in abeyance.——Government Order expressing concurrence in Board's views that the proposal to introduce the Forest Act into the Madgole estate should be held in abeyance, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Nothern Circle.——Further information on the, submitted to Government.——Government Order agreeing with the Board in considering that Government management of the Madgole forests may terminate,	1st April, „ 298, Mis. 30th „ „ 390, Mis. 22nd May, „ 473, Mis. 18th June, „ 584, Mis.

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communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	
Vizagapatam—Papers relating to the routes and gates in the Jeypore forests, submitted to Government.—Agent is competent to issue a notification prescribing rates for cattle-grazing, stated.——Government Order requesting the Board to revise the rules, communicated to the Agent to Governor, Vizagapatam, for report.—— Letter from the Agent to Governor regarding routes and gates, recorded pending receipt of reply to Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 652, dated 5th July 1897.——Letter from the Agent submitting revised rules called for, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	18th May, F. No. 449, Mis. 5th July, „ 652, Mis. 17th „ „ 711, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 1283, Mis.
Salem—Collector's proposal to permit the Forest guards in the Uttangarai Range to collect compensation fees, sanctioned.	20th May, „ 461, Mis.
Kistna—Certain papers regarding filing of Forest cases, communicated to Collector and District Magistrate and Conservators of Forests.——Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, regarding alleged misprint of his letter on the question, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	3rd June, „ 221. 5th July, „ 263.
Letter from the Medical Storekeeper, Madras, regarding supply of certain drugs that enter into the medical preparations made in the Government Medical Stores, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests, with remarks.	22nd „ „ 297.
Government Order communicating to the Board letter from the Resident in Mysore forwarding copy of circular issued by Mysore Durbar regarding the classification of sandalwood and the sale of all forest produce, communicated to certain Collectors and all Conservators of Forests.	6th Aug., „ 338.
Government Order resolving to issue a statement enunciating the forest policy of the Madras Government, communicated to all Collectors, Conservators of Forests and to Forest Settlement-officers. — Government requested to issue orders to the Translators to furnish the necessary translation of the same. —— Government Order requesting the Tamil, Telugu, Malayalam and Canarese Translators to furnish Superintendent, Government Press, with the translation of the Government Order, recorded.	17th „ „ 351, Mis. 2nd Sept., „ 879, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Letter from the Collector requesting the Board to withdraw the privileges of grazing cattle, cutting timber and firewood in the forests on account of the occurrence of fire in the forests and to sanction compensation to the sufferers of the Forest Department. —Orders passed.	28th „ „ 987, Mis.
Resolution of the Government of India laying down conditions under which the Forest Department may charge another Government Department for articles extracted from State forests, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, No. 442, dated 11th October 1897, recorded.	11th Oct., „ 442. 6th Nov., „ 1152, Mis.

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FORESTS, GENERAL—*cont.*	1897.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) passing orders on letter from the Collector of South Canara regarding denial of Kumaki rights to wargs in towns, recorded.	18th Oct., F. No. 1081, Mis.
Free grant of metal up to the value of Rs. 1,000 per annum to the District Board, Madura, sanctioned.	18th ,, ,, 454.
Gódávari—Letter from the Collector requesting sanction for the temporary transfer of the head-quarters of his District Forest-officer from Cocanada to Rajahmundry, submitted to Government for sanction.——Government Order accepting Board's recommendation, communicated to the Collector.	20th ,, ,, 1087, Mis. 11th Dec., ,, 1272, Mis.
Lists of prices for Forest operations.—Endorsement of the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, forwarding copy of his letter to the Inspector-General of Forests, to the Government of India furnishing, recorded.	13th Nov., ,, 1176, Mis.
Explanation of the term "Revenue Stations," submitted to Government.	19th ,, ,, 1201, Mis.
Board's view on the subject of the cost of charcoal for iron-smelting in the Salem district and on the annual supply of charcoal available, submitted to Government.	18th Dec., ,, 556.
FORESTS, RESERVED—(GENERAL).	
Anantapur—Water-supply in,—Proceedings of the Settlement Department recording with remark Collector's letter reporting on the, recorded.	7th Jan., ,, 12, Mis.
Coimbatore—Disafforestation of certain small blocks in the district.—Government Order ordering publication of the notification under section 24 for the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	20th ,, ,, 28.
Tinnevelly—Okkininranpothai and Nalankurichi blocks in the Tenkási taluk.—Draft notification under section 24 of the Forest Act for the disafforestation of the,——Government Order forwarding the, to the Government of India, recorded.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	20th ,, ,, 61, Mis. 23rd Mar., ,, 125.
Coimbatore—Bolampatty,—Disafforestation of certain private lands included in the,—Government Order directing publication of notification under section 24 for the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	28th Jan., ,, 38.
South Arcot—Disafforestation of certain reserves in the district.—Notification for the, forwarded to the Government of India.——Government Order ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	28th ,, ,, 39. 1st April, ,, 139.
Coimbatore—Vellamundi,—Further explanation as to the, which necessitate the disafforestation of portions of the, submitted to Government.——Draft notification relating to the revised boundary description of the block, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's	22nd Feb., ,, 173, Mis. 22nd Mar., ,, 272, Mis. 18th May, ,, 453, Mis. 26th July, ,, 312. 14th Oct., ,, 451.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(GENERAL)—*cont.*	1897.
Proceedings, No. 173.——Government Order approving with remarks the disafforestation notification, recorded. ——Government Order ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the revised boundary description under section 16 of the Forest Act of the, reserve, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	
South Canara—Retention of Kathiar and three other blocks less than a square mile in area.—Government Order ordering the, and addressing the Government of India regarding the disafforestation of a portion of the Ajjarkadu reserved forest, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Government Order ordering to publish disafforestation notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	25th Feb., F. No. 189, Mis. 1st May, „ 176.
Salem — Mavar Poyappatti and certain other reserves already notified under section 4 of the Forest Act.—Orders passed on correspondence relating to treatment of,——Report from the Collector on,——Orders passed on,——Draft notification proposing the cancellation of the initial notifications of Kombur and five other blocks, submitted to Government.——Draft notifications cancelling the initial notification in respect of Uttankarai and five other blocks, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Reservation of Vathampatti and Onnakarai may be considered in submitting settlement papers, stated.——Government Order approving Board's proposal and directing the publication of the notification cancelling the initial notifications in respect of the six blocks, communicated to Collector of Salem and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	25th Mar., „ 130. 8th July, „ 670, Mis. 18th Aug., „ 353. 1st Nov., „ 476.
Collector's proposal to cancel the initial notification in respect of Andiappanur extension and two other blocks in Tiruppattur taluk, accepted.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings regarding reservation or abandonment, recorded.	25th Mar., „ 284, Mis. 14th June, „ 549, Mis.
South Canara — Letter from Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, reporting certain discrepancy in dates in the notifications published in respect of certain blocks.—Orders passed on,——Draft notification altering the dates of reservation of Guruvanakota and certain other reserves, submitted to Government for approval.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	26th Mar., „ 287, Mis. 17th May, „ 440, Mis. 17th June, „ 578, Mis.
Chingleput—Draft notifications for the cancelment of the initial notification of certain blocks and for the disafforestation of certain others, submitted to Government for approval.——Collector's letter regarding areas of certain reserves proposed to be disafforested in the, district, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving notification for cancelment and addressing Government of India regarding disafforestation, communicated to Collector of Chingleput and Conservator	13th April, „ 156. 19th June, „ 586, Mis. 25th „ „ 612, Mis. 7th July, „ 666, Mis. 17th Aug., „ 352.

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of Forests, Central Circle.——Government Order stating that the correct area of Siruvallur block will be entered in the notification approved by Government of India, recorded.——Government Order ordering the publication of the disafforestation notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	
Nellore—Areas of reserves already gazetted in the Rapur and Atmakúr taluks.—Collector's letter reporting on the, and submitting a statement showing the extent of the reserves in each taluk notified under section 16 up to 31st March 1897, recorded.	27th April, F. No. 370, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Collector's proposal to acquire at a cost of Rs. 1,780 certain villages demarcated out as enclosures within Kadagandi reserve, approved.	28th „ „ 172.
Madura—Collector's proposal to unreserve certain lands in the district, concurred with the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, on,	30th „ „ 382, Mis.
What action has been taken regarding the "reserved lands" which it has been decided not to constitute "reserved forests."—Collectors requested to report, that all such lands thrown out of reservation and the fact announced by beat of tom tom in the villages concerned, stated.——Correspondence relating to the treatment of reserved lands in Salem.——Orders passed on,——Collector's reports in the matter of throwing out of reservation "reserved lands" which it has been decided not to be constituted "reserved forests," recorded with remarks.	5th May, „ 187. 4th Sept., „ 893, Mis. 24th Nov., „ 507.
Malabar—Board's proposals to issue a combined notification under sections 4 and 33 in respect of leased forests withdrawn.—Collector requested to forward the necessary notification.	6th May, „ 188.
Nilgiris—The existing notification of the Carrit Shola reserved forests, to cancel, considered unnecessary, to submit a draft notification under section 4 for the proposed additions only, the Collector requested.	6th „ „ 406, Mis.
Letter from the, Collector submitting a case of encroachment by one Dasa Maistry in the Naduvattam.—Orders passed on,	15th „ „ 438, Mis.
Salem—report from the Collector on the village figures furnished in respect Vellalagundem proposed reserve, recorded; the Collector's method of calculation is erroneous, stated.	19th „ „ 455, Mis.
Kurnool—Collector's letter reporting that a considerable area of cultivable waste and poramboke has been thrown out from the Velugodo reserve for extension of cultivation.	22nd „ „ 481, Mis.
Salem—Collector's recommendation to abandon the proposed *Belur* extension block in the Atúr taluk, approved.	15th June, „ 558, Mis.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(GENERAL)—*cont.*	1897.
Kistna—Certain points in connection with the reservation of grass lands in the Bápatla taluk.—Collector requested to report upon,——Regarding reservation of certain grass lands in the taluk, orders passed.	15th June, F. No. 557, Mis. 26th July, „ 746, Mis.
Anantapur—Draft erratum in respect of the Penukonda reserve, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering the publication of the erratum, communicated to Collector through Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	17th June, „ 579, Mis. 13th July, „ 690, Mis.
Karabalakota extension block in the Madanapalle taluk. —Withdrawal of the proposal to reserve, agreed with the Collector.	17th June, „ 576, Mis.
Anantapur—Collector's proposal to abandon the proposed *Hottabeita south block* in the Madakasira taluk, approved.—Draft notification for cancelling the initial notification, submitted to Government for approval.—— Government Order requesting certain information forwarded to Collector for report.——Letter from Collector furnishing the information called for, submitted to Government. —— Government Order approving the retention of Hottabetta north block and cancelling the initial reservation of south block, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	19th „ „ 588, Mis. 23rd July, „ 740, Mis. 11th Oct., „ 1044, Mis. 16th Nov., „ 1188, Mis.
Tinnevelly—The proposed reservation of certain lands adjoining the Sivalaperi reserve in the Srivaikuntam taluk.—Board declines to recommend to Government,	19th June, „ 589, Mis.
Kistna—Proposed reservation of *Nadikudi block*.—Board declines to recommend to Government,	19th „ „ 590, Mis.
South Arcot—The propriety of reserving the Marur block in the Kallakurchi taluk.—Collector requested to report on,	1st July, „ 637, Mis.
Salem—That the Odiyathur west block in the Atúr taluk, may be abandoned, agreed with the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, in considering,—Draft notification therefor, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing the publication of the notification cancelling the initial notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	2nd „ „ 642, Mis. 21st „ „ 731, Mis.
Nilgiris—To re-open selections in Merkunad division, and to take such steps as may be necessary for the formal reservation of every bit of shola which has practical effect on the springs and streams, Government sanction requested.——Southern Circle Conservator's remarks on the reservation of small sholas in the, district, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, No. 646, dated 3rd July 1897.——Government Order approving the reservation of sholas in the Merkunad division, communicated to Collector. —— Government Order approving the Board's recommendation of the Conservator's remarks on the reservation of small sholas in Merkunad, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	3rd „ „ 646, Mis. 30th „ „ 758, Mis. 11th Aug., „ 799, Mis. 30th „ „ 860, Mis.

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Kistna—boundaries of the Sorlagudi reserve.—Collector requested to demarcate and to send a brief description of the portion to be disafforested.	5th July, F. No. 651, Mis.
Draft notification for the disafforestation of a portion of the Bellamkonda reserve, submitted to Government for publication.——Government Order forwarding the draft notification to the Government of India, recorded.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	5th ,, ,, 659, Mis. 28th ,, ,, 753, Mis. 26th Aug., ,, 371.
Nilgiris—Papers relating to Wenlock Downs Reserve, submitted to Government.	7th July, ,, 661, Mis.
South Arcot—Letter from the Collector explaining discrepancies in areas of certain reserves, recorded.—Talukwar statement of area of certain reserves, Collector requested to verify and report on the accuracy.	15th ,, ,, 700, Mis.
South Canara—The proposals to reserve Kodialmale block in the Mangalore taluk.—Board declined to recommend to Government,	23rd ,, ,, 739, Mis.
Kistna—Papers relating to the proposed reservation of Paluvoyi block in the Palnad taluk, returned to Collector for revision and resubmission.	23rd ,, ,, 741, Mis.
The question of the reservation of certain grass lands in the Bápatla taluk.—Orders passed on,——Further information on, submitted by the Collector.——Orders passed on,——Definite proposals for reserving the lands, awaited.	26th ,, ,, 746, Mis. 26th Oct., ,, 1101, Mis.
South Arcot—To cancel the initial notification in respect of the Perumpugai block in the Tindivanam taluk, Government requested.——Government Order cancelling the initial notification and ordering the publication of the cancellation notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	26th July, ,, 748, Mis. 19th Aug., ,, 838, Mis.
The preparation of the villagewar statement to accompany proposals under section 4 of the Madras Forest Act.—Instructions in the matter of, issued.	29th July, ,, 323.
Anantapur—Draft erratum in respect of the final notification regarding the Penukonda reserve in the Penukonda taluk, submitted for the approval of Government.——Government Order approving and directing the publication of, the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	7th Aug., ,, 783, Mis. 30th ,, ,, 861, Mis.
Coimbatore—Draft errata altering the date of reservation of Ellapalayam and three other blocks in Erode taluk, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the erratum, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Collector requested to expedite explanation called for in Board's Proceedings, No. 804, Mis., dated 13th August 1897.——Government Order expressing concurrence in Board's views and stating that the delay in republishing	13th ,, ,, 804, Mis. 2nd Sept., ,, 880, Mis. 3rd Dec., ,, 1249, Mis.

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certain notification in the *Coimbatore District Gazette* could have been avoided if prompt action had been taken on receipt of the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	
Letter from Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., districts enquiring whether the statement by a karnam of the existence of patta rights in a proposed reserve constitutes a claim.—Orders passed on,	13th Aug., F. No. 346.
Kistna—Draft erratum altering the date of reservation of Bollapalli extension II block in the Vinukonda taluk, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	17th „ „ 818, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 895, Mis.
Tinnevelly—The proposal to reserve the Gopalasawmymalai block in the Srívilliputtúr block.—Board declined to recommend,	7th „ „ 901, Mis.
Madura—Talukwar statements of the areas of reserved forests in the district, submitted by the Collector, recorded.—Collector requested to explain certain discrepancy in the same.	10th „ „ 916, Mis.
Salem—That the proposal to reserve the Manmalai block in the Atúr taluk has been abandoned.—Certain petitioners informed,	13th „ „ 923, Mis.
Nilgiris — Government Order requesting the Board to submit a draft notification under section 24 for exclusion of certain lands from the Charambadi reserve, communicated to Collector.	14th „ „ 929, Mis.
Chingleput—To alter the date of reservation of the Gúdalúr B block from "15th December 1897" to "15th January 1897" which was erroneously printed in the Gazette, Government requested.——Government Order altering the date and ordering the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	17th „ „ 940, Mis. 11th Oct., „ 1045, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Draft notification cancelling the initial notification in respect of the Manur block, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	22nd Sept., „ 955, Mis. 29th Oct., „ 1122, Mis.
Draft notifications under sections 4 and 24 *in re* lands proposed to be taken up for and to be disafforested from Melvattam reserve, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Letter from the Collector stating that the proposal to reserve certain Government garden referred to in paragraph 5 of the above Board's Proceedings, has been abandoned, submitted to Government for information.	22nd Sept., „ 960, Mis. 30th Nov., „ 1231, Mis.
Letter from the Collector reporting that rectification of boundaries is not necessary in the ghât reserves except in the case of Melavattan reserve, recorded.	27th Sept., „ 984, Mis.

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Salem—Correspondence regarding reservation of Morappur and Ponnagarapatti blocks in the Uttankarai taluk.—Orders passed on, —— Government Order approving Board's instructions regarding the reservation of the above two blocks, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	6th Oct., F. No. 1012, Mis. 17th Nov., „ 498.
South Arcot—Draft notification altering the date of reservation of Padipallam and Pakkamalai blocks, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	23rd Oct., „ 1096, Mis. 8th Nov., „ 1157, Mis.
Kistna—Report from the Collector regarding the reservation of the Gopuvanipalem extension No. I block and the disafforestation of the Kara reserve in the Bandur taluk, submitted to Government.——Government Order forwarding to the Government of India the draft notification disafforesting the Kara reserve, and awaiting further report on the proposed Gopuvanipalem block, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	26th Oct., „ 1102, Mis. 24th Nov., „ 1218, Mis.
Kurnool—Draft notification altering the date of reservation of Tokapalli reserve in the Markapur taluk and Pylakurti reserve in the Ramallakot taluk submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order ordering the publication of a notification altering the date of reservation, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	27th Oct., „ 1107, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 1168, Mis.
Trichinopoly—Discrepancy in the area of the T. Kanapadi reserve in the Musiri taluk.—Orders passed on,—The boundary descriptions in respect of the Pachamalai reserve can be corrected by issuing a notification under section 16, stated.	29th Oct., „ 1121, Mis.
Salem—Disafforestation of a portion of the Toluvabetta reserve in the Hosúr taluk.—Draft notification under section 24 of the Forest Act for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, after obtaining the sanction of the Government of India.——Government Order approving the draft notification and forwarding the same to the Government of India, recorded.	13th Nov., „ 1174, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 1279, Mis.
Salem Collector's proposal to notify under section 4, the *Panigam block* in the Dharmapuri taluk, approved, and Collector requested to submit the necessary draft notification for transmission to Government.	16th Nov., „ 1189, Mis.
Draft notification under section 24 in respect of three blocks in the Gúdalúr taluk, Nilgiri district, submitted to Government.—— Government Order approving the notification and forwarding the same to the Government of India, communicated.	18th „ „ 1199, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 1280, Mis.
Draft notification under section 24 of the Forest Act in respect of a portion of the Naduvattam reserved forest in the Nilgiri district, proposed to be handed over to Mr. Rierson Arbuthnot for building a new tea factory, submitted to Government.—— Stating that as the area	22nd Nov., „ 1213, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 1284, Mis.

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proposed to be disafforested is very small, the application need not be delayed for want of certain information called for by Government regarding the terms of transfer.	
Periya extension block in the Malabar district.—That the settlement of the, may continue but that the final orders on the question of reservation will be deferred until the section 16 notification of the Periya reserve and its extension is submitted, stated.	30th Nov., F. No. 1232.
Coimbatore—The Collector's proposal to re-notify under section 4 the Yedaralli block, approved; and Collector requested to submit the necessary draft notification and to report the names of the officers responsible for the perfunctory work in connection with the above reserve.	10th ,, ,, 1271, Mis.
FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4).	
ARCOT, NORTH.	
Proposed constitution of Basavareddipalle extension blocks A and B in the Palmaner taluk, as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	15th Feb., ,, 63. 5th May, ,, 185.
Proposed constitution of Alapalle and three other blocks in the Palmanér taluk, as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	26th Feb., ,, 82. 5th May, ,, 184.
Kinôtipalli extension B block in the Chittoor taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	2nd Nov., ,, 1128, Mis.
Tuluvapushpagiri tope and certain others in the district.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government.	26th ,, ,, 509.
Nedunkunam and 25 other isolated topes.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	16th Dec., ,, 553.
ARCOT, SOUTH.	
Proposed constitution of Odanyanatham and six other blocks as,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	28th Jan., ,, 38.
Ediyalam and certain other blocks.—Draft notification cancelling the reservation of, ordered to be published by Government.	28th ,, ,, 389.
BELLARY.	
Jittinokatta south-east extension.—Proposed constitution of the, block in the Harpanahalle taluk, as a, submitted	6th May, ,, 190. 22nd July, ,, 305.

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to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	
Kosgi—Government Order ordering the publication of the notification in respect of one bit of the, block, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.——Collector's letter reporting the areas of the, reserve, recorded.	4th May, F. No. 181. 3rd July, ,, 650, Mis.
Jittinakatta north-east extension block in the Harpanahalli taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	18th June, ,, 239. 5th Aug., ,, 330.
Kadalur block in the Rayadrug taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification for the reservation of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	16th July, ,, 291. 3rd Sept., ,, 388.
CANARA, SOUTH.	
Proposed constitution of the Savantagudde block in the Coondapoor taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	26th Jan., ,, 34.
Proposed constitution of the Virakhamba block in the Kasaragod taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	20th Feb., ,, 70.
Proposed constitution of the Mensinkan block in the Udipi taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	18th Mar., ,, 119. 23rd June, ,, 242.
Proposed constitution of the Kodiamale block in the Mangalore taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	18th Mar., ,, 120. 23rd June, ,, 243.
Panamberi block.—Proposed constitution of, in Mangalore taluk.—Draft notification for, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	1st April, ,, 148. P. 30th June, ,, 252.
Kalangimale—Proposed constitution of the, block in the Uppinangadi and Kasaragod taluks.—Notification for, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and	14th April, ,, 158. 14th July, ,, 284. 11th Oct., ,, 1048, Mis.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4)—*cont.*	1897.
CANARA, SOUTH—*cont.*	
Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings stating that the, block lies in the Uppinangadi taluk and directing publication of a draft erratum to that effect, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	
Nananjimale block in Mangalore taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	15th June, F. No. 232. 5th Aug., „ 332.
The proposed reservation of Nagarthi Kana-Sallihara block in the Udipi taluk, declined to recommend to Government.	7th „ „ 782, Mis.
Manipalakadu block in the Udipi taluk —Further information regarding the proposed reservation of,—Collector requested to submit,——The land comprised in the proposed, block may be left to be enjoyed as Kumaki under the last clause of Rule I of Kumaki rules sanctioned in Government Order, No. 302, dated 1st July 1897, stated.	25th „ „ 850, Mis. 24th Sept., „ 972, Mis.
CHINGLEPUT.	
Mayyur and certain other blocks in the Madurántakam and Chingleput taluks.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Letter from the Collector reporting the correct area of Anjur, submitted to Government.——Government Order requesting the Board to furnish further information in respect of Sirukundram extension No. I block in the Chingleput taluk, forwarded to the Collector.——Collector's letter stating that the proposed Sirukundram extension No. I block is neither a new selection nor the same as Sirukundram B. extension No. I, submitted to Government. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	1st June, „ 214. 16th July, „ 704, Mis. 19th „ „ 718, Mis. 30th Aug., „ 858, Mis. 1st Oct., „ 425.
Seliyur Extension No. I block in the Saidapet taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	6th Aug., „ 333. 24th Sept., „ 415.
Madambakam extension No. I and Gúdalúr extensions Nos. I and II blocks in the Saidapet and Chingleput taluks.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	30th Aug., „ 375. 21st Oct., „ 461.

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CHINGLEPUT—*cont.*	
Karunguli tope and six other blocks in the Madurántakam and Chingleput taluks.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	17th Sept., F. No. 400. 16th Nov., „ 495.
Vattambakkam extension No. I and seven other blocks in the Conjeeveram, Madurántakam and Chingleput taluks.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.——Collector's letter furnishing explanation with regard to certain points noticed by the Board, submitted to Government.	11th Oct., „ 445. 16th Dec., „ 1302, Mis.
Valluvapakkam and Illalur extension No. II blocks in the Madurántakam and Chingleput taluks.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	19th Oct., „ 456.
COIMBATORE.	
Proposed constitution of the Cowdalli block in the Kollegal taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.——Revised notification in respect of a portion of the northern boundary of the, block received from the Collector, recorded pending receipt of the revised notification of the Madeswaramalai block.	20th Feb., „ 69. 15th Nov., „ 1183, Mis.
Sennimalai block in Erode taluk.—Government informed that the issue of a supplementary notification in respect of the, is not necessary.——Government Order directing the publication, of the notification under section 4 in respect of, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	23rd Feb., „ 172, Mis. 22nd April, „ 161.
CUDDAPAH.	
Neridikonda and Musalikunta blocks.—Proposed constitution of the, in the Madanapalle taluk.——Notification for, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	13th April, „ 157. 14th July, „ 286.
Sibyala extension south and certain other blocks.—Proposed constitution of the,—Draft notification for, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	29th April, „ 175. 14th July, „ 285.
Papepalli east and west blocks in the Madanapalle and Ráyachóti taluks.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	18th May, „ 199. 22nd July, „ 302.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4)—*cont.*	1897.
CUDDAPAH—*cont.*	
Pandikunta and three other blocks in the Ráyachóti and Jammalamadugu taluks.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	5th July, F. No. 270. 3rd Sept., „ 387.
Kanakalakonda extension in the Sidhout and Pullampet taluks.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	16th July, „ 292. 20th Sept., „ 407.
GANJÁM.	
Ramagodo block in Berhampur taluk.—Government Order passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting to Government, for approval and publication, draft amended boundary description of the initially notified, communicated to Collector with request to submit a supplemental draft notification in respect of that portion of the block not covered by the original notification under section 4. —— Supplementary draft notification, &c., received from the Collector, returned to him for supply of further information. —— Supplementary notification in respect of the, block in the Berhampur taluk, submitted to Government.——Government Order ordering the publication of the notification for the constitution of, as reserved forest, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	16th Jan., „ 44, Mis. 18th Mar., „ 262, Mis. 6th May, „ 408, Mis. 5th July, „ 269.
Dowgam block.—Report called for by Government regarding issue of an amended boundary description in respect of, submitted to Government.——Government Order directing the publication of an amended notification, communicated to Collector, Conservator of Forests and Forest Settlement-officer.	13th Feb., „ 143, Mis. 24th Mar., „ 282, Mis.
Pangidi block in Goomsur taluk.—Draft notification for the cancellation of the initial notification in respect of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order directing the publication of the notification, communicated and to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	11th „ „ 241, Mis. 6th April, „ 319, Mis.
GÓDÁVARI.	
Rajavommangi and two other blocks in the Yellavaram division.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Revised area statement submitted by the Collector, submitted to Government. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle. —— Government Order stating that the correct area will be	29th July, „ 322. 15th Sept., „ 934, Mis. 27th „ „ 417. 5th Oct., „ 1009, Mis. 22nd „ „ 1094, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 505.

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GÓDÁVARI—*cont.*	
entered in the area statement, recorded.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of an erratum to the notification proposing to constitute the block as a reserved forest, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.——Government Order directing the publication of the notification in respect of the Rajavommangi block, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	
KISTNA.	
Proposed constitution of the Muppalla block in the Vinukonda taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Notification approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th Jan., F. No. 1. 4th Mar., ,, 90.
Proposed constitution of the Mukkillapad block in the Vinukonda taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.——Draft notification for the cancellation of the proposed reservation of the block, submitted to Government, and Collector requested to report the result of certain enquiry in connection with the block.	6th Jan., ,, 5. 27th Dec., ,, 1308, Mis.
Proposed constitution of the Bollapalli extension block No. VII in the Vinukonda taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Notification approved by Government and ordered to be published.	11th Jan., ,, 17. 15th Mar., ,, 113.
›posed constitution of the Pasvemula extension No. V ›ck in the Palnad taluk as a,—Draft notification for ›, approved by Government and ordered to be pub- ›ed.	26th Jan., ,, 35.
›ed constitution of the Goli block in Palnad taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	1st Feb., ,, 43.
Proposed constitution of the Pullaripalam block in Bápatla taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Notification approved by Government and ordered to be published.	4th ,, ,, 45. 31st Mar., ,, 137.
Proposed constitution of the Matsavaram and Vemavaram blocks in the Palnad taluk as,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th Feb., ,, 51.
Proposed constitution of the Muthayapalem extension No. I block in the Bápatla taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	19th ,, ,, 67-A.
Proposed constitution of the Mayanipalli extension No. I block in the Bápatla taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	24th ,, ,, 81.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4)—*cont.*	1897.
KISTNA—*cont.*	
Madugula block—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, submitted to Government for approval and publication—expressing doubts as to the necessity for the reservation of Peddagarlapad block.——Government Order approving and directing publication of the notification of Madugula block, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	19th May, F. No. 200. 27th July, „ 317.
Kandipad extension No. I block in the Sattenapalle taluk—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	28th May, „ 212. 5th Aug., „ 329.
Gamalpad and Madinapad extension blocks Nos. I and II in the Palnad taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	9th June, „ 227. 25th Aug., „ 364.
Rekullagadda block and Tangeda extension blocks Nos. I and II in the Palnad taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	9th June, „ 229. 10th Aug., „ 342.
Govindapuram block in the Palnad taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	15th June, „ 5th Aug., „
Kopparam block No. I and Mukteswaram block in Narasaraopet taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order requesting to furnish certain information regarding the reservation, communicated to Collector.——Letter from the Collector furnishing further information regarding, submitted to Government.——Government Order directing the publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	17th June, „ 235. 5th Aug., „ 776, Mis. 26th Oct., „ 1103, Mis. 6th Dec., „ 533.
Pamidipad block in the Vinukonda taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Letter from the Collector reporting the correct area of the block, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, No. 236, dated 17th June 1897.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	17th June, „ 236. 11th Aug., „ 802, Mis. 27th „ „ 374.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4)—*cont.*	1897.
KISTNA—*cont.*	
Bollapalli extension No. IX in the Vinukonda taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	17th June, F. No. 237. 25th Aug., „ 363.
Balusupad block in the Nandigáma taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	17th June, „ 238. 27th Aug., „ 374.
Vedullapalli extension No. II block in the Bápatla taluk. —Draft notification for the proposed reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	19th June, „ 241. 25th Aug., „ 364.
Mekapad block in the Vinukonda taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	21st July, „ 295. 20th Sept., „ 408.
Kuragallu extension No. I block in the Guntúr taluk.—Papers relating to the proposed reservation of, returned to the Collector.	7th Aug., „ 781, Mis.
Gandrayi block in the Nandigáma taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	6th Oct., „ 432. 1st Dec., „ 521.
Palavayi block in the Palnad taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	10th Nov., „ 482.
Jaggayapet extension blocks Nos. V, VI and VII in the Nandigáma taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	2nd Dec., „ 525.
KURNOOL.	
Duddyala reserve in Nandikotkur taluk. — Government Order requesting further information as to reservation of the, communicated to Collector for report. —— Report on the proposed reservation called for by Government, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving and ordering the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	9th Jan., „ 18, Mis. 17th May, „ 441, Mis. 26th July, „ 311, Mis.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4)—*cont.*	1897.
KURNOOL—*cont.*	
Panem—Papers relating to the proposed reservation of the, block in the Nandyal taluk, returned to Collector for revision.——Revised proposals to reserve the block, submitted to Government, and Collector requested to submit proposals to reserve certain tope.	1st Mar., F. No. 206, Mis. 8th Dec., „ 536.
Gani block.—Proposed reservation of,—Papers relating to, returned to Collector for revision and resubmission.	21st May, „ 466, Mis.
Nallamalai block No. III in the Cumbum taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	5th June, „ 222. 22nd July, „ 301.
Loddepalli block.—Papers relating to the proposed reservation of, returned to the Collector.——Draft notification for the proposed reservation of the, submitted to Government.	9th June, „ 535, Mis. 29th Nov., „ 511.
NELLORE.	
Proposed constitution of the Gundlakonda and Udayagiri-Veligonda extension blocks in the Udayagiri taluk as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	11th Feb., „ 61. 21st April, „ 159.
Proposed constitution of the Yerukallu-Gundumeraka and two other blocks in the Udayagiri taluk as,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	20th Feb., „ 74.
Proposed constitution of Chintalapalem and ten other blocks in the Atmakur and Rapur taluks as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator.	13th Mar., „ 106. 27th May, „ 207.
NILGIRIS.	
Constitution of the Karaipattu and Mullimalai blocks in the Kundahnad as,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.——Draft erratum in the boundary description of the Mullimalai block, submitted to Government for approval and issue.——Government Order directing the publication of the draft erratum, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	19th Jan., „ 27. 16th Feb., „ 156, Mis.
Proposed constitution of black-heath and seven other blocks in the Parapginad division as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Collector requested to include the Katcheri block in the proposals for the reservation, as pasture reserves, of the village grazing grounds containing tree growth worthy of protection.——Government	11th Mar., „ 102. 27th July, „ 315. 12th Oct., „ 1051, Mis. 21st Dec., „ 557.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4)—*cont.*	1897.
NILGIRIS—*cont.*	
Order approving and ordering publication of the notification for Arapillai and three other blocks, communicated to Collector.——Collector's letter showing reasons for the reservation of black-heath and three other blocks in the Paranginad division, submitted to Government.——Government Order directing publication of the notification in respect of these, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	
Reservation of fields Nos. 341 and 355 of Ithalar village in the Merkunad division.—Collector's proposals for, approved.—Collector requested to submit the necessary draft notification under section 4 of the Forest Act at an early date.	30th Mar., F. No. 297, Mis.
Thogalhatti and four other blocks.—Proposed constitution of, in the Paranginad division.—Notification for, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	1st April, ,, 142. 14th July, ,, 283.
"*Wenlock Downs*" *block* in the Todanad division.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Collector's letter reporting on certain enclosures in the, reserve, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Government Order directing that certain Todapatta lands within the block be treated as enclosures, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	30th Aug., ,, 376. 8th Oct., ,, 1029, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 462. 15th Nov., ,, 1184, Mis.
Tambarkaduvu and ten other blocks in the Paranginad division.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	30th Sept., ,, 423.
Carrit Shola reserve addition block Nos. I—V in the Todanad division.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Letter from the Collector submitting the village area statement to accompany the proposals for reservation, submitted to Government.——Government Order directing the publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	7th Oct., ,, 434. 27th ,, ,, 1105, Mis. 1st Dec., ,, 520.
SALEM.	
Parunthakal and two other blocks.—Government Order directing publication of the notification for the cancellation of the proposed reservation of the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	7th Jan., ,, 13, Mis.
Alavamalai, Vadampatti and Sengadu blocks.—Government Order directing publication of the notification cancelling the initial notification in respect of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	16th ,, ,, 45, Mis.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4)—*cont.*	1897.
SALEM—*cont.*	
Nochiguddi block in Tiruppattúr taluk.—Draft notification for the cancellation of the initial notification in respect of, submitted to Government.—— Government Order directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	16th Feb., F. No. 155, Mis. 4th Mar., „ 213, Mis.
Mavar, Poyappatti and certain other blocks already notified under section 4 of the Forest Act.—Orders passed on the correspondence relating to the treatment of,	25th „ „ 130.
Valampatti and *Kurichi* blocks in the Salem taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	11th Dec., „ 543.
TINNEVELLY.	
Proposed constitution of *Mahendragiri* and four other blocks in the, district.—Draft notification for, submitted for the orders of Government.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	6th April, „ 146. 14th July, „ 281.
Krishnapuram, Vadagarai, Melpidagai blocks in the Tenkasi taluk.—Proposed constitution of, as, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order requesting the Board to report whether there is any special reason for the reservation of, communicated to Collector for report.——Letter from the Collector reporting that he is not prepared to press for the reservation of, submitted to Government.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, recorded.——Proposals for reservation of, submitted with Board's Proceedings, F. No. 189, dated 6th September 1897, withdrawn.	6th May, „ 189. 30th June, „ 634, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 852, Mis. 16th Sept., „ 939, Mis.
Lands adjoining Srívilliputtúr ghát forest Block I, Khansapuram in Srívilliputtúr taluk.—Draft notification for the proposed constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government.——Proposals in respect of three other blocks, declined to recommend.——Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	19th May, „ 201. 23rd July, „ 306.
Milavattan reserve in the Ottappidáram taluk.—Draft notification to include certain lands in, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order directing publication of the draft notification under section 4 and returning the draft notification under section 24 for revision and resubmission, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.—— Letter from the Collector stating that the proposal to reserve certain Government garden referred to in paragraph 5 of the above Board's Proceedings has been abandoned, submitted to Government for information. —— Government Order recording the above Board's Proceedings, recorded.	22nd Sept., „ 960, Mis. 25th Nov., „ 508. 30th „ „ 1231, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 1278, Mis.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 4)—*cont.*	1897.
VIZAGAPATAM.	
Proposed constitution of Boddapalem and ten other blocks as, in the district.—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Notification approved by Government and ordered to be published.	25th Jan., F. No. 30. 1st April, „ 138.
Vontigola and three other villages—Draft notification under, for the proposed constitution of, submitted to Government. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	28th „ „ 172. 30th June, „ 633, Mis.
Chinogora extension Blocks Nos. I—V.—Collector's proposal to notify under, in the Palkonda and Golgonda taluks, approved, to submit the necessary, papers.—Collector requested.——Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order directing the publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	17th May, „ 442, Mis. 30th Aug., „ 377. 16th Nov., „ 496.
Dharakonda Reserve—Necessary draft notification for,—Collector requested to submit,——Draft notification in respect of certain villages proposed to be included within the reserve, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the notification and ordering its publication, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.——Government Order recording the above Board's Proceedings, recorded.——Letter from the Collector reporting that there is no village of the name of Singapuram in the Dharakonda reserve, recorded.	18th May, „ 452, Mis. 13th July, „ 277. 15th Oct., „ 452. 18th Nov., „ 1195, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 1289, Mis.
Pedimikonda extension No. I and certain other blocks in the Golgonda taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	29th June, „ 250. 31st Aug., „ 380.
FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16).	
ANANTAPUR.	
Constitution of the Hottebetta block in the Madakasira taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Memorandum from Government calling for further information in regard to the reservation of the block, communicated to Collector for report.——Government Order requesting the Board to furnish certain information, forwarded to Collector for report.——Letter from the Collector furnishing information called for by Government, submitted to Government. ——Government Order approving the retention of Hottebetta north block and cancelling the initial reservation of south block, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	9th Jan., „ 16. 10th Feb., „ 134, Mis. 23rd July, „ 740, Mis. 11th Oct., „ 1044, Mis. 16th Nov., „ 1188, Mis.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
ANANTAPUR—*cont.*	
Gutturu east block.—Government Order admitting certain patta rights and rights of way in the, and ordering publication of a notification under section 18 of the Forest Act, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	22nd Mar., F. No. 124.
Iyampalli Block in the Kalyandrug taluk.—Draft Notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and Collector requested to report on certain discrepancies noticed by the Board in the settlement records of the block.	2nd Dec., „ 524.
Golla Block in the Kalyandrug taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication and Collector requested to report on certain dicrepancies noticed by the Board in the settlement records regarding the area and taluk in which the block is situated.	8th „ „ 539.
ARCOT, NORTH.	
Constitution of the Reddigunta block in Chittoor taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	26th Jan., „ 33.
Constitution of the Gundlapalle extension block in the Gudiyattam taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th Feb., „ 55.
Parappumalai,—Reservation of the, block in the Chittoor taluk.—Draft notification for, submitted to Government. ——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	10th April, „ 153. 5th July, „ 267.
Penamur extension Blocks A and B.—Draft notification under, for, submitted to Government.——Government Order requesting the Board to report whether certain high road included in the B block should not be excluded before reservation, forwarded to Collector of North Arcot for report.——Collector's report that the high road should be excluded from reservation, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	10th April, „ 152. 17th June, „ 574, Mis. 17th July, „ 708, Mis. 27th Aug., „ 373.
Pakala Blocks A and B.—Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	23rd June, „ 244. 6th Aug., „ 335.
Kempasamudram Blocks A and B in the Gudiyáttam taluk. —Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	26th July, „ 310. 24th Sept., „ 416.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
ARCOT, NORTH—*cont.*	
Santhapet extensions A, C and D in the Chittoor taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order directing publication of the notification for the reservation of the above and the cancellation of the initial notification of extension B block, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	17th Sept., F. No. 402. 18th Nov., „ 499.
Pattikonda block in the Palmanér taluk. — Settlement papers of, returned to Collector for revision and resubmission.	18th Oct., „ 1080, Mis.
Tandappan tangal block extension A in the Arcot taluk.—Notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	10th Nov., „ 483.
Nambedu extensions B, A and C in the Wandiwash taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	13th „ „ 494.
ARCOT, SOUTH	
Constitution of the Eraiyurmalai block in the Tiruvannámalai taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	th Jan., „ 9. 1st Mar., „ 88.
Constitution of the Reshivandiyam block in the Kallakurchi taluk as a, — Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Notification approved by Government and ordered to be published.	7th Jan., „ 10. 15th Mar., „ 110.
Constitution of the Kaduvanur block in the Kallakurchi taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Notification approved by Government and ordered to be published.	8th Jan., „ 14. 4th Mar., „ 91.
Adanur block No. 65 in Villupuram taluk. — Draft erratum in respect of, ordered to be published by Government.	21st Jan., „ 70, Mis.
Pinjur block in Tiruvannámalai taluk.—Papers relating to settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and resubmission.	22nd „ „ 71, Mis.
Constitution of the Padipallam block in the Tindivanam taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published. —— Draft notification altering the date of reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order ordering the date of reservation, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator.	27th „ „ 37. 23rd Oct., „ 1096, Mis. 8th Nov., „ 1157, Mis.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
ARCOT, SOUTH—*cont.*	
Constitution of the Pakkamalai block in the Tindivanam taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving the notification, communicated to the Collector.—Draft notification altering the date of reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order altering the date of reservation, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator.	28th Jan., F. No. 40. 25th Mar., „ 132. 23rd Oct., „ 1196, Mis. 8th Nov., „ 1157, Mis.
Constitution of the Kammapuram block in the Vriddhachalam taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th Feb., „ 49.
Constitution of the Kunjaram block in the Tirukkóyilúr and Kallakurchi taluks as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Explanation submitted to Government as to why Survey No. 541 of Kunjaram village was omitted to be recorded as an enclosure in the draft notification. —— Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	8th Mar., „ 94. 13th April, „ 343, Mis. 27th May, „ 211.
Constitution of the Ponniar block in the Tiruvannámalai taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.—— Collector requested to furnish certain information in respect of certain claims.	16th Mar., „ 116. 2nd July, „ 257.
Constitution of the Settiyendal block in Kallakurchi taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	10th April, „ 154. 30th June, „ 255.
Pusappadi.—Draft notification for the constitution of the block in Kallakurchi taluk, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	26th May, „ 205. 22nd July, „ 303.
Odayanachi in the Kallakurchi taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of the, block as, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	1st June, „ 213. 14th July, „ 280.
Annamangalam block in the Tindivanam taluk. — Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	13th „ „ 276. 25th Aug., „ 365.

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FORESTS RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
ARCOT, SOUTH—*cont.*	
Tottapadi block in the Kallakurchi taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	14th July, F. No. 282. 25th Aug., „ 365.
Tachur block in the Kallakurchi taluk. — Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	17th July, „ 294. 2nd Sept., „ 384.
Melakundalapadi block in the Chidambaram taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	18th Aug., „ 354. 29th Sept., „ 422.
Munnurmangalam block in the Tiruvannámalai taluk. — Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	25th Aug., „ 368. 11th Oct., „ 447.
Pichavaram extension block in the Chidambaram taluk. —Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	24th Aug., „ 360. 1st Oct., „ 430.
Pinjur block in Tiruvannámalai taluk. — Settlement papers of, returned to Collector for revision and resubmission.	8th Sept., „ 907, Mis.
Aviriyur block in the Kallakurchi taluk. — Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, and the former officer's attention drawn to the remark of Government that the privilege of clearing the feeder channel dealt with in claim No. 15 should be granted by a departmental order.	8th „ „ 395. 28th Oct., „ 468.
Uchimalai Blocks A and B in the Tiruvannámalai taluk.— Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	17th Sept., „ 401. 13th Nov., „ 491.
Ravattanallur block in the Kallakurchi taluk. — Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government	20th Sept., „ 405. 13th Nov., „ 492.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
ARCOT, SOUTH—*cont.*	
Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	
Melpalankur block in the Kallakurchi taluk. — Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	23rd Sept., F. No. 410. 13th Nov., „ 488.
BELLARY.	
Constitution of the Kuppagallu block in the Adóni taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving, communicated to the Collector.	5th Feb., „ 47. 1st April, „ 141.
Constitution of the Kosgi block in the Adóni taluk as a, —Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving the notification and ordering the publication, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.——Collector's letter reporting the area of the reserve, recorded.	8th Feb., „ 59. 4th May, „ 181. 3rd July, „ 650, Mis.
Neraniki Blocks A, B, C and D in the Alur taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forests, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	22nd „ „ 298. 14th Sept., „ 399.
CANARA, SOUTH.	
Sarpanamane block.—Draft erratum in regard to exit of a path in the, — Government Order approving and ordering publication of the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	27th Jan., „ 88, Mis.
Chittoor block in the Coondapoor taluk. — Settlement papers of, returned to Collector for revision and resubmission. —— The admission of belated claims in blocks under settlement orders passed regarding,	18th Oct., „ 1079, Mis. 29th Nov., „ 1229, Mis.
Murkodihola block in the Coondapoor taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	28th Oct., „ 471. 14th Dec., „ 547.
Sural Advi block in the Coondapoor taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	29th Oct., „ 474.
Nujina Ane block in the Coondapoor taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette.*	13th Nov., „ 493.

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CANARA, SOUTH—*cont.*	
Herur block in the Coondapoor taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication and Collector requested to explain certain discrepancies noticed by the Board in the settlement records of the above block.	20th Nov., F. No. 504.
CHINGLEPUT.	
Koliyalam block in the Madurántakam taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order approving with remarks and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.——Letter from the Collector reporting the correct area of the, block, submitted to Government.	11th Aug., „ 344. 23rd Sept., „ 412. 29th Oct., „ 1111, Mis.
Tirukalikunram extension 2 *block* in the Chingleput taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Letter from the Collector explaining certain discrepancy in the area statement of the, block, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	19th Aug., „ 837, Mis. 22nd Sept., „ 963, Mis. 1st Oct., „ 427.
Ugmudi extensions Nos. I, V and VI in the Tiruvallúr taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	6th Aug., „ 337. 23rd Sept., „ 412.
Vallam extension No. 2 in the Chingleput taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, block, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	24th Aug., „ 361. 1st Oct., „ 429.
Extension No. 1 to Perumbakkam block A in the Saidapet taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, block, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	10th Nov., „ 481.
Kovilpidagai extension No. I block in the Saidapet taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and Collector requested to explain certain discrepancy in the area of the block.	8th Dec., „ 540.
Mevyur extension No. II block in the Saidapet taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government.	8th „ „ 541.
Tirumani extension No. I (previously known as extension No. II in the Chingleput taluk).—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government.	14th „ „ 546.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
COIMBATORE.	
Revised boundary description for the Bolampatty reserved forest Nos. II and III, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Explanation called for by Government as to the circumstances which render necessary the issue of an amended boundary description, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the publication of the notification of the east and south boundaries of the blocks, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	8th Feb., F. No. 120, Mis. 22nd Mar., „ 271, Mis. 21st April, „ 351, Mis.
Chikkialuru reserve in Kollegal taluk.—Draft errata *in re* the Dandanakottai enclosure in the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the erratum, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	6th Mar., „ 216, Mis. 22nd „ „ 273, Mis.
Constitution of the Kongampalaiyam block in the Erode taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	6th April, „ 148. 29th June, „ 248.
Government Order approving and ordering publication of the revised boundary description of the Vellamundi reserve in the Satyamangalam taluk, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	14th Oct, „ 451.
CUDDAPAH.	
Constitution of the Niggadi extension blocks A and B in the Kadiri taluk as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order approving, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	9th Feb., „ 60. 24th Mar., „ 128.
Constitution of the Varuvoi block in the Kadiri taluk as a,— Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving, communicated to the Collector.	18th Feb., „ 64. 1st April, „ 145.
Constitution of the Dasaripalli extension blocks B, C and D in the Proddatur taluk as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	18th Feb., „ 65. 4th May, „ 178.
Constitution of the Tummalur extension blocks A and B in the Cuddapah taluk as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving, communicated to the Collector.	20th Feb., „ 71. 1st April, „ 144.
Constitution of the Vedurur block in the Proddatur taluk as a, — Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	23rd Feb., „ 79. 29th April, „ 174.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	**1897.**
CUDDAPAH—*cont.*	
Constitution of the Marella extension block in the Vayalpad taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	10th April, F. No. 151. 3rd July, „ 262.
Gundlur in the Vayalpad taluk.—Notification for the reservation of the, block, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	14th June, „ 231. 26th July, „ 313.
Marripad block in the Vayalpad taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	24th June, „ 246. 6th Aug., „ 336.
Chenumpalli block in the Badvel taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	30th July, „ 326. 23rd Sept., „ 413.
Horsleykonda extensions A and B in the Madanapalle taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	27th „ „ 418. 20th Nov., „ 502.
Sancherla extension blocks A and B in the Badvel taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order requesting the Board to report whether sufficient land exists outside the reserve for Venkatapuram and other villages, forwarded to the Collector for report.——Ayakat abstract of Sancherla and Kavalakuntla villages, submitted to Government.	1st Oct., „ 426. 17th Nov., „ 1190, Mis. 15th Dec., „ 1294, Mis.
Yerrapakonda block in the Kadiri taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing the publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator.	7th Oct., „ 435. 3rd Dec., „ 529.
Koltakota-Dasiripalli extension block in the Badvel taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	29th Nov., „ 512.
GANJÁM.	
Constitution of the Bodochandana block in the Goomsur taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	7th Jan., „ 13.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
GANJÁM—*cont.*	
Napier Park Reserve in the Berhampur taluk.—Papers relating to settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission. —— Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	7th Jan., F. No. 9, Mis. 2nd June, „ 219. 23rd July, „ 307.
Constitution of the Kaliyamba block in the Goomsur taluk as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th Feb., „ 52.
Dheppaguda block in the Goomsur taluk.—Papers relating to the settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission. —— Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification.	22nd „ „ 174, Mis. 27th July, „ 316. 20th Sept., „ 404.
Kurcholi block in the Goomsur taluk.—Papers relating to settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.——Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated.	6th Mar., „ 217, Mis. 1st Oct., „ 428. 29th Nov., „ 514.
Baniamari block in the Berhampur taluk. — Papers relating to settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.——Revised draft notification and map, Collector requested to submit.	6th Mar., „ 218, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 908, Mis.
Hukuma block in the Goomsur taluk.—Papers relating to settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission. —Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	17th Mar., „ 257, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 438. 29th Nov., „ 514.
Brahmanasai block in the Goomsur taluk.—Settlement papers of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	12th June, „ 545, Mis.
Mundapetta block in the Goomsur taluk. — Settlement papers of, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	5th July, „ 657, Mis.
Pippalaponka reserve—Papers relating to the settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	22nd „ „ 733, Mis.
Kuddapadu block in the Goomsur taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	28th „ „ 321. 20th Sept., „ 404.

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FORESTS, RESERVED—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
GANJÁM—*cont.*	
Rampalli and Poluru blocks of the South Mohiri reserve in the Berhampur taluk.—Papers relating to the settlement of, returned to the Collector for revision and re-submission.	26th Aug., F. No. 854, Mis.
GÓDÁVARI.	
Constitution of the Tirumalayyapalem block in the Rajahmundry taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	7th Jan., „ 12.
Kandikuppa reserve in the Amalápuram taluk.—Papers relating to settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	2nd Feb., „ 108, Mis.
Beddadavole block in the Yernagudem taluk. — Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	13th Nov., „ 489.
Letter from the Collector of Gódávari regarding the inclusion of a tract of land within the finally notified Dormanudy reserve.—Passed orders on the, and draft notification for the reservation of the above tract of land, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	6th Dec., „ 1254, Mis.
KISTNA.	
Constitution of the Putsanutula block in the Vinukonda taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	7th Jan., „ 6.
Constitution of the Adavuladivi extension No. I block in the Répalle taluk, as a, — Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	14th „ „ 20. 1st Mar., „ 86.
Constitution of the Guttikonda extension No. VI block in the Vinukonda taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	14th Jan., „ 21. 1st Mar., „ 87.
Constitution of the Mutukur extension No. III block in the Palnad taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	15th Jan., „ 24.
Constitution of the Nagarazupalli block in the Narasaraopet taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Notification approved by Government and ordered to be published.	15th „ „ 25. 15th Mar., „ 112.
Constitution of the Kurugallu reserve No. 12 in the Bandur taluk, as a,—Draft amended notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be republished.	26th Jan., „ 32.

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FORESTS, RESERVED.—(SECTION 16)—*cont.*	1897.
KISTNA—*cont.*	
Guttikonda extension No. I.—Collector's letter reporting that there is sufficient waste land for cultivation in the, after excluding the portion required for reservation, submitted to Government with remarks.——Draft notification for the block, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	26th Jan., F. No. 85, Mis. 11th Mar., „ 101.
Kandipad block in the Sattenapalle taluk.—Papers relating to the settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	20th „ „ 269, Mis.
Constitution of the Andugolapad block in the Vinukonda taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	23rd „ „ 123. 27th May, „ 210.
Nayanipalli reserve in the Bápatla taluk.—Draft amended boundary notification in respect of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	23rd Mar., „ 275, Mis. 21st April, „ 352, Mis.
Constitution of the Darvemula block in the Palnad taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	6th „ „ 147. 29th June, „ 249.
Bollapalli Extension No. II.—Draft notification under, for the constitution of, in the Vinukonda taluk, submitted to Government for approval.——Government Order approving reservation of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.—— Draft erratum altering the date of reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	28th April, „ 171. 8th July, „ 272. 17th Aug., „ 818, Mis. 4th Sept., „ 895, Mis.
Bandur Fort Extension No. I block in the Bandur taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of the, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	2nd June, „ 215. 22nd July, „ 300.
Pasvemula Extension No. IV block in the Palnad taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	29th June, „ 251. 25th Aug., „ 366.
Amudalapalli block in the Répalle taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order	26th July, „ 314. 4th Sept., „ 389.

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KISTNA—*cont.*	
approving and ordering publication of the notification for the reservation of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	
Bollapalli Extension No. III in the Vinukonda taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of, as reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	29th July, F. No. 324. 20th Sept., „ 406.
Veldurti block in the Palnad taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	4th Aug., „ 327. 23rd Sept., „ 411.
Guttikonda Extension No. VII block in the Vinukonda taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	31st Aug., „ 381. 21st Oct., „ 460.
Potumarakaparra block in the Tenali taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	2nd Sept., „ 386. 28th Oct., „ 467.
Kandipadu block in the Sattenapalle taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	8th Sept., „ 394. 28th Oct., „ 467.
Bollapalli extension No. VIII block in the Vinukonda taluk.—Settlement papers of, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	20th Sept., „ 947, Mis.
Narsayapalem Extensions Nos. I and II in the Vinukonda taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	9th „ „ 397. 13th Nov., „ 487.
Bandur Fort Extension No. II block in the Bandur taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	9th Oct., „ 440. 29th Nov., „ 513.

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KISTNA—*cont.*	
Takkellapudi block in the Sattenapalle taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	9th Oct., F. No. 441. 6th Dec., „ 534.
Adavuladiviparra block in the Tenali taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	11th Oct., „ 449. 2nd Dec., „ 527.
KURNOOL.	
Constitution of the Mundlapad block in the Cumbum taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.—— Draft erratum in the notification received from the Collector, submitted to Government for approval and issue.—— Government Order directing publication of the erratum, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	7th Jan., „ 7. 19th Mar. „ 264, Mis. 2nd April, „ 308, Mis.
Constitution of the Ganapavaram block in the Markapur taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Notification, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	9th Jan., „ 15. 1st Mar., „ 89.
North Dhone reserve in Ramallakot and Nandyal taluks.—Papers relating to settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	11th Jan., „ 21, Mis.
Constitution of the Yerrakondapalem block in the Markapur taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	27th „ „ 36.
Constitution of the Gundlekonda block in the Pattikonda taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th Feb., „ 50.
Constitution of the Jonnagiri block, in the Pattikonda taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th „ „ 53.
Constitution of the Kamalapuram block in the Ramallakot taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th „ „ 54.
Constitution of the Pendekallu block in the Pattikonda taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, approved by Government and ordered to be published.	5th „ „ 56.
Constitution of the Katharakonda block in the Pattikonda taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order approving and directing the publication, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	20th Mar., „ 122. 27th May, „ 208.

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KURNOOL—*cont.*	
Thambellapalle block in the Markapur taluk.—Collector requested to explain certain discrepancies in the settlement papers of the,——Draft notification for, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification; communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	1st April, F. No. 299, Mis. 27th Oct., „ 466. 14th Dec., „ 549.
Jaladurgam block in the Pattikonda taluk.—Papers relating to settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.——Revised notification, submitted by the Collector, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——GovernmentOrder directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests and the former officer requested to explain certain discrepancy in the area of the block noticed by Government.	7th April, „ 331, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 455. 15th Dec., „ 552.
Peddapaya block.—Draft notification under, for, submitted for the approval of Government.——Government Order approving the reservation of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	26th April, „ 166. 9th July, „ 273.
Sirvel addition No. III of Bachepalle.—Settlement records relating to, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	26th May, „ 492, Mis.
Pyalakurti block in the Ramallakot taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.——Draft notification altering the date of reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order altering the date of reservation, communicated.	30th June, „ 254. 24th Aug., „ 359. 27th Oct., „ 1107, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 1168, Mis.
Ambavaram block in the Cumbum taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, with remarks.——Draft erratum excluding the Giddalur-Racherla famine road from the, reserve, submitted to Government.——Government Order ordering publication of the draft erratum, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	5th July, „ 266. 25th Aug., „ 362. 29th Oct., „ 1114, Mis. 20th Nov., „ 1207, Mis.
Somidevipalli block in the Cumbum taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	24th June, „ 247. 6th Aug., „ 384.
Tokapalle block in the Markapur taluk.—Notification for the constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator	30th June, „ 253. 24th Aug., „ 358. 27th Oct., „ 1107, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 1168, Mis.

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of Forests, Northern Circle.——Draft notification altering the date of reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order altering the date of reservation, communicated.	
North Dhone block in the Ramallakot taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication and Collector requested to explain certain discrepancies noticed by the Board.	4th Nov., F. No. 477.
Uyyalavada addition block in the Cumbum taluk.—— Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication and Collector requested to explain certain discrepancy in the area statement noticed by the Board.	19th „ „ 501.
Millampalli block in the Markapur taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	3rd Dec., „ 531.
MADURA.	
Constitution of the Sakkimangalam block in the Madura taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—Notification approved by Government and ordered to be published.	7th Jan., „ 11. 15th Mar., „ 111.
Kodimangalam block in the Madura and Tirumangalam taluks.—Papers relating to the settlement of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	8th April, „ 233, Mis.
Methugamalai block.—Draft notification for, under, submitted for the approval of Government.——Government Order approving the reservation, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	23rd „ „ 163. 3rd July, „ 261.
Koduvanur block,—Papers relating to the final reservation of the, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	21st May, „ 469, Mis.
Kuppuvamadi block in the Periyakulam taluk. — Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Talukwar statements of areas of reserved forests in the district, submitted by the Collector, recorded.——Collector requested to explain certain discrepancies.	5th June, „ 225. 23rd July, „ 308. 10th Sept., „ 916, Mis.
Muliyár block in the Kodaikánal Taluk.—Draft notification for reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	18th Aug., „ 356. 11th Oct., „ 446.
MALABAR.	
Constitution of the Puliampatti tope, Tamburettipottai and Pillasheripallem and Dhoni *alias* Plakatannpalli	5th Feb., „ 48. 2nd June, „ 218.

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MALABAR—*cont.*	
paramba blocks in the Palghat taluk, as,— Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering the publication of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	
Beypore tope,—Revised notification for the,—Collector's letter forwarding a, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification for the constitution of as a, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	11th Feb., F. No. 137, Mis. 25th Mar., „ 131.
Woodstock block in the Wynaad taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	28th Oct., „ 470. 14th Dec., „ 550.
NELLORE.	
Reservation of certain blocks in the district.—Draft notification for the extensions of the date of, as requested by the Forest Settlement officer, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector, Conservator of Forests, Central Circle and Special Forest Settlement officer, Nellore, &c., districts.	6th Jan., „ 6, Mis. 20th „ „ 59, Mis.
Sriharikota reserve proper blocks A and B.—Settlement papers of the, returned to Collector for amendment and re-submission.	23rd „ „ 75, Mis.
Constitution of the Abbasahebupeta Gudipadu west block in the Atmakúru taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving, the reservation, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	23rd Feb., „ 78. 23rd April, „ 164.
Constitution of the Manabolupad extension block in the Kávali taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	10th Mar., „ 97. 4th May, „ 179.
Constitution of the Chelamcherla extension block in the Kandukur taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	10th Mar., „ 98. 29th April, „ 173.
Constitution of the Chakicherla North block in the Kandukur taluk, as a,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	10th Mar., „ 99. 2nd June, „ 216.

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NELLORE—*cont.*	
Constitution of the Anantasagaram blocks A and B in the Atmakúru taluk, as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	24th Mar., F. No. 129. 27th May, „ 209.
Constitution of the Perinadu blocks I, II and III, in the Gudur taluk, as,—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	26th Mar., „ 134. 5th July, „ 265.
Duttalore block in the Udayagiri taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	5th June, „ 224. 22nd July, „ 304.
Potukonda block in the Rapur taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	11th Oct., „ 448. 2nd Dec., „ 526.
Veminabhi Extension block in the Rapur taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	11th Oct., „ 445. 8th Dec., „ 537.
Peramanakonduru block in the Atmakúru taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	11th Oct., „ 444. 8th Dec., „ 538.
Rapur-Vellugonda extension A block in the Rapur taluk.—Draft notification for the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette* and Collector requested to report on certain discrepancy in the area of the block noticed by the Board.	13th Nov., „ 490.
NILGIRIS.	
Nirburrahulla block in the Merkunad division.—Notification for the constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	2nd June, „ 220. 22nd July, „ 299.
TANJORE.	
North casuarina extension block in the Shiyali taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to	10th Nov., „ 484. 7th Dec., „ 535.

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TANJORE—*cont.*	
Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	
TINNEVELLY.	
Lands adjoining Kotamadakikadu block V in the Srivaikuntam taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of, as a reserved forest, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	2nd July, F. No. 259. 25th Aug., „ 367.
Mullakádu block in the Ottappidáram taluk.—Settlement papers of, returned to Collector for revision and re-submission.	24th Sept., „ 976, Mis.
Melappattam block in the Tinnevelly taluk.—Draft notification for the constitution of, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	28th Oct., „ 469.
TRICHINOPOLY.	
Valaiyur block in the Perambalúr and Musiri taluks.—Draft notification for the reservation of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	31st Aug., „ 382. 19th Oct., „ 457.
VIZAGAPATAM.	
Boddapalem block in the Golgonda taluk.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	29th Nov., „ 515.
Kadagandi Extension No. II and the Barnakonda Extension blocks.—Draft notification for the reservation of the, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	29th „ „ 516.
FOREST CODE.	
Section 120 of the Madras Forest Code (Second Edition).—Government Order approving the Board's revised draft of amendment to, as slightly amended by the Accountant-General, recorded with remarks.	26th Jan., „ 31.
Section 148 of the, (Second Edition).—Certain amendments proposed to the,—Government Order approving, and transferring to the Financial Department list of alterations to the Accountant-General's table of powers of sanction, recorded.	11th Feb., „ 62.
Form No. 33 of the, (Second Edition).—Reprint of, ordered after substituting for the sub-heads under B-III, Contingencies those furnished by the Accountant-General.	20th „ „ 75. 13th April, „ 155. 26th May, „ 206.

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FOREST CODE—*cont.*	1897.
——Letter from Accountant-General stating that the arrangement follows that adopted in forest budget estimate for 1897-98 regarding arrangement of subheads, submitted for the sanction of Government.——Government Order approving the amendment to section 110 of, recorded.	
—(Second Edition).—Certain addenda to the, proposed by the Accountant-General.——Government sanction requested for, in connection with the examination of District Forest-officers.——Government Order sanctioning the amendment and stating that the list of questions for the examination of Forest officers should be printed as an appendix to the Code, recorded with the remark that correction slips will issue separately.——An amendment to question 17 (*b*) printed in Board's Proceedings, F. No. 92, dated 6th March 1897, regarding examination of District Forest-offices, sanctioned.——Government Order recording the Board's Proceedings on the subject, recorded with remarks.	6th Mar., F. No. 92. 21st May, „ 203. 24th June, „ 245. 21st July, „ 728, Mis.
Amendments to the,—Lists of, as called for in G.O., No. 419, dated 25th August 1896, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the amendment, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	13th Mar., „ 107. 11th Aug., „ 343.
Section 122 of the,—Government sanction requested for certain addendum to the, empowering the District Forest-officer's Head clerk to open covers superscribed "accounts" during his absence on tour.—Government Order approving the addendum proposed, recorded with the remark that correction slips will issue separately.	31st Mar., „ 136. 19th May, „ 202.
Forms Nos. 11 and 12.—Board agrees with the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, that are unsuitable for released property and Central Circle Conservator of Forests requested to suggest in communication with the other Conservators of Forests a form of receipt for this kind of produce.	24th Mar., „ 126.
The presumption raised against an accused by the provisions of section 56 should not be taken advantage of in any case in which there is room for reasonable doubt. —Instructions regarding, attention will be drawn to.	22nd April, „ 162.
The form No. 13 of, is intended to show all the transactions pertaining to the district as a whole, that Southern Circle Conservator's surmise is correct, stated, Government sanction solicited for certain amendment. ——Government Order approving the amendment, recorded, that correction slips will issue separately, stated.	28th „ „ 170. 2nd June, „ 217.
In considering that salaries to subordinate officers should only be paid on bills duly passed by the head of the office, agreed with the Accountant-General, that salary bills of permanent establishments are governed by section 166 of, stated.	17th May, „ 197.

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Section 246 of, regarding form of receipt for released produce. — An addendum to, issued. — Government sanction thereto, solicited.——Government Order approving and sanctioning the amendment, recorded.	25th June, F. No. 609, Mis. 16th July, „ 290.
Section 209 regarding stock-taking at sale depots.—Alteration in, considered unnecessary.	15th „ „ 287.
Returns of free grants and live-stocks should be submitted quarterly.—Certain draft amendments to sections 104, 107 and 202 of, submitted for the approval of Government.——Government Order approving the amendments, recorded.	4th Aug., „ 328. 24th Sept., „ 414.
Section 68 and appendix IX of the, regarding rules for the examination of European and Eurasian officers in vernaculars.—Government Order requesting the Board to issue necessary amendments to, communicated to Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	18th Aug., „ 355.
To report the dates on which Forest officers hand over charge and return to duty while proceeding on leave.—All Forest officers requested with reference to section 59 of the Code.	7th Sept., „ 902, Mis.
Section 160, clause (*c*) of, regarding the adjustment of the recoveries of service payment, alteration to, proposed by Accountant-General, approved.—Draft amendment thereto, submitted to Government. —— Government Order sanctioning the proposed amendment, recorded with the remark that correction slips will separately issue.	28th „ „ 419. 4th Nov., „ 478.
Letter from the Collector of North Arcot requesting orders as to who is the competent authority to sanction remissions of forest revenue owing to unfavourable season, submitted to Government for orders.—To sanction an addendum to the, Government requested.——Government Order approving Board's proposals on the same and issuing an addendum to section 159 of the Forest Code in connection therewith, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	28th Oct., „ 1110, Mis. 6th Dec., „ 532.
FOREST OFFICERS.	
Mr. Fischer, Assistant Conservator of Forests.—Telegram from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requesting that, may be permitted to return to duty at Madras to attend the departmental examination on the 4th January 1897, submitted for the favourable consideration of Government.——Government Order permitting Mr. Fischer to rejoin duty at Madras, communicated to Collector of Kurnool.	5th Jan., „ 1, Mis. 28th „ „ 93, Mis.
Forest disbursing officers maintenance of cash-books by, instructions issued in the matter of,	6th „ „ 4.
Transfer of certain, from Madras to Burma.—Government Order regarding the proposed, communicated to Conservators of Forests, Northern and Southern Circles, with instructions and stated that report on Mr. Jackson's	6th „ „ 2, Mis. 15th „ „ 37, Mis. 11th Feb., „ 141, Mis. 1st Sept., „ 876, Mis.

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conduct will be submitted to Government separately. ——Report on the conduct of Mr. Jackson, submitted to Government.——Government Order telegraphing to the Chief Commissioner of Burma that Messrs. Allen and O'Hara were relieved on 19th January 1897 and that Mr. O'Hara was granted one month's privilege leave, recorded.——Government Order communicating letter from Government of India conveying sanction to the payment of Rs. 1,002 by the Government of Burma to the Government of Madras on account of the education of Messrs. Allen and O'Hara, communicated to Conservators of Forests, Northern and Southern Circles.	
Proposed re-organization of the Provincial Forest service in connection with the transfer of 43 appointments from the Imperial service.—Government Order communicating to the Board of Revenue and to the Accountant-General resolution of the Government of India on the, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	14th Jan., F. No. 22.
Messrs. Arbuthnot and Fischer, Assistant Conservators of Forests.—Report on the physique of, submitted to Government.——Government Order addressing Government of India on the subject, recorded.	14th ,, ,, 25, Mis. 2nd Feb., ,, 107, Mis.
Mr. W. W. Batchelor.—Head-quarters of,—Mr. Popert's opinion, that Cuddapah, should be taken to be the, accepted.	14th Jan., ,, 26, Mis.
M. R. Ry. V. Alwar Chetty Garu, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests.—Memorial from, requesting that vacancy in the class of Deputy Conservators, caused by the retirement of Mr. Brougham, may be transferred to the Provincial service and that the step may be given to him, submitted for the orders of Government.	14th ,, ,, 27, Mis.
Mr. C. P. Howell, Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests.—Copy of Proceedings of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, on the bad work of, recorded.	14th ,, ,, 29, Mis.
Mr. Daly, Forest Ranger in the Trichinopoly district.—Application from, for a post in Burma, submitted to Government for transmission to the Revenue Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Burma.	14th ,, ,, 31, Mis.
Mr. Jackson, Deputy Ranger.—Report called for by Government on the conduct of, submitted to Government with reference to G.O., No. 9, dated 4th January 1897. —Government Order directing that Mr. Jackson should be dismissed from public service, communicated to Collector of Tinnevelly.	15th ,, ,, 37, Mis. 16th Feb., ,, 149, Mis.
Mr. F. Foulkes, Deputy Conservator of Forests, proposed to be deputed to Cochin.—Letter from the Cochin Durbar stating that, should join his special duty immediately after the Christmas holidays, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, with remark.——No objection seen by the Board for extension of the period of Mr. F. Foulkes, special duty in the Cochin Sirkar, for one month and a half.——	15th Jan., ,, 39, Mis. 13th Mar., ,, 248, Mis. 24th ,, ,, 281, Mis.

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Government Order sanctioning the extension of Mr. Foulkes' period of special duty, recorded.	
Mr. H. F. Arbuthnot, Assistant Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.—Conservator's letter reporting on the training and work of, recorded.	15th Jan., F. No. 43, Mis.
to whom extensions of leave has been granted.—Government Order forwarding a list from the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, giving the names of, recorded.	19th „ „ 51, Mis.
Mr. E. I. D. Pierce.—Government Order stating that, should pay a proportionate share of the cost of his training at Dehra Dun in case he has to leave the Madras Forest service, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	21st „ „ 64, Mis.
Subordinate Executive and Protective staff of the Forest Department.—Government Order communicating Government of India letter sanctioning the scheme for the re-organization of the, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests with remarks.	20th Feb., „ 68, Mis.
Tinnevelly—D'Raze, late a Forester, dismissed from service.—Government Order declining to interfere in petition from, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Revised petition of Mr. D'Raze, submitted to Government with remark.——Government Order stating that Government sees no reason to reconsider the orders already passed in the matter, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	20th Jan., „ 62, Mis. 22nd April, „ 357, Mis. 26th May, „ 498, Mis.
Gódávari—N. Sundaram, late a Forester.—Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, appealing against his dismissal from service, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	26th Jan., „ 84, Mis.
Mr. E. P. Popert, Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.—Government requested to permit, to spend three months of the hot weather at Ootacamund.——Government Order sanctioning the arrangement, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.——Government Order directing that Mr. Popert's presence and that of his establishment at Ootacamund is required for only two months, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	2nd Feb., „ 106, Mis. 29th Mar., „ 289, Mis. 27th May, „ 506, Mis.
Mr. C. P. Howell, Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests. Board not prepared to provide employment for, elsewhere and that he should look out for one himself.	8th Feb., „ 119, Mis.
Coimbatore—Devanayagam Pillai, late temporary Forest Supervisor.—Petition from, appealing against the order of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dismissing him from his post, Board declines to interfere in, and sees no reason to make any change in the rules regarding grant of copies.	8th „ „ 121, Mis.
Mr. Eber Hardie, District Forest-officer of Bellary.—Government Order communicating to the Board the	11th „ „ 139, Mis.

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decision of the Travancore Durbar that it cannot accept service of, on the terms proposed by him, communicated to Collector of Bellary for intimation to Mr. Eber Hardie.	
Madura—Mr. Rouse, Deputy Ranger.—Government Order cancelling the Conservator's acceptance of the resignation of, and ordering that the charges of inefficiency and misconduct to which he appears to have laid himself open, should be dealt with on their merits, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for information and guidance.	16th Feb., F. No. 153, Mis.
Ranger's class—Certain promotion made in the, in the vacancy of Mr. Stafford.—Stated that the Board cannot accept Mr. Hooper's proposal that the Presidency list of rangers should be circulated to all rangers.—Further remarks and considered that promotion should as a rule be given in the order of seniority irrespective of the Circle in which the men happen to serve.	26th „ „ 195, Mis.
Mr. H. Tapp of the Forest Department.—Loan of the services of, to the Court of Wards.—Proceedings of the Court of Wards Department communicating Government Order on letter from the Government of India sanctioning the, recorded.	26th „ „ 197, Mis.
Chingleput—Syed Jaffer, Forest guard, should be reinstated in his post with arrears of pay stated with remarks.—Application for payment of arrears of pay due to, submitted for the orders of Government.——Government Order sanctioning payment, communicated.	9th Mar., „ 229, Mis. 22nd April, „ 362, Mis. 21st May, „ 468, Mis.
Mr. Jackson.—Offer of appointment made to Government Order communicating letter from the Chief Commissioner, Burma, withdrawing the, and stating that his services are not required communicated to Collector of Tinnevelly for communication to Mr. Jackson.	18th „ „ 260, Mis.
Mr. C. P. Howell, Sub-Assistant Conservator of Forests.—Certain charges of misconduct and bad work preferred against, while on duty in South Canara.—Orders passed on,——Letter from Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, reporting on the work of, recorded.——Conservator requested to send further report.	22nd „ „ 270, Mis. 8th Oct., „ 1030, Mis.
Forest Rangers. — Promotions made in the several grade of,—Certain information called for by Government, submitted to Government.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings No. 641, dated 1st July 1897.	26th Mar., „ 133. 1st July, „ 641, Mis. 19th Aug., „ 834, Mis.
Vizagapatam — S. Arokiasami Pillai, Forest Ranger, should be required to appear before the District Medical officer and to obtain a further certificate as to his fitness for duty.	6th April, „ 313, Mis.
Malayapillai, Ranger, Wilson, Forester.—Petitions from, appealing against the orders of the Conservator dismissing them from service.——Orders passed on,——Malayapillai's appeal to Government, submitted to Government.	6th „ „ 316, Mis. 16th July, „ 703, Mis. 27th Sept., „ 981, Mis. 9th Oct., „ 1039, Mis.

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——Government Order commuting the order of dismissal into one of removal from service, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.—— Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, intimating that his order dismissing, has been commuted into one of removal from service, submitted to Government for information.	
Kurnool — Mr. Fischer to hold charge of the district during the absence of Mr. Lodge on privilege leave.	7th April, F No. 326, Mis.
Madura—Bagyam Pillai, late a Forester.—Petition from, appealing against the orders of the Board and the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dismissing him from the service, submitted to Government with remarks. ——Government Order directing that the previous order of dismissal be commuted into removal from service, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for intimation to the petitioner.	21st ,, ,, 350, Mis. 28th May, ,, 509, Mis.
Malabar — District, for the time being of the North Malabar division.—Grant of a Wynaad allowance of Rs. 100 to the,—Government Order resolving to address the Government of India requesting the, recorded.	21st April, ,, 353, Mis.
Mr. H. A. Gass, Deputy Conservator of Forests.—Extensions of terms of special duty of,—Government Order communicating to the Board of Revenue and the Accountant-General despatch from the Secretary of State regarding the, recorded.	22nd ,, ,, 361, Mis.
Messrs. J. W. Ryan and C. V. Ryan, Forest Rangers, transferred from this Presidency to the Burma Government.—Southern Circle Conservator's letter requesting that the Burma Government may be addressed with a view to enquire whether, have passed the test in the Burmese and pending which their names are retained in the establishment list of the Southern Circle, submitted to Government with remarks.—— Government Order desiring to know the exact circumstances under which Mr. C. V. Ryan's services were transferred to Burma and that his lien on Madras appointment will not be forfeited until he was confirmed in Burma, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for report.——Conservator's report, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the grant of a lien to Mr. C. V. Ryan in this Presidency, until he is confirmed in Burma and requesting to report on the question of the recovery of a portion of the cost of his training at Dehra Dun School, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for report.——Letter from Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, furnishing the information called for by Government, submitted to Government. —— Government Order stating that the question of recovery from the Burmese Government of the proportionate cost cannot at present be raised, communicated to Conservator.	23rd ,, ,, 364, Mis. 13th May, ,, 434, Mis. 14th June, ,, 547, Mis. 7th Aug., ,, 784, Mis. 22nd Sept., ,, 958, Mis. 1st Dec., ,, 1238, Mis.
Kurnool—Forest Ranger K. Rama Row.—Collector's letter recommending that, may be fined half a month's pay for neglecting his duties and for doing bad work.—Orders passed on,	29th April, ,, 379, Mis.

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Government Order communicating despatch from Secretary of State stating that Mr. Gass will return from special duty on the 6th April, recorded.	4th May, F. No. 396, Mis.
Draft list of promotions submitted by Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, approved. — Adoption of a general list of Rangers for the Presidency for regulating promotions, considered desirable. — Conservators requested to submit a list of Rangers deserving promotion. —— Regarding proposals for promotion of Rangers, orders passed.	4th „ „ 398, Mis. 1st July, „ 639, Mis.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requesting permission for the retention of one V. S. Subramania Aiyar as Forester until the results of Hand-writing Test are announced, submitted to Government. —— Government Order exempting, communicated to Collector.	5th May, „ 399, Mis. 20th „ „ 463, Mis.
The transfers of Rangers N. Armuga Mudaliar and P. Venkatakrishnama Naidu to the Central and Southern Circles, approved.	11th „ „ 424, Mis.
Northern Circle Conservator's proposals for exempting certain Rangers, Deputy Rangers, &c., from passing the prescribed examinations previous to promotions.—Orders passed on, —— Other Conservators requested to send similar proposals. —— Mr. Hooper's remarks regarding the exemption of certain Deputy Rangers from passing the Forestry Test, referred to Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, for remarks.——Papers relating to the above, orders passed on,	17th „ „ 445, Mis. 30th June, „ 629, Mis. 29th July, „ 756, Mis.
Coimbatore—Letter from the Collector requesting publication of a notification declaring Bismilla Sahib, late forest guard in the Kollegal range, ineligible for further employment in public service, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order issuing an amended notification regarding, communicated to Collector of Coimbatore.	2nd June, „ 517, Mis. 25th „ „ 613, Mis.
The Collectors have power to incur forest expenditure, stated with remarks.	3rd „ „ 529, Mis.
Mr. Howell, Forest Ranger.—Medical certificate of, forwarded to Surgeon-General to state if he can arrange for Mr. Howell's medical examination by a Medical Board to see if he is fit for out-door work.—Surgeon-General requested.	10th „ „ 542, Mis.
That the Board is unable to support Mr. Hooper's proposals for the appointment of the Manager of his office as a Ranger, first grade, stated.	17th „ „ 573, Mis.
Mr. O'Leary's special duty in Ganjám of demarcating agency boundary.—The Board desires he should resume. —Collector requested to report on to permit the officer to resume his work, Government requested.——Collector requested to report on the work already done.—— Government Order requesting the Board to submit a report on the, communicated to Collector of Ganjám and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.——Papers relating to, submitted to Government with reference	8th Mar., „ 220, Mis. 6th April, „ 318, Mis. 20th May, „ 464, Mis. 17th June, „ 577, Mis. 24th July, „ 745, Mis. 6th Sept., „ 896, Mis.

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to its order No. 2471, Mis., dated 14th May 1897.—Government Order requesting sanction of Government of India for the deputation of, for the special duty, recorded. —— Government Order communicating to the Board letter from Government of India stating that its sanction is not necessary for the deputation of Mr. O'Leary, communicated to the Collector of Ganjám and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	
McIntosh should proceed to Cuddapah from Ganjám, wired to Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	19th June, F. No. 587, Mis.
Mr. Wilson, late Forester, Tinnevelly.—Memorial of, appealing against the decision of the Board regarding his dismissal from public service, submitted to Government with remarks.——Government Order passing orders on the memorial, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	24th „ „ 602, Mis. 24th Sept., „ 978, Mis.
Letter from Southern Circle Conservator regarding certain dismissed officers in the Circle, recorded pending further report that the Board is not aware that Doraisawmi Pillai has appealed to Government and that neither appeal petition nor Government Order thereon has passed through the Board, stated.——Southern Circle Conservator's endorsement forwarding Mr. Eber Hardie's letter enclosing receipt for Rs. 1,174-14-9 from the Bank of Madras being surety money for Mr. W. B. Jackson, recorded. —— Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, No. 603, Mis., dated 24th June 1897, recorded.——To state the case of D. Dorasawmi Pillai succinctly and fully.——Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requested.——Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, stating that the first surety of D. Doraisawmi Pillai has since paid Rs. 832-1-0, the cost of the Forester's training at the Forest School, and that the bond and agreement have been cancelled, recorded.	24th June, „ 603, Mis. 12th July, „ 682, Mis. 12th „ „ 684, Mis. 14th Oct., „ 1061, Mis. 3rd Nov., „ 1134, Mis.
Mr. C. E. Brasier, Deputy Conservator of Forests, has been permitted to return to duty before the expiry of his leave, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	28th June, „ 619, Mis.
Mr. Moss, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests. — Correspondence relating to the transfer of the head-quarters of, from Dharmapuri to Denkanikota.—Orders passed on,	13th July, „ 687, Mis.
Mr. Batchelor, District Forest-officer, Cuddapah.—Report from the Collector regarding the head-quarters of, submitted to Government.——Government Order declaring with remarks the town of Cuddapah to have been the head-quarters of, when employed in the district, communicated to Collector of Cuddapah and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.——Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requesting the Board to fix Cuddapah as the head-quarters of, instead of Madanapalle, submitted for the orders of Government.——Government Order approving and sanctioning the recommendation of the Collector to fix the head-quarters, communicated to the Collector of Cuddapah and the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	21st April, „ 355, Mis. 22nd May, „ 476, Mis. 27th July, „ 749, Mis. 18th Aug., „ 827, Mis.

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Gódávari—Delegation of some of the powers of District Forest-officer to the Sub-Divisional officer, Bhadráchalam.—Papers relating to, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the delegation of powers, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	8th July, F. No. 669, Mis. 14th Aug., „ 349.
Government Order ordering that the Government of India be addressed with a view to the recovery of the proportionate cost of the training at Dehra Dun from the Government of Burma of two officers, transferred to Burma, recorded.	9th July, „ 677, Mis.
Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Financial Department making certain additions and alterations affecting Conservator of Forests in the table of powers of sanction proposed by the Accountant-General, recorded.	6th April, „ 321, Mis.
North Arcot—The transfer of the head-quarters of the District Forest-officer from Vellore to Chittoor.—The Board declined to recommend,	3rd Aug., „ 768, Mis.
Tinnevelly—M.R.Ry.V.S. Gurunatha Pillay, Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests.—Complaints against, in connection with the seizure of a cart and a pair of bullocks on the Papanasam forest road, submitted for the orders of Government.——That the complaint against, has been submitted to Government and that the compromise between him and the Forest Department with regard to the Serviar ferry and the new Papanasam road has been sanctioned.——Informed Revd. Father Caussanel.——Government Order declining to sanction the prosecution of, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	5th „ „ 777, Mis. 11th „ „ 801, Mis. 6th Oct., „ 1015, Mis.
S. V. Manual.—Deputy Ranger's dismissal for misconduct and habitual neglect of duty.— Board declined to interfere in the matter of,	7th Aug., „ 785, Mis.
Mr. Foulkes, District Forest-officer, Nellore.—His attention drawn to rule 7 of the rules regulating the personal conduct of public servants with reference to his acquisition of large areas in the district.	10th „ „ 797, Mis.
to empower Assistant Conservators, Extra Assistant Conservators of Forests and Sub-Divisional officers to issue summons, receive and record evidence.—Government sanction requested.——Government Order ordering publication of the notification empowering, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 409, dated 23rd September 1897, recorded.——To issue a revised notification investing Assistant and Extra Assistant Conservators of Forests with power to issue search warrants, Government requested.——Government Order directing the publication of a notification investing the Assistant and Extra Assistant Conservators of Forests, with the powers, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests in modification of Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 409, dated 23rd September 1897.	14th „ „ 809, Mis. 23rd Sept., „ 409. 16th Oct., „ 1075, Mis. 29th „ „ 1118, Mis. 29th Nov., „ 518.

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Mr. J. W. Cherry, Conservator of Forests.—Government Order recording memorandum from Public Department stating that, has been granted an extension of leave for three months, recorded.	14th Aug., F. No. 810, Mis.
The fact of a candidate having passed with honours in subsidiary subjects only should not be entered in the list of officers and subordinates, stated.	4th Sept., „ 891, Mis.
Hari Rao, late Deputy Ranger, Kanigiri range, in the Nellore district.—Appeal petition from, praying for restoration to his former appointment, submitted to Government.——Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of, recorded.	14th „ „ 926, Mis. 19th Oct., „ 1083, Mis.
V. R. Durgiah Naidu, late depot storekeeper, North Arcot.—Government Order declining to reconsider the petition from, communicated to Collector for intimation to the petitioner.	18th Sept., „ 943, Mis.
Records of T. Kondal Naidu, late Forester, Northern Circle.—Afford ample evidence of his incompetence stated.——The order of dismissal changed into one of removal from service.——Board declined to order re-employment of T. Kondal Naidu.	7th Oct., „ 1021, Mis. 10th Nov., „ 1158, Mis.
To report the dates on which, hand over charge and return to duty while proceeding on leave.—All Forest-officers requested with reference to section 59 of the Forest Code.	7th Sept., „ 902, Mis.
Letter from Mr. Bryant, District Forest-officer, Tinnevelly, requesting that Government may be moved to appoint an officer to act in the third grade of Deputy Conservator *Vice* Mr. P. M. Lushington from the date of Mr. Lushington's departure to that of Mr. Brasier's return.—Orders passed on,	10th „ „ 915, Mis.
Mr. Stracy, Deputy Ranger, Northern Circle,—Board cannot accept Conservator's proposal to allow, to draw pay of a Ranger while at the Forest School, Dehra Dun.—Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, informed.	8th Oct., „ 1033, Mis.
Board's proposals for completing the lists A and B mentioned in Government of India resolution issuing instructions for the grant of exchange compensation allowance to certain, submitted to Government.	12th „ „ 1053, Mis.
Maduranayagam Pillai, Ranger, first grade,—Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requesting sanction for the payment of charge allowance of Rs. 50 to, when held charge of South Arcot District Forest-office, submitted to Government.——To move Government of India to issue an addendum to Civil Service Regulations, Government requested. —— That the Board's proposal in the above Proceedings related to the grant of charge allowance to Rangers placed in temporary charge of District Forest-office stated and the delay in Mr. Peake's taking charge of the District Forest-office, South Arcot, explained.	12th „ „ 1054, Mis. 1st Dec., „ 1234, Mis.
Godávari—Papers relating to the proposed transfer of the District Forest-officer's head-quarters from Cocoanada	20th Oct., „ 1087, Mis. 11th Dec., „ 1272.

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to Rajahmundry, submitted to Governmentwith Board's recommendation.——Government Order sanctioning the proposed transfer for one year and requesting to report on the transfer at the end of one year,communicated to the Collector.	
Mr. Tapp, Ranger.—Letter from the Agent to Governor, Vizagapatam, requesting further retention for three years from 1st January 1898 in the Jeypore estate and to pay Rs. 200 per month, submitted to Government.	23rd Oct., F. No. 1098, Mis.
Petition from M. Narasinga Rao, late Tanadar, Kurnool, praying for reinstatement in his post.—Board declined to interfere in the matter of, to proceed with the charge against Mr. Newman, Ranger or to drop it as not proved. —Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requested.	3rd Nov., „ 1133, Mis.
Srinivasa Chamberlain, Ranger. Southern Circle.—Enquiry into the conduct of,—Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requested to re-open.	8th „ „ 1153, Mis.
T. S. Venugopala Iyer.—Correspondence relating to the promotion of, tour clerk, Northern Circle Conservator's office to a fourth grade Ranger's place recorded pending receipt of Government Order on Board's Proceedings, No. 475 of 1st November 1897.	10th „ „ 1164, Mis.
Government Order communicating Government of India letter regarding the proposed transfer of vacancies in the Imperial Forest Service to the Provincial Service, communicated to the Collectors of Bellary and Chingleput for the information of their respective District Forest-officers.	24th „ „ 1220, Mis.
Proposals for the future recruitment and promotion of, in the Subordinate Forest Service, submitted with remarks for the acceptance of Government and copy of the Board's Proceedings, communicated to the Inspector-General of Forests to the Government of India.	26th „ „ 510.
That power may be delegated to Conservators of Forests to grant or refuse travelling allowance to Forest guards for journeys on transfer, recommended to Government.	8th Dec., „ 1260, Mis.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, regarding the confirmation of Mr. J. W. Ryan as Extra Assistant Conservator of Forests in Burma, submitted to Government with the request that the Government of Burma may be addressed on the subject.	15th „ „ 1292, Mis
Northern Circle Conservator's letter regarding the competency of Mr. Fischer to hold charge of a district and his promotion, recorded.	15th „ „ 1298, Mis.
Proposal to transfer the Madura District Forest-officer's head-quarters from Madura to Kodaikanal, submitted for the favourable consideration of Government.	17th „ „ 555.
FOREST SCHOOL.	
Cost of training in,—Mr. Pierce to pay proportionate, in case he wishes to leave the Madras Forest service.	21st Jan., „ 64, Mis. 29th July, „ 755, Mis.

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Madura Collector's letter stating that Mr. Pierce has paid Rs. 311-6-0 being the proportionate cost of training him at Dehra Dun, submitted for the information of Government.	
Grant of stipends to students of the Dehra Dun.—Circular from the Inspector-General of Forests on the subject of, communicated to Conservators of Forests with a request to send their reply direct to the Inspector-General sending copy of it to the Board for information.	16th Feb., F. No. 157, Mis.
Candidates who are to be sent up to the, during the year.—Government Order communicating letter from the Director, Forest school, requesting to be informed as to the number of, communicated to Conservator of Forests with a request to furnish the information direct to the Director.	10th Mar., „ 235, Mis.
Private students deputed to the, at Dehra Dun from their Circles.—Conservators' endorsements forwarding copy of their letters to the Inspector-General of Forests regarding a list of the names of, recorded.	6th April, „ 322, Mis.
Passed private students of the Dehra Dun.—Circular from the Inspector-General of Forests relative to the, who are desirous of obtaining employment in the Forest Department, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	29th „ „ 378, Mis.
Copies of the resolutions passed by the Board of Control of the Imperial, at Dehra Dun for 1897-98.—Government Order communicating, communicated to Conservators for report.——Conservators' letters reporting that the standard of English at the entrance examination at Dehra Dun should be raised and that candidates should undergo practical training for a period of not less than six months, submitted to Government.——Government Order concurring with the Board's views regarding the raising of the standard of English, recorded.	12th July, „ 685, Mis. 5th Aug., „ 775, Mis. 31st „ „ 868, Mis.
Government Order communicating to the Board circular from the Government of India regarding vaccination of students attending the Imperial, at Dehra Dun, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	7th „ „ 339.
The fact of a candidate having passed with honours in subsidiary subjects only, should not be entered in the list of Forest officers and Subordinates, stated.	4th Sept., „ 891, Mis.
Circular from the Director of Imperial, soliciting the favour of information with regard to the requirement of the Madras Presidency in respect of the number of studentships of each class to be allotted thereto in 1898, communicated to Conservators for report.—Reports from Conservators, submitted to Government with Board's remarks.——Board's reply to the Government Order on the above regarding the exemption of students proceeding to Dehra Dun from agebar, &c.——Submitted with the request that Government will be pleased to sanction the deputation of all the individuals for training, excepting Mr. Gaudoin for whom the sanction of the Government of India for exemption from the rule requiring three	8th „ „ 906, Mis. 29th Oct., „ 1115, Mis. 23rd Nov., „ 1215, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 1275, Mis. 13th „ „ 1276, Mis.

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years' service in the executive, requested to be obtained.——Government Order passing orders on the question of the exemption from the agebar, &c., of certain officers proposed to be sent to the Dehra Dun, communicated to the Conservators of Forests. —— Government Order communicating telegram from the Government of India exempting Mr. Gaudoin from the three years' rule, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	
Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India communicating remarks on the progress report of the Imperial, Dehra Dun for 1896-97, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	12th Nov., F. No. 1170, Mis.
Government Order, Educational Department, exempting A. G. Jesudasan Pillai from the Forestry Test and of R. S. Thomas from the Forestry and Departmental Tests, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	18th Dec., " 1303, Mis.
FOREST SETTLEMENT.	
Ganjám — of certain blocks in the district. — Mr. Lushington's report on the, orders passed on.—Mr. Lushington requested to supply certain missing records and rectify all defects before submission to the Board.	21st Jan., " 66, Mis.
work done by the Special Forest Settlement-officers for the quarter ending 30th September 1896.—Board's Proceedings submitting review of the, recorded by Government.——Review of work for the quarter ending 31st December 1896, submitted to Government with remark.——Government Order recording the review for the quarter ending 31st December 1896, communicated to Collectors, Conservators of Forests and Forest Settlement-officers.——Board's review of the work for the quarter ending 31st March 1897, submitted to Government.——Government Order recording the Board's review, recorded.——Board's review of the work for the quarter ending 30th June 1897, submitted to Government.—— Government Order recording with remarks Board's review, recorded with remarks.	28th " " 94, Mis. 11th Mar., " 100. 17th May, " 196. 10th June, " 543, Mis. 26th Aug., " 369. 21st Sept., " 952, Mis.
Kurnool—of certain blocks in the district.—Draft notification for the transfer of, to Mr. R. H. L. Lushington, submitted to Government for approval and early publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	19th Feb., " 165, Mis. 25th " " 186, Mis.
—duty.—Posting of the officer deputed to, from the Revenue Survey Department.—Proposal for the, submitted to Government with remark.——Stated that Board has no objection to have Mr. Gompertz instead of Mr. Hasted.——Letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, informing the Board that survey budget provides only one month's pay to the survey officer to be deputed for Forest Settlement duty, submitted to Government.——That the salary of the survey officers deputed to Forest Settlement duty should be provided	24th " " 183, Mis. 8th Mar., " 221, Mis. 13th " " 250, Mis. 23rd April, " 368, Mis.

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by Survey Department for at least first three months of their training, suggested to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Gompertz of the Madras Survey as, in place of M.R.Ry. P. S. Singaravelu Pillai, communicated to Conservators of Forests, Southern and Central Circles, and the Collectors concerned.	
Cuddapah—of Nurukapalakonda and Merella blocks.—Collector's letter requesting orders for re-opening the, to enable the Forest Settlement-officer to adjudicate upon two fresh claims, submitted to Government.—Considered that the simplest way of dealing with the claimants is to grant them pattas under section 18 of the Forest Act.—A draft notification accordingly, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification communicated.	23rd Mar., F. No. 276, Mis. 26th April, „ 167.
Kurnool—Records missing.—Collector's letter reporting having replaced certain, and stating that it is impossible to replace certain others, recorded.	30th April, „ 388, Mis.
Draft notification for the transfer of blocks in the Trichinopoly, &c., districts to Mr. Gompertz, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order on the above, communicated.	4th May, „ 397, Mis. 27th „ „ 507, Mis.
Certain A registers.—Collectors of Cuddapah and North Arcot requested to direct the return of,—Transfer of, work in South Arcot to Mr. K. Ganapayya.—Notification for, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector and Forest Settlement-officer, North Arcot, &c., districts.	30th April, „ 383, Mis. 3rd June, „ 528, Mis.
Draft notification for the transfer of certain blocks in the Kistna district from E. A. Smith to Mr. R. H. L. Lushington, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—Revised draft notification transferring certain blocks in Kistna and Eastern Nallamalai block II in Kurnool, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Letter from Forest Settlement-officer, Nellore, &c., districts, reporting that five of the blocks proposed to be transferred to Mr. R. H. L. Lushington, have already been inspected by him, recorded.——His proposal to transfer certain other blocks, approved.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, submitted with Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 859, Mis., dated 30th August 1897, communicated to the Collectors of Kistna, Kurnool and the Forest Settlement-officers concerned.	19th Aug., „ 836, Mis. 30th „ „ 859, Mis. 31st „ „ 870, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 921, Mis.
Circular regarding the sending of A registers to District Forest-officers for their answers, issued.—To submit a return showing the number of blocks with regard to which enquiries were held by Forest Settlement-officers during the last official year and the number of enquiries at which District Forest-officer was present, Collectors requested.——Collectors' reports, recorded with remarks.	6th May, „ 191. 14th Aug., „ 348.

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Kurnool—The appeal memoranda against the decisions of Forest Settlement-officers should bear a stamp of Rs. 10 under article 17, clause VI, schedule II of the Court Fees Act VII of 1870.—Collector informed,	31st Aug., F. No. 869, Mis.
Chingleput—Letter from the Collector enquiring whether certain blocks should be formally transferred to M.R.Ry. Ganapayya Garu present Forest Settlement-officer, for the execution of a decree in a case settled by Mr. Pinto, his predecessor.—Orders passed on, to obtain Mr. Pinto's explanation.—Collector of South Canara requested.	20th Sept., „ 949, Mis.
Board's review of the work done by the Special Forest Settlement-officers for the quarter ending 30th September 1897, submitted to Government. — Government Order recording the above, recorded.	10th Nov., „ 480. 13th Dec., „ 1281, Mis.
Orders on the admission of belated claims in blocks under settlement. — Board declined to reconsider its, with the remark that the Forest Settlement-officer has discretion to admit or reject time-barred claims and that the above discretion should be so exercised as to ensure the due consideration of all *bonâ fide* claims, whenever presented.	29th Nov., „ 1229, Mis.
Letter from the Special Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara districts, regarding the treatment of technically debarred claims.—Orders passed on the,	14th Dec., „ 1285, Mis.
FOREST SETTLEMENT-OFFICERS.	
Exemption of, from the operation of taking out shooting licenses while on duty in forests.—Government Order accepting Board's recommendation for, communicated to officers concerned.	6th Jan., „ 3.
Mr. E. A. Smith, Nellore, &c., districts.—Collector's letter recommending that, may be authorized to take down evidence in his own writing in the English language, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 1633, Mis., dated 17th December 1896.——Collector's letter reporting upon the knowledge of Malayalam possessed by, Mr. H. S. Mullins, Special Forest Settlement-officer, recorded.——Collector of South Canara furnished with a copy of Board's Proceedings, No. 90, Mis., with instructions and remarks. ——Government Order auhorizing Mr. E. A. Smith, K. Ganapayya and P. S. Singaravalu Pillai, Special, Forest Settlement-officers, to take down evidence in their own hand in the English language, communicated to Forest Settlement-officers.	11th „ „ 24, Mis. 27th „ „ 90, Mis. 10th Feb., „ 130, Mis. 19th „ „ 67.
Probable date of arrival and object of visit of a,—Forest Settlement-officer should invariably intimate to the Collector of a district concerned of the,—North Arcot Forest Settlement-officer's letter stating that he gave previous intimation of his movements to the District Forest officer of Salem prior to his arrival in the district, recorded.	15th Mar., „ 109.

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Mr. Mullins, Malabar and South Canara.—Letter from, requesting that he may be permitted to take evidence in his own hand in English language, submitted to Government.	17th Mar., F. No. 258, Mis.
The transfer of Forest Settlement work in South Arcot to Mr. Ganapayya.—Notification for, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the notification, communicated to Collector of South Arcot and Forest Settlement-officer, North Arcot, &c., districts.	30th April, „ 383, Mis. 3rd June, „ 528, Mis.
Mr. Gompertz, Trichinopoly, &c., districts.—Draft notification for the transfer of blocks in Trichinopoly, &c., districts, to, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——The Board not prepared to recommend, to go on tour with Mr. R. H. L. Lushington.—The Board has no objection to his consulting M.R.Ry. K. Ganapayya Garu, stated. —— Government Order approving the notification of transfer, communicated to Mr. Gompertz and the Collectors concerned.	4th May, „ 397. 21st „ „ 467, Mis. 27th „ „ 507, Mis.
The retention of the services of Mr. R. H. L. Lushington, Ganjám, &c., districts, is not worth an outlay of Rs. 13,590.—Government informed,——Government Order passing orders on the question of promotion in the Survey Department of certain survey officers appointed as Special Forest Settlement-officers, communicated to Messrs. Lushington and Mullins.	22nd „ „ 474, Mis. 9th July, „ 675, Mis.
Kurnool — Mr. R. H. L. Lushington, Ganjám, &c., districts.—Letter from, complaining against the Board's stricture of his action in the settlement of certain proposed reserves in the Kurnool district. — Orders passed on,	28th June, „ 616, Mis.
Mr. Mullins, Malabar and South Canara.—Certain papers relating to the promotion of, in the Survey Department, submitted to Government.——Government Order recording with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 675, Mis., dated 9th July 1897, relating to the promotion of survey officers employed as, recorded.——Letter from the Superintendent, Revenue Survey, stating that none of the survey officers employed as Forest Settlement-officers can for 15 years to come expect to draw Rs. 500, recorded. —— Letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, showing how Mr. Lushington has been affected by his transfer to Forest Settlement duty, submitted to Government for information.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, No. 770, Mis., dated 3rd August 1897, recorded.	3rd July, „ 643, Mis. 22nd „ „ 734, Mis. 30th „ „ 759, Mis. 3rd Aug., „ 770, Mis. 31st „ „ 873, Mis.
Mr. Mullins, Malabar and South Canara.—Letter from, requesting that Government may be moved to consider his claims to promotion or to grant him a personal allowance, submitted to Government for orders.	28th Oct., „ 1108, Mis.
Draft notification investing Mr. Mullins, Special, Malabar and South Canara districts, with powers to take down evidence in the English language and in his own handwriting in Forest Settlement cases arising in the Malabar district, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the draft notification, recorded.	22nd Nov., „ 1214, Mis. 15th Dec., „ 1296, Mis.

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—No. 33 of the Forest Code (Second Edition).—Reprint of, ordered after substituting for the sub-heads under B. III Contingencies those furnished by the Accountant-General.—Accountant-General's letter stating that the arrangement follows that adopted in Forest budget for 1897-98 by the Board, communicated to Collectors and Conservators of Forests.——Re-arrangement of sub-heads, submitted for sanction of Government.——Government Order approving the re-arrangement, recorded.	20th Feb., F. No. 75. 13th April, ,, 155. 26th May, ,, 206.
—in which estimates for fire-protection should be submitted.—Orders passed on Coimbatore Collector's letter soliciting instructions regarding the,—Stated that it is for the Conservator of Forests to decide the form.	25th Feb., ,, 192, Mis.
—No. 41 A.—Considered that there is no necessity to alter the headings of, as suggested by the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, that confiscated material should be in form No. 4 only when brought to forest or sale depot.—Board agrees with the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, that the code forms Nos. 11 and 12 are unsuitable for released property.—Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requested to suggest in communication with the other Conservators of Forests, a form of receipt for this kind of produce.——An addendum to section 246 of the Forest Code regarding, of receipt for released produce, issued. — Government sanction therefor, solicited. —— Government Order approving and sanctioning the amendment, recorded.	24th Mar., ,, 126. 25th June, ,, 609, Mis. 16th July, ,, 290.
Revised, for the return to be furnished to the registering officers of lands acquired under Act I of 1894 (India) and Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), prescribing a, recorded.	10th April, ,, 337, Mis.
—No. 13 of the Forest Code is intended to show all the transactions pertaining to the district as a whole.—Southern Circle Conservator's surmise is correct, stated, Government sanction solicited for certain amendment.——Government Order approving the amendment, recorded that correction slips will issue separately, stated.	28th ,, ,, 170. 2nd June, ,, 217.
Northern Circle Conservator's suggestion that alteration memorandum affecting forest remittances should be signed by District Forest-officers before their submission by Treasury officers, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	15th May, ,, 194.
Government Order communicating to the Board circular from Government of India for adoption and entry in the body of the provincial reports of the Forest administration in India, of three forms regarding breaches of Forest Rules, cases of offences by fire and origin of forest fires, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators.	10th July, ,, 274.
returns of free grants of timber and of live-stock should be submitted quarterly instead of monthly as at present, stated. —— Government Order approving the Board's proposal, recorded.	4th Aug., ,, 328. 24th Sept., ,, 414.

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FORM—*cont.*	1897.
North, Arcot—Suggestions of the Collector to delete certain instructions printed on the reverse of Form No. 25-A (Travelling Allowance Bill of Ministerial officers), approved.—That the entry of one anna as the rate of mileage admissible to Forest guards and peons will be deleted when the form is next printed, stated.	29th Oct., F. No. 1117, Mis.
The procedure to be observed in reporting forest offences.—Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly and the Board's observations thereon in regard to, circulated to all Collectors for remarks.	8th Nov., „ 479.
FURNITURE.	
Malabar and South Canara—Certain, required for the office of the Special Forest Settlement-officer. — Purchase of, at a cost of Rs. 94-4-0, sanctioned.	16th Feb., „ 151, Mis.
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GAME.	
Exemption from taking out licenses for shooting, of Special Forest Settlement-officers and officers of the Survey of India Party on duty in forests.—Government Order accepting Board's recommendation for, except in the Nilgiri district, communicated to all Collectors, Conservators of Forests, Special Forest Settlement-officers and Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India.——Government requested to include Sub-Assistant Superintendent of the Survey of India Department may be included under the exemption and the notification altered accordingly.——Government Order ordering publication of an erratum to the notification already published so as to extend the privilege of free shooting to Sub-Assistant Superintendent of the Survey of India Party No. 19, communicated to all Collectors, Conservators and Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India No. 19 Party.	6th Jan., „ 3. 4th Feb., „ 112, Mis. 24th Mar., „ 127.
—rules.—Notification containing the,—Government Order requesting the Government Translators to translate the, into the several vernaculars and send the translations at an early date to the Superintendent, Government Press, recorded.	19th Jan., „ 54, Mis.
Nilgiris—rules sanctioned for the district under sections 21 and 26 of the Forest Act.—Draft notification forwarding the, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Revised draft notification called for by Government regarding killing of Sambhur in reserved forests adjoining certain private estates, submitted to Government. —— Government Order approving the revised notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	27th „ „ 89, Mis. 25th June, „ 608, Mis. 11th Aug., „ 345.
Tinnevelly—Collector's proposal to levy a fee for fishing in the backwaters in the Kottamadaki reserve, submitted to Government.—Memorandum from Government requesting the Board to report on certain points, communicated to the Collector.——The Collector's letter in regard to the levy of fees, submitted to Government.	23rd June, „ 597, Mis. 22nd July, „ 736, Mis. 9th Dec., „ 1266, Mis.

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GAME—*cont.*	1897.
Nilgiris—Government Order approving draft errata in respect of the notification regarding the, and Fish Preservation Act, communicated to Collector and Conservator.	6th Oct., F. No. 1016, Mis.
Sanction of Government is not required in the case of ibex shooting and the Collector can act under the authority given him in rule 7 of the, rules, stated. —— Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 1017, Mis., dated 6th October 1897, recorded.	6th " " 1017, Mis. 21st " " 1092, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), communicating Government Order stating that the Resident in Mysore will be informed the fishing at the dam and in the channel in the Begur reserve must be prohibited, recorded.	11th " " 1049, Mis.
GRASS.	
Whether the concession of free cutting of, referred to in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 1468, dated 11th November 1896, has been granted.—Collector of North Arcot requested to state,——Letter from the Collector stating that the concession of free cutting of, was not found to be generally necessary in the district, recorded, the concession should be continued throughout all tracts which have in any way suffered from drought and people should be encouraged to make use of the concession, stated.	6th Mar., " 215, Mis. 11th May, " 423, Mis.
Circular from the Inspector-General of Forests requesting to report the value of, removed in 1895–96 under rights or granted free or at reduced rates, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators.	30th Mar., " 135.
Kistna—Certain points in connection with the reservation of, lands in the Bapatla taluk.—Collector requested to report upon,——The question of reservation of certain lands in the Bapatla taluk.—Orders passed on,—— Further information on, ——Orders passed on,——Definite proposals for reserving, awaited.	15th June, " 557, Mis. 26th July, " 746, Mis. 26th Oct., " 1101, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Settlement) submitting to Government its reply to Government Order regarding the proposed importation of fodder into the Ceded districts for sale, recorded.	24th June, " 606, Mis.
GRAZING.	
South Arcot—fees.—Collector's letter reporting the circumstances under which the, were raised, submitted to Government, with remark that petitioners have no valid grievance for redress.—— Government Order stating that the request of petitioners cannot be complied with, recorded.	8th Jan., " 14, Mis. 29th " " 95, Mis.
fees.—Conclusions arrived at by the Madras Government in regard to question of levy of,—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India accepting the, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	15th " " 25.

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GRAZING—*cont.*	
	1897.
Vizagapatam—concessions.—Grant of, to ryots and grazers in the district.—Collector's proposals in regard to, approved. —— Board's Proceedings, recorded by Government.	11th Jan., F. No. 22, Mis. 27th „ „ 87, Mis.
South Arcot—Levy of enhanced rates of pound fees for goats trespassing on reserved forests in the Tiruvannámalai taluk. — Collector requested to submit a draft notification for,——Draft notification, submitted to Government.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated.	23rd „ „ 73, Mis. 3rd June, „ 527, Mis. 24th July, „ 309.
—in reserved forests.—Government Order approving with remarks draft rules and conditions for the regulation of grant of permits for, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators.—— Madura Collector's report that the maximum rates of, fees are being levied and collected without difficulty in his district, submitted to Government. —— Government Order approving the report, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	26th Feb., „ 83. 24th June, „ 600, Mis. 13th July, „ 693, Mis.
Nellore—Parcellaire system of, — Collector's proposals in regard to the introduction of the, into the district, accepted provisionally.	26th Feb., „ 202, Mis.
North Arcot — The raising of, fees near Pakala. — Collector requested to report upon, —— Letter from the, Collector regarding the same, recorded.	6th Mar., „ 215, Mis. 11th May, „ 423, Mis.
Letter from the Collector of Kistna enquiring as to what are the special tracts adopted for,—Orders passed on,	9th April, „ 150.
Kurnool—The proposals of the Collector to extend time for, permits from 31st March to 15th June 1897, approved.——Government Order recording the Board's Proceedings, recorded.	28th „ „ 374, Mis. 22nd May, „ 484, Mis.
Tinnevelly — Rotatory system of, introduced into the district.—Collector's report on the results of the, submitted to Government with reference to paragraph 11 of G. O., No. 143, dated 24th March 1896.——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, recorded.	28th April, „ 375, Mis. 22nd May, „ 489, Mis.
Kurnool—The admission of organised droves of cattle from other affected parts into the reserved forests of the district.—Instruction regarding, issued to Collector. —To make similar arrangements in their districts, Collectors of affected districts requested. —— Telegrams from the Collectors of Ceded districts reporting the areas closed to, recorded.——Telegrams from Collectors of Anantapur and Kurnool regarding forest reserves opened for free, in the, districts, recorded. —— Certain papers relating to free, in reserved forests in the affected tracts, recorded.——That all reserves should be left open to free, till the Collectors concerned can report that pasture outside the reserves is in normal state, stated.——The presumption of the Collector that goats should be excluded from free grazing in his district, Collector informed that it is correct.——The number of cattle in respect of which the concession granted in Board's Proceedings, Forest	4th „ „ 180. 27th „ „ 499, Mis. 2nd June, „ 519, Mis. 2nd „ „ 522, Mis. 23rd „ „ 593, Mis. 7th July, „ 662, Mis. 10th Sept., „ 913, Mis. 16th „ „ 937, Mis. 2nd Oct., „ 1006, Mis. 7th „ „ 1019, Mis. 14th „ „ 1062, Mis. 15th Nov., „ 1178, Mis.

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GRAZING—*cont.*	1897.
No. 180, dated 4th April 1897, was utilised, the Collector is requested to report.——Anantapur Collector's action in having closed the forests for free, from 31st October, approved, when the forests in their districts will be similary closed, certain Collectors requested to report. ——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 937, dated 16th September 1897, recorded. ——Bellary Collector's letter reporting that all the reserves have been directed to be closed to free, from 16th October 1897, recorded.—— To report the effect of opening reserves for free,—Collector of Anantapur requested —— Certain officers are directed to explain the delay in the submission.——Letter from the Collector of Anantapur forwarding reports from certain Deputy Collectors on the effect of the concession of opening reserves, recorded, with the remark that the delay in furnishing the information is discreditable to all officers concerned.	
Gódávari—Report regarding levy of, fees in the Rumpa forests, submitted to Government with reference to G.O., No. 396, dated 7th August 1897.—Government Order approving the report, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.——To report on the location of "Revenue stations," Collector requested.—— Collector's report called for, submitted to Government.	7th May, F. No. 412, Mis. 28th July, " 318, Mis. 19th Nov., " 1201, Mis.
North Arcot—Letter from the Collector regarding the increase to the rates of, fees, recorded.	11th May, " 423, Mis.
Proposals of the Collector of Coimbatore on the subject of the levy of enhanced, fees in special tracts in the Southern Circle.—The upland taluks of the Northern Division, submitted to Government for approval.—— Central Circle Conservator's proposals for the levy of enhanced, fees in special tracts, submitted to Government. —— Government Order approving the levy of enhanced fees in special tracts in Southern Circle, communicated to Collector of Coimbatore and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. —— Northern Circle Conservator's proposals to levy enhanced rate of, fees in special tracts in his Circle, submitted to Government. ——Government Order approving with remarks Central Circle Conservator's remarks, communicated to Collectors and Conservators.——Gódávari Collector's letter requesting for a reconsideration of the Board's orders in the matter of the levy of enhanced rates of grazing fees in certain reserves in the Gódávari district, submitted to Government.	17th " " 198. 8th July, " 27[illegible]. 9th Aug., " 34[illegible]. 1st Sept., " 38[illegible]. 14th Oct., " 450. 8th Dec., " 1261, Mis.
Cuddapah—There is no reason to admit Nellore cattle free to the reserved forests of Cuddapah, considered. —That no more than sanctioned rates be charged for any that may be admitted, stated.—To admit sheep free of charge, considered unnecessary.	18th June, " 580, Mis.
Nellore—Collector's proposals regarding, rules and postponement of colored permits, approved.	3rd July, " 645, Mis.
Report on the question of extending the parcellaire system of, to districts other than Kistna, submitted to Government. —— Government Order approving the report, recorded.	16th Aug., " 350. 9th Oct., " 439.

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GRAZING—*cont.*	1897.
Coimbatore—Letter from Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, opposing Collector's application for the continuance of the existing arrangements under which, is restricted to a limited number of cattle in the small reserves of certain taluks in the Northern Division. —Orders passed on,	23rd Sept., F. No. 968, Mis.
Chingleput—Complaints of the villagers of Agaram village about want of, ground for their cattle have been sufficiently met by allotting tank-bed and waste land of the adjoining village of Manapadi, stated.	30th " " 995, Mis.
Trichinopoly—An apparent inconsistency in his proposals for putting an end to the trespassing of semi-wild cattle into the Padugai lands.—Collector requested to reconcile,	29th Oct., " 1112, Mis.
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HORSES AND TENTS.	
Conveyance of horses by rail from Mettupalaiyam to Coimbatore.—Mr. E. D. M. Hooper's claims for the cost of,—Government Order considering that the Board of Revenue has rightly disallowed, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	6th Jan., " 2.
Bill of charges incurred by Mr. E. D. M. Hooper, Acting Conservator of Forests, in the conveyance of his, by rail and steamer in connection with the inspection of the South Canara district, passed for Rs. 60-8-0. —— Government Order stating that Government of India has been moved for the amendment of the provisions of Civil Service Regulations in regard to the conveyance allowance of Forest rangers, recorded.——Government Order communicating letter from Government of India accepting proposal of the Madras Government to fix the conveyance allowance of Forest rangers at a uniform rate of Rs. 15, communicated to Collectors and Conservators.	10th Feb., " 133, Mis. 19th Aug., " 834, Mis. 29th Oct., " 473.
Gôdâvari—Limit of 50 miles fixed for carriage of,—Relaxation of, made in the case of the District Forest-officer in respect to the charges for conveyance of his horses by rail from Cocanada to Rajahmundry and *vice versâ*.	21st April, " 349, Mis.
Rules regarding the recovery of the cost of conveyance of, by rail or steamer under article 1093 of the Civil Service Regulations and reducing the "50 miles" limit to 30 miles.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), communicating to all Collectors, Government Order laying, recorded. —— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), communicating Government Order passing orders on the returns of sanctions under article 1093 of Civil Service Regulations, recorded.	2nd June, " 523, Mis. 18th Aug., " 829, Mis.
Bellary and Anantapur—Indent for tents required by the District Forest-officers of, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Prisons for compliance.	10th Nov., " 116, Mis.

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INSPECTION.	
Malabar—report on the accounts of the District Forest-office, South Malabar, for the period extending from January to October 1896, recorded.	16th Jan., F. No. 47, Mis.
Madura—report of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, on the District Forest office, recorded with remarks.	26th „ „ 86, Mis.
Nilgiris—note on the District Forests by Mr. E. D. M. Hooper, Acting Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, recorded.—Mr. Hooper's attention is drawn to the remark in paragraph 1 of Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 174, dated 7th April 1895, regarding the working of the Mudumalai and Benni forests (paragraph 3).——Report promised by the Collector on the Badaga plantations awaited (paragraph 4). —— Proposal to improve the subordinates' quarters at Mudumalai, Benni and Masnagudi, approved (paragraph 5).——Mr. Hooper and the District Forest-officer thanked for the thoroughly drawn uphistory of the forests of the district.——The presumption of the Collector regarding the date on which the Collector's report on the Badagu plantation scheme is due, accepted as correct.——Mr. Hooper's remarks on the non-execution of the improvement fellings in Mudumalai-Nilgiris, communicated to Collector for consideration.	20th Mar., „ 121. 27th May, „ 503, Mis. 30th Sept., „ 994, Mis.
Coimbatore—note of North, District Forest office, recorded.	5th May, „ 186.
South Canara—report of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, on the, forests, reviewed. ——Government Order recording the review with remarks, recorded.——Collector's explanation on the Board's review, recorded with remarks.	4th „ „ 182. 8th July, „ 667, Mis. 14th Aug., „ 808, Mis.
Malabar—note of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for the Northern Division, reviewed.——Government Order recording the Board's review, recorded.	16th July, „ 289. 16th Sept., „ 938, Mis.
Visagapatam—report of the District Forests from Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, recorded with remarks.——Government Order recording Board's review, recorded.	28th July, „ 319. 15th Sept., „ 931, Mis.
The present practice of sending Conservator's, notes in extenso, considered unnecessary, to send only important facts noticed in the, reports should be submitted to the Board, stated.——Government Order approving of the above suggestion, communicated to all Conservators of Forests, for information and guidance.	18th Oct., „ 1078, Mis. 17th Dec., „ 554.
report of the Forest accounts of the North Coimbatore district for the period from March 1896 to March 1897. —Orders passed on the,	18th Nov., „ 1195, Mis.
South Arcot—Extracts from the Central Circle Conservator's,—Report on the District Forest office, recorded with Board's general approval of the Conservator's remarks and proposals in the report.	20th „ „ 503.

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INSPECTION—*cont.*	1897.
Reprinting the questions for the examination of District Forest-offices by the Accountant-General provided the heading is altered according to certain suggestion made by the Accountant-General considered unnecessary for, and a substitution for the heading when the next list of corrections is issued, suggested.	29th Nov., F. No. 1224, Mis.
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LAND.	
Coimbatore—Selection of, by three of the original applicants.—Collector's report on, submitted for the orders of the Government with remarks on the Anamali forests leased out for coffee cultivation.—Collector's letter requesting early orders on memorials from certain planters requesting re-consideration of the conditions under which, submitted to Government.—— Government Order passing orders on memorial from certain planters on the subject communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Government Order approving Board's proposals (1) to authorize the Collector to overlook in certain cases excesses not exceeding 10 per cent. over the maximum area to be granted to each applicant and (2) to charge assessment on the area found on a boundary or outline survey, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Government Order passing orders on certain papers on the subject, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.—— Collector's letter reporting that he has not allowed Mr. Windle to take up 20 acres of grass land at Paralai, submitted for the information of Government.—— Government Order making certain observations on Board's Proceedings, No. 171, Mis., recorded.—Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 232, recorded by Government. ——Collector's letter recommending the grant of 10 acres of land to Mr. Windle as a special case, submitted for the favourable consideration of Government —— Government Order sanctioning the grant of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——The lease of, applied for by Mr. Edmiston for coffee cultivation on the Anamalais.——Collector requested to report the terms of,——Government Order passing orders on the question of the grant of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——To revise the terms of the lease.——Collector requested,	7th Jan., " 8, Mis. 7th " " 8, Mis. 20th " " 55, Mis. 20th " " 72, Mis. 20th Feb., " 73. 22nd " " 171, Mis. 10th Mar., " 232, Mis. 19th " " 268, Mis. 1st April, " 303, Mis. 6th " " 315, Mis. 15th May, " 195. 9th Aug., " 788, Mis. 24th Sept., " 973, Mis. 20th Oct., " 1089, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Certain portions of the Melavittan Reserve required for house-site. — Draft notification for the disafforestation of, approved and forwarded to the Government of India. — Collector's proposal of levying a quit-rent of Rs. 10 per acre, approved.	9th Jan., " 20, Mis.
Nilgiris—Acquisition of Mr. Edmiston lands at Ootacamund required for a forest purpose. —— Government Order ordering publication of the notification regarding, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	21st " " 65, Mis.

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Madura—Patta, included in the Nalletevanpatti block.—Forest Settlement-officer, Trichinopoly, &c., Districts, requested to take the necessary action in regard to, without causing unnecessary hardships to the owners concerned.	23rd Jan., F. No. 76, Mis.
Coimbatore—Private, included in this Bolampatty reserved forest. — Government Order directing publication of notification under section 24 for the disafforestation of the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	28th ,, ,, 38.
Grant of further sites to first applicant for lands on the Anamalais for coffee cultivation.—Collector's letter requesting instructions for the, submitted for the orders of Government.——Government Order on Board's Proceedings, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	28th ,, ,, 91, Mis. 22nd Feb., ,, 171, Mis.
Application for, for coffee cultivations on the Anamalais.—Messrs. Binny and Company informed that, are under consideration.	29th Jan., ,, 99, Mis.
Kistna—Nidhananpad agraharamdars claim to field No. 1385 which has been included in the Revenue accounts of the Adigoppula village since fasli 1274.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), passing orders on, and requesting the Collector to report how he proposes to deal with the claim of the agraharamdar to the cost of the trees felled in clearing boundary lines, recorded.—Nidhananpad agraharamdar informed that his claim to the cost of trees, &c., felled in clearing the lines of demarcation of a village, cannot be complied with.	1st Feb., ,, 100, Mis. 1st April, ,, 302, Mis.
Coimbatore—Grant of certain, in exchange for those taken up for the Verumandumpalaiyam block in Erode taluk, sanctioned.——Sanction accorded in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 129, Mis., dated 10th February 1897, withdrawn.	10th Feb., ,, 129, Mis. 2nd April, ,, 305, Mis.
Salem—A piece of, in Kottur Reserved forests on the Yelagiris.—Assignment of, to one Mr. Ferguson.—Board concur with the remarks of the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, in regard to, communicated to Collector.	11th Feb., ,, 135, Mis.
—compulsorily acquired under the Land Acquisition Act 1 of 1894 but no longer needed for public purposes.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), communicating to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.——Government Order communicating Government of India resolution regarding disposal of, recorded.	11th ,, ,, 140, Mis.
Malabar—acquisition case No. 1 of 1896 on the file of the Sub-Court, Calicut.—Payment of Rs. 76-8-8 for Court costs incurred by the Government Pleader in, sanctioned.	15th ,, ,, 147, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Acquisition of certain, in the Tirumalai Kolendapuram village, Tinnevelly, for planting casuarina.—Government Order (Revenue Department), transferring to the Public Works Department notification for the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	18th ,, ,, 160, Mis.

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LAND—*cont.*	1897.
Nellore—A piece of, on the Udayagiri hill.—Collector's letter forwarding an application from Rev. Mr. Hawkins for, submitted for the sanction of Government.——Government Order sanctioning the grant and requesting to submit a notification under section 18 in respect of the above, communicated.	26th Feb.. F. No. 201, Mis. 1st April, „ 140.
Tinnevelly—Acquisition of certain, belonging to the Kattalamalai estate required for the Papanasam road.—Government requested to order publication of a notification for the,——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the necessary notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	4th Mar., „ 212, Mis. 19th „ „ 267, Mis.
Coimbatore—Grass, on the Anamalais for construction of cooly sheds.— Government Order requesting the Board to withdraw the approval accorded in Board's Proceedings, No. 1647, Mis., dated 19th December 1896, communicated to Collector for information and guidance.	10th „ „ 96.
Salem—Lessees of, for coffee cultivation on the Sheavaroys.—Stated that the, are entitled to fell and remove sandalwood trees and that there is no Government monopoly of sandalwood in former years.——Board's Proceedings recorded by Government.	10th „ „ 233. 6th April, „ 323, Mis.
—on the Anamalai hills recently opened for coffee cultivation.—Board's Proceedings submitting to Government lists of minor forest produce and reserved trees in the,—Government Order passing orders on, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Submitted to Government that the table of rates furnished by the Collector refers only to reserved trees and that Logerstroemia microcarpa is a classified tree for which the seigniorage rate has already been fixed.	13th Mar., „ 105.
Bellary—Grant on darkhast of, with date trees in the district.—Stated that the suggestion of the Board in the Settlement Department in regard to, does not commend itself to the Forest Department. — Considered that darkhast applications for such lands should be rejected for the present.	29th „ „ 288, Mis.
Chingleput—Certain piece of, in the Homes garden at Saidapet.—Director of Public Instruction informed that the Board of Revenue has no objection to the transfer of, to the Agricultural College.——Government Order approving and sanctioning the transfer of the piece of the, to the Educational Department on the condition of paying the value of the trees standing thereon, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.——That the Principal of the College of Agriculture should apply to the Collector for the, stated.	5th April, „ 311, Mis. 7th Sept., „ 390, Mis. 6th Oct., „ 1011, Mis.
South Canara—Exchange of a portion of 100 yards of Kumaki, allowed to a wargdar for another piece of,—Board sees no objection to the,	7th April, „ 327, Mis.
—acquired under Act I of 1894 (India).—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue), prescribing a revised form for the return to be furnished to the registering officers of, recorded.	10th „ „ 337, Mis.

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LAND—*cont.*	1897.
Coimbatore—Grant of certain, in exchange for Survey No. 431 of Virumundampalaiyam village, Erode taluk, taken up for forest purposes, sanctioned	12th April, F.No. 339, Mis.
Twenty-one original application for, for coffee cultivation on the Anamalais.—Collector's letter reporting disposal of, submitted for the information of Government.——Government Order recording, recorded.	23rd „ „ 366, Mis. 22nd May, „ 487, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Collector's proposal to acquire at a cost of Rs. 1,780 certain villages demarcated out as enclosures within the Kadagandi reserve, approved.——Government Order sanctioning the Board's proposal, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	28th April, „ 172. 30th June, „ 633, Mis.
Nellore—Government Order sanctioning the grant of a piece of, to the Revd. Mr. Hawkins as a hot-weather resort on the Udayagiri Hill, communicated to the Collector of Nellore and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.—The Collector requested to submit draft notification under section 18 for the same.——Agreeing with the Collector in considering that a gazette notification is unnecessary and supporting his recommendation in regard to the conditions of the grant.	1st May, „ 140. 1st Dec., „ 1235, Mis.
What action has been taken regarding the reserved, which it has been decided not to constitute reserved forests.—Collectors requested to report, the fact announced by beat of tom-tom in the villages concerned, stated.——Collector's report in the matter of throwing out of reservation "Reserved lands" which it has been decided not to be constituted "Reserved forests," recorded with remarks.	5th May, „ 187. 24th Nov., „ 507.
Vizagapatam—That the mokhasadar of Gavarammapeta can lay his claim to certain forest, in his mokhasa before the Forest Settlement-officer in due course.—Collector requested to inform the mokhasadar,	5th May, „ 400, Mis.
Madura—That the, in the proposed Kuppuvamadi reserve have not been taken.—The petitioners informed,	6th „ „ 405, Mis.
Coimbatore—Letter from the Collector forwarding applications for the grant of, for coffee cultivation in Guttialattur reserve.—Orders passed on,—The propriety of allotting, for the purpose.—Southern Circle Conservator desired to give opinion on,——Further correspondence between the Southern Circle Conservator and the Collector, recorded.	6th „ „ 407, Mis. 24th June, „ 605, Mis.
Statement showing the, proposed to be given in exchange for the, taken up for the proposed Sinnaveerasangili reserved forest in Periyaveerasangili, sanctioned.	10th May, „ 417, Mis.
Kurnool—Letter from the Collector inquiring whether a claimant who first expressed his willingness to take other, in exchange, but subsequently demanded money compensation, can be compelled to abide by his first statement before the Forest Settlement-officer.——Orders passed on,——Letter from the Forest Settlement-officer complaining against the Board's stricture of his action in the settlement of certain proposed reserves.	10th „ „ 419, Mis. 28th June, „ 616, Mis. 24th July, „ 743, Mis.

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—— Orders passed on, —— The Board is unable to understand the drift of Mr. Lushington's question regarding statement made on oath before the Forest Settlement-officer and that mere agreement to accept land in exchange is void, stated.	
Nilgiris—A draft notification under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act I of 1894 for the acquisition of Mr. Kindersley's, on the,—The Collector requested to submit, ——Notification submitted by the Collector, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order approving and ordering the publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	12th May, F. No. 430, Mis. 30th June, „ 630, Mis. 21st July, „ 729, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Collector's proposal to include within the proposed Dharakonda proposed reserve, to incur expenditure of Rs. 498-2-0 for the same, approved.—— Draft notification under section 4 for the inclusion of certain villages to be included within the Dharakonda reserve, submitted for the approval of Government.—— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	18th May., „ 452, Mis. 13th July, „ 277. 15th Oct., „ 452.
Salem—Application from Lionel E. Kirman, Esq., for, in the Arasankadi reserve, on the Sheavaroy hills.—Orders passed on,	27th May, „ 502, Mis.
Rules contained in paragraph 19 of Board's Standing Order No. 11 and paragraph 18 of No. 12 regarding the disposal of, acquired for public purposes and since relinquished. — Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) revising, recorded.——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order approving the rules, recorded.	2nd June, „ 525, Mis. 14th July, „ 697, Mis.
Coimbatore—Anamalais.—Draft lease for, for coffee cultivation on,—Board concurs with the Collector's remarks on,——That the survey should be carried out at the expense of the Government, considered.——Two draft agreements of lease of, forwarded by Government Solicitor, submitted to Government.——Letter from the Collector requesting when the form of lease will be available, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 761, dated 30th July 1897.——Government Order informing the Board that the draft form of lease for the, granted for coffee cultivation are under revision by the Government Solicitor, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	15th June, „ 560, Mis. 30th July, „ 761, Mis. 8th Nov., „ 1155, Mis. 19th „ „ 1203, Mis.
Anamalais.—Collector's proposal for advertising in the gazettes and newspapers the extent of, available for coffee cultivation on, approved. —— Southern Circle Conservator's suggestion that the rules for lease of land be printed and supplied to certain Collectors, communicated to Collector.	16th June, „ 568, Mis
Anamalais.—Collector's letter inquiring whether original applicants for, on, can transfer the, to a nominee before executing their lease with Government.—Orders passed on,	18th „ „ 585, Mis.

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Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating the opinion of the Advocate-General regarding the notification submitted by the Collector of South Arcot for the acquisition of, occupied by the diversion of Khan Sahib's Canal in the limits of C. Kothangudi, Chidambaram taluk, recorded.	17th July, F. No. 714, Mis.
Applications for, for coffee cultivation in the Minchiguli valley will be entertained subject to the conditions of the lease of, on the Anamalais.—Collector requested to inform Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co. and Mr. Morris.	19th " " 716, Mis.
Kistna—The question of the reservation of certain grass, in Bapatla taluk.—Orders passed on,—Further information on, submitted by the Collector.—Orders passed on. ——Further proposals regarding, awaited.	26th " " 746, Mis. 26th Oct., " 1101, Mis.
Chingleput—Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, stating that he has no objection to the grant of, to one Khadir Mohidin Sahib for constructing a tank in a reserved forest in the Kayar village, forwarded to the Board (Settlement Department).	28th July, " 752, Mis.
The purpose for which Mr. Foulkes acquired large areas shown in his statement of lands.—Mr. Foulkes requested to state.	10th Aug., " 797, Mis.
Letter from the Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts, inquiring whether the statement by a karnam of the existence of patta rights in a proposed reserve constitutes a claim.—Orders passed on,	13th " " 346.
Nilgiris—Collector's proposals for the acquisition of the "Wood Estate" and the buildings thereon, submitted to Government for orders.	9th Sept., " 911.
Gódávari—Letter from the Collector requesting temporary exclusion of the ground on which a lighthouse and buildings stand in the Kandikuppa proposed reserve, submitted to Government. — To grant the necessary rights of way to the lighthouse.—Collector requested, Government Order approving the exclusion of communcated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	20th " " 948, Mis. 9th Oct., " 1040, Mis.
Papers relating to the acquisition of, for the site and compound of the office of the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, at Waltair, submitted to Government for sanction.—— Government Order sanctioning the proposal regarding the acquisition of land, communicated to the Collector of Vizagapatam and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	22nd Sept., " 962, Mis. 14th Oct., " 1068, Mis.
South Canara—That the, comprised in the Manipalakadu block in the Udipi taluk may be left to be enjoyed as Kumaki under Rule I of Kumaki Rules sanctioned in Government Order No. 302, dated 1st July 1896, stated.	24th Sept., " 972, Mis.
Nilgiris—Mr. Baker's claim for compensation for, included in the Dodabetta reserve.—Board declined to reconsider,	27th " " 982, Mis.

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Tanjore—Letter from the Collector recommending the re-transfer of certain padugai, from the Forest Department to Public Works Department, submitted to Government for orders.	19th Oct., F. No. 1085, Mis.
Trichinopoly — Whether the padugais retained by the Forest Department might not be made reserved forests. —The Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requested to report,	29th " " 1112, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order regarding the disposal of, acquired in excess of the immediate requirement for a railway and not required in the near future for the purposes of railway, recorded.	4th Nov., " 1144, Mis.
Draft notification for the application of section 32 (c) of the Forest Act to the Sarugumalai Hills (zemindari forests), submitted to Government.	20th " " 1206, Mis.
Application from Mr. Windle for more, in the Anamalais, submitted to Government Mr. Windle has not shown adequate cause to justify any special concession in his case.—Stated that,	20th " " 1208, Mis.
Certain piece of, included within the Alagar Hill reserved forest in the Madura district and claimed by certain temple authorities.—Stated that, can be leased out, instead of disafforesting it, as suggested to meet the requirements of the above said temple authorities.	30th " " 1233, Mis.
Letter from the Collector of Gódávari regarding the inclusion of a tract of, within the finally-notified Doramamidi reserve.—Passed orders on the, and draft notification under section 16 of the Forest Act in respect of the above tract of land, submitted to Government for approval and publication in the *Fort St. George Gazette*.	6th Dec., " 1254, Mis.
LAW CHARGES.	
Malabar — Court costs incurred by the Government Pleader, Calicut, in connection with land acquisition case No. I of 1896 on the file of the Sub-Court, Calicut. —Payment of Rs. 76–8–8, sanctioned for,	15th Feb., " 147, Mis.
Fee of Rs. 100 to the Government Pleader for his services in S. A. No. 1341 of 1895 on the file of the High Court, sanctioned.	6th May, " 188.
Salem—A fee of Rs. 150 to Kanagaratnam Pillai, a pleader, for services rendered by him in connection with Namakkal sandalwood attachment case, sanctioned.	1st June, " 515, Mis.
Kurnool—In regard to Collector's inquiry as to the expenditure incurred in connection with the institution of Government appeals.—His attention drawn to paragraph 7 of Board's Proceedings, No. 482, dated 1st September 1892.	31st Aug., " 869, Mis.
Chingleput—Letter from the Collector inquiring whether certain block should be formally transferred to M.R.Ry. Ganapayya Garu for the execution of a decree in a case	20th Sept., " 949, Mis.

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settled by his predecessor Mr. Pinto.—Orders passed on, —To obtain Mr. Pinto's explanation of his conduct.—Collector of South Canara requested,	
Nellore—A fee of Rs. 100 to Government Pleader for conducting a case before the Forest Settlement-officer, Nellore, &c., Districts, sanctioned.	29th Sept., F. No. 991, Mis.
A copy of Board's Proceedings, Forest Mis., No. 956, dated 22nd September 1897, sanctioning the payment of a fee of Rs. 50 for opposing S. A. No. 1314 of 1896 on the file of the High Court, forwarded to Government Pleader.	5th Nov., " 1147, Mis.
Anantapur—Collector's letter requesting sanction for the payment of Rs. 500 to the pleader who appeared before the Taluk Magistrate of Madakasira in connection with certain forest cases, submitted to Government with Board's recommendation.	16th Dec., " 1300, Mis.
LEASE.	
Bellary—Collector's letter recommending remission of 25 per cent. on two years', or 50 per cent. on the current year's, of tangedu bark, recorded pending further report.——Remission of Rs. 21,304 to the contractors.——Government sanction requested for the,——Government Order declining to grant the remission, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	9th June, " 538, Mis. 18th Oct., " 1082, Mis. 14th Dec., " 1282, Mis.
Anamalais (Coimbatore).—Draft, for land for coffee cultivation on the, — Board concurs with the Collector's remarks on,——That the survey should be carried out at the expense of Government, considered.——Two draft agreements of, of land forwarded by Government Solicitor, submitted to Government. —— Letter from the Collector requesting when the form of, for lands will be available, submitted to Government incontinuation of Board's Proceedings, F. No. 761, dated 30th July 1897.——Government Order informing the Board that the draft forms of the for the lands granted for coffee cultivation are under revision by the Government Solicitor, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	15th June, " 560, Mis. 30th July, " 761, Mis. 8th Nov., " 1155, Mis. 19th " " 1203, Mis.
Suggestion of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, that rules relating to the, of lands on, for coffee cultivation may be printed and supplied to certain Collectors, communicated to the Collector for compliance.	16th June, " 568, Mis.
Collector's letter inquiring whether original applicants can transfer the land to a nominee before executing their, to Government.—Orders passed on,	18th " " 585, Mis.
Anantapur—The proposal of the Collector for the introduction of the fixed fee system for ensuing toddy, approved.	23rd " " 595, Mis.
Coimbatore—of land applied for by Mr. Edmiston for coffee cultivation on the Anamalais.—The Collector requested to report the terms of,——To revise the terms of of a piece of land on the eastern slope of the Anamalais given to Mr. Edmiston.—Collector requested,	9th Aug., " 788, Mis. 20th Oct., " 1089, Mis.

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Nellore—Application of a tangedu bark contractor for an extension of his, by six months.—Board declined to sanction,	16th Aug., F. No. 814, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order forwarding the Advocate-General's opinion on the liability to the cesses of the lessees of the usufruct of trees standing on Government waste and poramboke lands, recorded.	22nd Oct., ,, 1096, Mis.
Coimbatore—The Collector's recommendation which is supported by the Conservator of Forests that less penalty than entire forfeiture of deposit money may be imposed on Karinji Sait, contractor, on account of his infringing certain conditions of the contract, approved.	14th Dec., ,, 1286, Mis.
LEAVE.	
Two years' furlough.—Mr. G. Hadfield's application for commutation of the one month's privilege, already granted to him into, submitted for the favourable consideration of Government.——Government Order sanctioning the commutation of the leave, communicated to the Collector of Malabar and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	6th Jan., ,, 3, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 57, Mis.
Forest officers to whom extension of, has been granted.—Government Order forwarding list from the Financial Secretary, India Office, London, giving the names of, recorded.	19th Jan., ,, 51, Mis.
Special, for six months granted to Mr. McIntosh, Deputy Conservator of Forests.—Government Order confirming the sanction by the Secretary of State for India for commutation of the, to leave on medical certificate and its extension to eight months, recorded.	20th ,, ,, 58, Mis.
Chingleput—Two years' furlough.—Mr. W. C. Hayne's application for, from or about the 1st March 1897, submitted to Government for sanction.——Government Order sanctioning the leave, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	29th ,, ,, 96, Mis. 19th Feb., ,, 163, Mis.
Malabar—Sixteen days' privilege, to Mr. H. Tireman, District Forest-officer, North Malabar, sanctioned from the 16th February 1897.	8th ,, ,, 118, Mis.
Examination, not to be granted to Forest officers for optional examination.	24th ,, ,, 80.
Fifteen months' furlough.—Application from Mr. Stanbrough, District Forest-officer, South Arcot, for, from or after 1st April 1897, submitted to Government for sanction.——Government Order sanctioning the, communicated to Mr. Stanbrough through the Collector of South Arcot.—The leave to be availed of from the 15th April 1897.	5th Mar., ,, 214, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 266, Mis.
Kurnool—Two months' privilege,—Application from Mr. F. A. Lodge, District Forest-officer, for, submitted to	23rd ,, ,, 274, Mis. 7th April, ,, 326, Mis.

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Government for sanction in continuation of the Easter holidays.—Mr. Fischer may be allowed to hold charge during Mr. Lodge's absence. —— Government Order sanctioning the leave and approving the Board's recommendation, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	
Trichinopoly cum *Tanjore*—Privilege, for one month to Mr. Lathan, District Forest-officer, sanctioned.— Proposed arrangement for the conduct of work during the absence, approved.	7th May, F. No. 410, Mis.
One month's privilege, to Mr. E. A. Smith, Forest Settlement-officer Nellore, &c., Districts, from 25th May, sanctioned.—To make the necessary arrangements for the charge of Mr. Smith's office during his absence. —Collector of Nellore requested,	10th ,, ,, 422, Mis.
Government Order approving the Accountant-General's action in having treated six days overstayed by Mr. Gass, as privilege, in extention of the period granted to him, communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore.	22nd ,, ,, 490, Mis.
Mr. P. M. Lushington, District Forest-officer, North Coimbatore.—Application of, for privilege, for 2 months and 29 days, submitted to Government with Board's recommendation.——Government Order granting the privilege leave, communicated to the Collector of Coimbatore.	22nd ,, ,, 471, Mis. 9th June, ,, 536, Mis.
Medical certificate of Mr. Howell, Forest Ranger, forwarded to the Surgeon-General.—He is requested to state if he can arrange for Mr. Howell's examination by a Medical Board on the expiry of his,	10th ,, ,, 542, Mis.
Mr. C. E. Brasier, Deputy Conservator, has been permitted to return to duty before the expiry of his, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	28th ,, , 619, Mis.
Privilege, for three months from 2nd August to District Forest-officer, Vizagapatam, submitted to Government for favourable consideration.——Government Order sanctioning the leave, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	1st July, ,, 638, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 721, Mis.
Application of Mr. Hooper, Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for special, on urgent private affairs for six months from or after 14th September 1897, submitted for the orders of Government.——Government Order sanctioning the leave, communicated to Mr. Hooper, Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	6th Aug., ,, 779, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 832, Mis.
Mr. J. W. Cherry, Conservator of Forests.—Government Order recording memorandum from Public Department stating that, has been granted an extension of, for three months, recorded.	14th ,, ,, 810, Mis.
Anantapur—Application from Mr. Murray, District Forest-officer, for privilege, for one month and ten days, submitted to Government for sanction.—Government Order sanctioning leave, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	25th ,, ,, 849, Mis. 11th Sept., ,, 917, Mis.

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Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India declining to exempt a Collector who overstayed his privilege, from the loss of his allowance, recorded.	26th Aug.,	F. No. 855, Mis.
North Arcot—Application from Mr. W. Carróll, extra Assistant Conservator of Forests, North Arcot, for, on medical certificate for six months from 15th July 1897, submitted to Government for sanction.——Government Order sanctioning leave, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	31st ,, 24th Sept.,	,, 867, Mis. ,, 977, Mis.
To report the dates on which Forest officers hand over charge and return to duty while proceeding on,—All Forest officers requested to report with reference to section 59 of the Forest Code.	7th ,,	,, 902, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order communicating resolution of the Government of India directing that the fact of the, having been granted on medical certificate should invariably be stated in leave and pay certificates furnished to officers proceeding on leave to Europe and that the account officer should in each case be informed of the reason for the grant of, recorded.	8th ,,	,, 910, Mis.
Application of Mr. Ganapayya, Forest Settlement-officer, North Arcot, &c., Districts, for, for two and-a-half months from or after 10th October next in addition to Christmas holidays, submitted to Government for sanction.——Government Order sanctioning the leave, communicated to the Forest Settlement-officer and the Collector of North Arcot.	23rd ,, 16th Oct.,	,, 969, Mis. ,, 1074, Mis.
North Arcot—Application from Mr. C. D. McArthy, District Forest-officer, for privilege, from 8th November to 19th December 1897, submitted to Government for orders. —That proposals for filling up the vacancy will be separately submitted, stated. —— Government Order sanctioning the leave applied for, communicated to the Collector.	15th ,, 28th ,,	,, 1072, Mis. ,, 1109, Mis.
Application from H. H. Ward, Sub-Divisional officer, Gódávari, for the grant of privilege, for two months from 1st November 1897, exclusive of Christmas holidays, submitted to Government for favourable consideration.——Government Order sanctioning the privilege leave for two months, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	27th ,, 1st Nov.,	,, 1106, Mis. ,, 1124, Mis.
Mr. H. B. Bryant—Application from —, District Forest-officer, Tinnevelly, for privilege, for two months and eleven days in continuation of the Christmas holidays, submitted to Government for favourable consideration. ——Government Order sanctioning the leave subject to the provisions of article 251 of the Civil Service Regulations, communicated to the Collector of Tinnevelly and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	11th ,, 24th ,,	,, 1165, Mis. ,, 1217, Mis.
Mr. H. F. A. Wood, Acting District Forest-officer, North Arcot.—The privilege, for twenty days from 1st December 1897 applied for by,—Board declined to grant,	15th ,,	,, 1181, Mis.

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Application of Mr. Gass, Acting Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for special, on urgent private affairs for six months from or after 20th December 1897, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the leave applied for, communicated to Mr. Gass through the Collector of Coimbatore.	16th Nov., F. No. 1186, Mis. 3rd Dec., „ 1247, Mis.
Application from Mr. Thornton, District Forest-officer, Gódávari, for nine months' furlough from or after 10th February 1898 and his request to permit him to study Forestry on the continent of Europe for some months, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the furlough applied for, communicated to Mr. Thornton through the Collector of Gódávari, and he requested to report whether he is willing to defer his leave till the Inspector-General of Forests and the Government of India have had time to consider his application.	17th Nov., „ 1192. Mis. 10th Dec., „ 1270, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order declaring that gazetted holidays should be included in the calculation of casual, when they occur in the middle of the five days' limit, but that Sundays may be excluded, recorded.	24th Nov., „ 1221, Mis.
LEAVES OF TREES.	
Salem—Petition from Ramaswami Naicken and others of Atúr regarding the levy of charges for, taken from unreserved lands.—Orders passed on, and Collector instructed to abolish distinction between cultivating ryots and holders of large acreages in the matter of taking, for manure free of cost.	8th „ „ 1156, Mis.
LIST OF OFFICERS.	
Letter from the Accountant-General explaining the delay in the issue of the monthly, for April 1897, communicated to the Conservators of Forests, for information and guidance.	12th July, „ 680, Mis.
The fact of a candidate having passed with honours in subsidiary subjects only should not be entered in the list of Forest-officers and subordinates, stated.	4th Sept., „ 891, Mis.
LIVE-STOCK.	
Supply of elephants to Public Works Department Officers—Government Order agreeing with the Board and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, in the matter of, and stating that necessary instructions will be issued in the Public Works Department, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	18th Jan., „ 48, Mis.
Malabar—Death of a bison in an elephant pit in Amarampalem Range. — Collector's report on the, submitted for the information of Government.	21st „ „ 68, Mis.
Elephants under five feet six inches in height.—Government Order approving proposals for the sale of, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	1st Feb., „ 42.

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Death of a calf-elephant in North Malabar division.—Papers relating to, submitted for the information of Government and the writing off of the animal from the accounts, sanctioned.	1st Feb., F.No. 102, Mis.
Capture of a cow-calf elephant in South Malabar.—Report on the, recorded and the sale of the animal, recommended.	1st " " 103, Mis.
Elephants of the Forest Department that have been sold in his circle.—Mr. Hooper's endorsement forwarding a list of, recorded.	6th April, " 320, Mis.
Ganjám — Elephant "Kesari Pyri" belonging to the Forest Department.—The Collector's letter reporting death of, recorded.—Value of the elephant ordered to be written off the accounts.	27th " " 373, Mis.
South Canara—The writing the dead elephant "Shankura" off the, list, sanctioned—The commencement of elephant-catching operations on a small scale, approved.	7th May, " 411, Mis.
Proposals of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, to sell the elephants not required for transfer to other departments of Government or to Forest Department in other districts, approved.	10th " " 420, Mis.
Letter from the Collector of South Canara regarding the right of the Hebbara to capture wild elephants within the limits of his warg.—Orders passed on,	28th " " 491, Mis.
Coimbatore—Letter from the Collector reporting the capture of a cow elephant in the Tunacadavu Range, recorded.	22nd July, " 737, Mis.
That returns of free grants of, and of timber, should be submitted of quarterly instead of monthly as at present, stated.——Government Order approving the Board's proposal, recorded.	4th Aug., " 328. 24th Sept., " 414.
Report from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, on elephant-catching operations in the circle for the year ending 30th June 1897, submitted to Government for information.——Government Order recording with remark Board's Proceedings, No. 920, dated 11th September 1897, recorded.	11th " " 920, Mis. 23rd Oct., " 1099, Mis.
Malabar—The Accountant-General's report that the proposal to pay the elephant establishment weekly is contrary to the provisions of article 26 of the Civil Account Code, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for information and guidance.	14th Sept., " 928, Mis.
Coimbatore—The Collector's report on the capture of a male elephant on the Anamalais, recorded.	27th " " 983, Mis.
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MAPS.	
South Canara—of the Kodiamale block in Mangalore taluk returned to the Collector for revision and resubmission	29th Jan., " 97, Mis. 25th Feb., " 185, Mis.

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on receipt of a report from the Collector.—The Board sees no reason to comply with the request of certain wargdars to exclude certain hillocks in the Mangalore taluk from forest reservation.	
Endorsement of the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, forwarding index, from the officer in charge of No. 19 Party for the field season 1896–97, recorded.	22nd May, F.No. 482, Mis.
Endorsement by the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, on Kistna Collector's report regarding non-submission of, of Kandlagunta reserve, recorded.	9th June, „ 541, Mis.
Nilgiris—The Collector's proposal to substitute for certain original sketches the outlines of certain reserves which require amendment as laid down on the village, approved.	9th July, „ 673, Mis.
Nellore—To order the despatch to the Collector of certain, relating to the Kanigiri Hill for reference in the Kanigiri Hill boundary dispute.—Government requested.	13th Aug., „ 803, Mis.
Letter from the Collector of Kurnool inquiring whether the sketch-map to be filed with settlement records is the one submitted to the Board with the notification under section 4 or the one sent to the Board with the notification under section 16.—Orders passed on,	27th Oct., „ 465, Mis.
Nilgiris—The Collector's recommendation as concurred in by the Conservator of Forests regarding the preparation of, of the Nilgiri district reserves, approved.	3rd Dec., „ 1246, Mis.
MINING AND QUARRYING.	
Government Order communicating letter from the Superintendent, Geological Survey, with the request to issue instructions to the Collector of Kurnool to render him every assistance in investigations for the collection of specimens of iron-ores in the district, communicated to the Collector of Kurnool.	7th Jan., „ 10, Mis.
Question of working the Salem iron-ores successfully.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) passing remarks on Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India forwarding for information a report and letter by Major Mahon, R.E., on the, and recommending to Government that 300 tons of Salem iron-ore and 600 tons of Bengal be at once ordered to be despatched to Messrs. Balchow, Vaughan and Co. of Middlesborough on the Tees for experimental purposes, recorded.	18th Feb., „ 162, Mis.
Royalty on mica.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) revising the schedule of rates tentatively prescribed by the Board for the purpose of calculating, and the form of daily account showing the quantity of mica mined and the amount of royalty payable, recorded.	30th April, „ 386, Mis.
Government Order communicating Government of India resolution that the mine owners and managers may be requested to send a report of every accident leading to the loss of life within 24 hours of its occurrence, recorded.	30th „ „ 392, Mis.

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MINING AND QUARRYING—*cont.*	1897.
Nellore—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) approving revised circular relating to prospecting and mining for mica in the, district and requesting persons interested to make remarks on certain points, recorded. —— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) passing orders on certain points raised by the Collector regarding mining and prospecting for mica in patta lands, recorded. —— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order approving Board's proposals for prospecting and mining for mica, recorded.	22nd May, F.No. 483, Mis. 15th June, „ 562, Mis. 18th Aug., „ 831, Mis.
Kurnool—Government Order, Revenue Department, approving, with remarks, the draft license to be issued to Messrs. Eales & Co. for prospecting for steatite over the area of 100 acres in the Muddavaram village, Nandyal taluk.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to the Collector, recorded.	2nd June, „ 526, Mis.
Bellary—Collector's request for the remission of seigniorage on stones quarried by Wodders. — Collector's attention drawn to section 104 of Forest Code *in re*,	16th „ „ 565, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) revising appendices A, B and C to Mica Mining rules with reference to the suggestions of Messrs. Best & Co. and Messrs. Badsha Sahib & Co., recorded.	19th July, „ 724, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India approving the revised rules for mining and quarrying in the Madras Presidency, recorded.	27th Sept., „ 986, Mis.
Free grant of metal up to the value of Rs. 1,000 per annum to the District Board, Madura, sanctioned until further notice.	18th Oct., „ 454.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order forwarding revised forms of exploring and prospecting licenses and mining lease and stating that the forms should be substituted for those printed as appendices I to III to the revised Standing Order No. 15, recorded.	3rd Nov., „ 1137, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating letter from the Government of India regarding the amendment of the Mining rules in respect of certificates of approval from applicants for prospecting licenses and of deposit in case of mining leases, recorded.	19th „ „ 1204, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order on circular from the Government of India intimating the dates of submission of the report of the Inspector of Mines and the local returns required for incorporation in the report, and requesting Collectors to submit certain returns by the 15th January in each year, recorded.	3rd Dec., „ 1251, Mis.
MINOR PRODUCE.	
South Canara—Kumaki produce.—Board agrees with the Collector in considering that the construction of a town	11th Jan., „ 18. 18th Feb., „ 161, Mis.

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MINOR PRODUCE—*cont.*	1897.
residence is not a purpose for which, can be enjoyed free of charge.——Government Order recording, with remark, Board's Proceedings, communicated to the Collector.	
Vizagapatam—in the Golgonda Agency.—Levy of seigniorage on,—Board's Proceedings submitting to Government a report on the questions of, recorded by Government.——Collector's report, submitted to Government.——Board agrees with the Collector in considering that the introduction of the seigniorage system has not pressed heavily upon the hillmen.	26th Jan., F.No. 81, Mis. 29th April, " 380, Mis.
Malabar—Thirty seers of coffee presented by Mr. Marshall, District Forest-officer, to the clerks of his office.—Considered that the, should be treated as a free grant of produce and the quantity written off the accounts.	18th Feb., " 159, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Skins or hides imported from Jeypore.—Government Order communicating to the Agent to the Governor letter from the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, stating that no royalty is levied in those provinces on, recorded.——Government agrees with the Agent that hides of domestic animals should not be treated as forest produce or made liable for transit duties.	9th Mar., " 231, Mis.
Coimbatore—Lists of, and reserved trees in the forests on the Anamalai Hills recently opened for coffee cultivation.—Government Order passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting the, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Submitted that the table of rates furnished by the Collector refers only to reserved trees and that Lagerstrœmia microcarpa is a classified tree for which the seigniorage rate has already been fixed.	13th " " 105.
Remark made by Mr. Hooper in paragraph 22 of his letter printed in Board's Proceedings, No. 256, dated 28th May 1896, to the effect that the extent to which the smallest items of, are leased out to uncontrolled contractors constitutes a grave harm to the service.—Mr. Hooper, Acting Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requested to illustrate by citing specific instances the meaning of the,——Papers relating to the working of, forwarded to all Collectors for report.——Collectors' reports.——Orders passed on,——The hardship noticed by Mr. Hooper has been removed, stated.——Letter from the Collector of North Arcot reporting that no modification in the working of minor produce is necessary, recorded.	7th April, " 335, Mis. 4th May, " 177, P. 20th Sept., " 403. 7th Oct., " 1020, Mis.
Gòdàvari—The question of the levy of seigniorage on all,—The Collector of Gódávari requested to deal with in his reply to Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 177, dated 4th May 1897.	26th May, " 494, Mis.
Anantapur—Proposals and arrangements made by the Collector in regard to the grant of concession asked for by the tangedu bark contractors, approved.——Why such a large percentage of remission as Rs. 21,304 in respect of certain tangedu bark contracts.——The Collector of Bellary requested to report more fully,——Collector's report submitted for the orders of Government.	26th " " 493, Mis. 13th July, " 691, Mis. 18th Oct., " 1082, Mis. 14th Dec., " 1282, Mis.

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——Government Order declining to grant the remission, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests and the Collector requested to report whether any assurance was given to the bidders at the sale that the right to collect the bark over half the district would not be sold.	
Bellary—Letter from the Collector recommending a remission of 25 per cent. on two years' lease or 50 per cent. on the current year's lease of tangedu bark, recorded pending further report.——Remission of Rs. 21,304 to the contractors.——Government sanction requested for the remission,——Government Order declining to grant the remission, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests and the Collector requested to report whether any assurance was given to the bidders at the sale that the right to collect the bark over half the district would not be sold.	9th June, F. No. 538, Mis. 18th Oct., ,, 1082, Mis. 14th Dec., ,, 1282, Mis.
Government Order communicating to the Board letter from the Resident, Mysore, forwarding copy of circular issued by the Mysore Durbar regarding the classification of sandalwood and the sale of all forest produce, communicated to certain Collectors and all Conservators of Forests.	6th Aug., ,, 338.
Nellore—Application from a tangedu bark contractor for an extension of his lease by six months.—The Board declined to sanction,	16th ,, ,, 814, Mis.
Nilgiris—Papers relating to the apportionment of, between the Mysore Durbar and the Madras Government collected in disputed tracts, submitted for the orders of Government.——Government Order on the above, communicated.	14th Sept., ,, 927, Mis. 7th Oct., ,, 1024, Mis
Coimbatore—Suggestion of the Collector for postponing the submission of the report called for regarding *avaram bark* contracts on village porambokes, approved.	23rd Sept., ,, 966, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Letter from the Collector reporting on the working of, under contract system in Golgonda Agency during 1896-97, submitted to Government with remarks.——Government Order recording the Board's Proceedings, recorded.	8th Oct., ,, 1037, Mis. 4th Nov., ,, 1142, Mis.
North Arcot—Declining to order the free grant of permits for the removal of roots of banyan trees for religious purposes, applied for by the Mahant of Tirupati.	18th ,, ,, 1197, Mis.
Madura—The Collector's report on the working of the forest, recorded with the remark that the signature of the officer who signed for the Collector is illegible.——Government Order on the above Board's Proceedings, recorded.	20th ,, ,, 1210, Mis. 9th Dec., ,, 1269, Mis.
Coimbatore—The Collector's recommendation which is supported by the Conservator that less penalty than the entire forfeiture of the deposit money may be imposed on Karinji Sait, contractor, on account of his having infringed certain conditions of the contract, approved.	14th ,, ,, 1286, Mis.

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MISCELLANEOUS.	1897.
Government Order communicating letter from the Superintendent, Geological Survey, requesting the Board to instruct the Collector of Kurnool to render him every assistance in his investigations for the collection of specimens of iron-ore, communicated to the Collector of Kurnool.	7th Jan., F. No. 10, Mis.
More careful supervision of fair copies signed by officers for Collectors.—Requested to issue orders for the,	14th „ „ 26, Mis.
Indebtedness of Public Servants. — Government Order embodying Proceedings of the Public Department making certain rules regarding the, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	26th „ „ 83, Mis.
Supply of spare copies of Board's Proceedings.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) revising the scale at present in force in regard to, recorded. —— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) amending Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) No. 2, dated 5th January 1897, regarding distribution of spare copies, recorded.	22nd Feb., „ 177, Mis. 9th Oct., „ 1042, Mis.
Fair copies of correspondence in an office.—Board agrees with the Accountant-General in his opinion that, should be signed by a gazetted officer during the absence of that officer on tour.	25th Feb., „ 191, Mis.
Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Proceedings of the Public Department directing that when it is necessary to add a date to initials or signature or to give a date without initials the year as well as date and month should be shown.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating, to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests, recorded.	26th „ „ 196, Mis.
Subjects for which stock files shall be maintained in Collectors' offices.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) deciding not to prescribe the, and directing that Collectors should, when applying for spare copies of such files, specify the number and date of the Proceedings and the number of spare copies required of each, recorded.	8th Mar., „ 222, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Settlement) submitting to Government a report on the state of the season in North Arcot up to the middle of February 1897, communicated to the Collector.	6th „ „ 215, Mis.
District of which Ootacamund is the head-quarters.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to the Collector of the Nilgiris and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, Government Order ordering that the, should in future be designated "The Nilgiri district" or if shortened "The Nilgiris", recorded.	6th April, „ 325, Mis.
The question of the transfer of the revenue administration of the Attapadi valley from Malabar to Coimbatore may be dropped, considered that, —— Government Order considering that it is inadvisable to transfer the revenue administration of the valley, communicated to the Collector of Malabar and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	8th „ „ 149. 9th June, „ 230.

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MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*	1897.
Disposal number system.—Mr. Mullins, Special Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, informed that he is not bound by the, and that the maintenance of registers, &c., according to the system is left to his discretion.	28th April, F. No. 377, Mis.
To send a copy of their endorsements on Collectors' letters other than routine ones to the Collectors concerned.——Conservators directed,	11th May, „ 429, Mis.
Tanjore—Letter from the Accountant-General stating that there is no objection to the proposal that the District Forest-officer at Point Calimere should be supplied with funds from the salt treasury at Védáranniyam, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.——The Treasury Deputy Collector authorised to issue letters of credit to the District Forest-officer on salt treasury at Védáranniyam.——Request of the Collector to permit remittance of the forest revenue into the salt treasury at Védáranniyam, sanctioned.——Board's Proceedings (Separate Revenue) communicating to the Assistant Conservator, Negapatam Sub-division, and Salt Inspector, Védáranniyam Circle, Board's Proceedings, No. 433, dated 12th May 1897, recorded.——Board's Proceedings (Separate Revenue) authorising the Inspector, Védáranniyam Circle, to receive into his treasury all remittances made by the Forest Range officer at Point Calimere, recorded.	12th „ „ 433, Mis. 16th June, „ 570, Mis. 23rd „ „ 594, Mis. 12th July, „ 683, Mis.
Letter from W. A. Shannon, Esq., Solicitor, Dublin, requesting to report whether any property owned by the late Mr. John Halloram is situated within their jurisdiction, communicated to Collectors, Conservators of Forests and Special Forest Settlement-officers.——The Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, requested to dispose of Mr. Shannon's letter.	19th May, „ 460, Mis. 9th June, „ 534, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) requesting certain heads of departments to furnish the Board with statements showing by districts and sub-divisions receipts for the next preceding official year under the heads of Revenue specified therein, recorded.	22nd May, „ 480, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) amending the schedule of rates of royalty prescribed in certain Board's Proceedings, recorded.	22nd „ „ 485, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) stating that petition registers should be held to fall under item 1 Records in the revised list appended to Standing Order No. 219 Old Edition, and they should be retained for fifty years, recorded.	22nd „ „ 486, Mis.
Government Order recording letter from the Superintendent, Madras Survey, reporting that the difference between the pay of Messrs. Hasted and Gompertz will be met from savings, recorded.	22nd „ „ 477, Mis.
Coimbatore—The Collector's report on the result of shipment of sandalwood to the London market, recorded.	14th June „ 550, Mis.
Furnishing the Collector of Coimbatore with more signed copy of certain Board's Proceedings.	5th „ „ 654, Mis.

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MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*	1897.
Errata from Government, Revenue Department, in Government Order, No. 221, dated 30th March 1897, regarding Salem iron-ores.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording, recorded.	15th July, F. No. 699, Mis
Nellore—Certain records connected with the boundary dispute of the Kanigiri Hill, forwarded to the Collector. —To order the despatch of certain maps relating to the same subject.—Government requested,	13th Aug., „ 803, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order stating that health certificates required from candidates for admission into Government training institutions are no guarantee that the students will be fit for public service and that they must produce fresh health certificates when entering Government service, recorded.	14th „ „ 812, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order stating that public servants should not take part in the public meetings held for the purpose of attacking the official character of public servants, recorded.	18th „ „ 830, Mis.
Vizagapatam—The charge sheets filed by the Agent, Vizianagram forests, fall under the exemption XVIII contained in section 19 of the Court-fees Act VII of 1870. ——Board concurred in the views of the Collector.	19th „ „ 835, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order directing submission of a report by civil officers on transfer to a new district of their pecuniary indebtedness, if any, to the individuals resident therein, recorded.	30th „ „ 866, Mis.
Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India regarding Forest-officers' Provident Fund, communicated to all Conservators of Forests and Collectors.	9th Sept., „ 396.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order recording the report that a third-class combined Post and Telegraph office was opened at Koraput in the Vizagapatam district, recorded.	11th „ „ 922, Mis.
Central Circle Conservator's endorsement furnishing information in regard to the returns to be forwarded by the Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India, to the Board and other officers, communicated to the Deputy Superintendent.	24th „ „ 974, Mis.
Letter from the Collector requesting the Board to withdraw certain privilege enjoyed by the villagers of Golgonda on account of the occurrence of fire in the forests, and to sanction compensation to the forest guard whose dwelling was burnt.—Orders passed on,	28th „ „ 987, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) furnishing explanation to the observations made by Government on the Board's jamabandi report for fasli 1305, recorded.	7th Oct., „ 1026, Mis.

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MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*	1897.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order recording resolution of the Government of India delegating to Local Governments and Administrations and to departments of the Government of India the power to remit disallowances by audit officers as far as they affect payments made more than six months, recorded.	11th Oct., F. No, 1050, Mis.
That the practice of allowing the Treasury Deputy Collector to open the District Forest-officer's tappal during his absence from head-quarters is unobjectionable, stated.	14th " " 1067, Mis.
Government Order, Public Department, stating that the amendment to article 23 of the Public Servants' Manual proposed in Government Order, No. 160, Public, dated 30th January 1896, cannot be effected without the sanction of the Government of India.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating, recorded.	2nd Nov., " 1129, Mis.
The procedure to be observed in reporting forest offences. —Letter from the Collector of Trichinopoly and the Board's observations thereon in regard to, circulated to all Collectors for remarks.	8th " " 479.
Defalcations by head clerks and revenue clerks of Forest Divisional offices.—Submitting to Government report on the subject of,	10th " " 1159, Mis.
Malabar and South Canara—No objection to A. Shiva Rao, Head clerk of the Deputy Tahsildar's office, Kasaragod, retaining a lien on his permanent appointment during the time he is employed on other duty as Forest Settlement head clerk and no special sanction is necessary as both appointments are in the same department, stated.	15th " " 1177, Mis.
Explanation of the term "Revenue stations" submitted to Government.	19th " " 1201, Mis.
Government Order, Pension Department, requesting the Board to instruct the Collector of Vizagapatam and the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, to provide one S. Arokiaswami Pillai, late Ranger, Forest Department, with the post of a clerk, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	20th " " 1211, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order, Public Department, communicating report of the Superintendent of Pensions on the employment in civil capacities of pensioners of the Madras Army for the year 1896–97, recorded.	23rd " " 1216, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) issuing instructions to Collectors as to the papers to be entered in the "Board and Government register" maintained in its office and in the "General current register" maintained in offices subordinate to them, recorded.	1st Dec., " 1240, Mis.
Regarding custody of the records of the District Forest-office.—Orders passed,	3rd " " 530.

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MISCELLANEOUS—*cont.*	1897.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order, Public Works Department, passing orders on the statement of works reported to be urgently needed by the Revenue Department with regard to provision of funds in the current official year, recorded.	3rd Dec., F. No. 1252, Mis.
The Surgeon-General's opinion in respect of medicines to be administered in cases of fever, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, for information and guidance.	6th " " 1255, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order cancelling paragraph 4 of Government Order, No. 334, Financial Department, dated 14th May 1896, so far as it relates to Bank of Madras deposit receipts, but stating that the security deposits of Government servants already lodged in the Bank will be allowed to continue until the expiry of the term of each deposit, recorded.	8th " " 1263, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order (Judicial) regarding legal proceedings by one department of Government against another, recorded.	8th " " 1264, Mis.
Board's Proceedings communicating Government Order communicating despatch from the Secretary of State suggesting that officers in India should be cautioned against communicating in their official capacities with private companies, inventors or manufacturers, recorded.	15th " " 1295, Mis.
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NOTIFICATION.	
Nellore—Draft, for extension of date of reservation of certain blocks in the district, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Notification ordered to be published by Government.	6th Jan., " 6, Mis. 20th " " 59, Mis.
Salem—Cancelling the proposed reservation of Paranthakal and two other blocks.—Government Order ordering publication of the, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	7th " " 13, Mis.
—containing Game Rules.—Government Order requesting the several Government Translators to translate the, into the vernaculars concerned and to forward the translations to the Superintendent, Government Press. recorded.	19th " " 54, Mis.
Coimbatore—Draft, under section 24 of the Forest Act for the disafforestation of certain small blocks in the district.—Government Order sanctioning the publication of the, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	20th " " 28.
Tinnevelly—Draft, under section 24 of the Forest Act for the disafforestation of Okkiniranpothai and Nelankurichi blocks in the Tenkasi taluk, forwarded to the Government of India.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	20th " 23rd Mar., " 61, Mis. " 125.

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NOTIFICATION—*cont.*	1897.
— under section 24 of the Forest Act for the disafforestation of certain private lands included in the Bolampatty reserved forest.—Government Order ordering publication of the, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	28th Jan., F. No. 38.
South Arcot—Cancelling the previous, in respect of Edanjalam and certain other blocks, ordered to be published. —— Notification of disafforestation of certain blocks, forwarded to the Government of India. —— Government Order ordering publication of the notification of disafforestation, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	28th „ „ 39. 1st April, „ 139.
Salem—Draft, for the cancellation of the initial notification in respect of the Nochingudde block in Tiruppattúr taluk, submitted to Government.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated.	16th Feb., „ 155, Mis. 4th Mar., „ 213, Mis.
Tinnevelly—for the acquisition of certain lands in the Tirumalaikolundapuram village, Tinnevelly taluk, for planting casuarina.—Government Order, Revenue Department, transferring to the Public Works Department for publication a, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	18th Feb., „ 160, Mis.
Kurnool—Draft, for the transfer of settlement of certain blocks in the district to Mr. R. H. L. Lushington, submitted to Government for approval and early publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	19th „ „ 165, Mis. 25th „ „ 186, Mis.
Ganjám—Draft, for cancelling the initial notifications in respect of the Pangidi block in Goomsur taluk, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order ordering publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	11th Mar., „ 241, Mis. 6th April, „ 319, Mis.
Draft, for disafforestation of a portion of the Melavittan reserve required for house-sites, approved by Government and forwarded to the Government of India.—— Government Order ordering publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Government requested to approve the date proposed for the notification to take effect from.	16th Mar., „ 117.
Kurnool—Draft, under section 24 of the Forest Act for the disafforestation of certain portions of the Nallamalai forests traversed by the Southern Mahratta Railway, submitted to Government with remarks. ——Government Order returning to the Board for resubmission in the prescribed form the draft notification under section 24, communicated to the Collector for compliance.—— Three draft notifications under section 24 for the disafforestation of the lands, submitted to Government. ——Government Order amending the notification and forwarding to the Government of India, recorded.	16th „ „ 254, Mis. 8th April, „ 334, Mis. 15th June, „ 561, Mis. 21st July, „ 730, Mis.

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NOTIFICATION—*cont.*	1897.
Anantapur—under section 18 of the Forest Act admitting certain patta rights and rights of way in the Gatturu reserved forest, ordered to be published by Government.	22nd Mar., F. No. 124.
Malabar—Board's proposal to issue a combined, under sections 4 and 33 in respect of leased forests, withdrawn.	6th „ „ 188.
Nilgiris—To cancel the existing, of the Carritt Shola reserved forest, considered unnecessary.—— To submit the necessary draf tnotification under section 4 for the proposed additions.—Collector requested,	6th May, „ 406, Mis.
A draft, under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act I of 1894 for the acquisition of Mr. Kindersley's lands on the,—The Collector requested to submit,——Notification returned by the Collector, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing publication of the notification, communicated.	12th „ „ 480, Mis. 30th June, „ 630, Mis. 21st July, „ 729, Mis.
Draft, under section 24 in respect of three blocks in the Gudalur taluk, Nilgiris district, submitted to Government.—— Government Order approving the notification and forwarding the same to the Government of India, recorded.	18th Nov., „ 1199, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 1280.
Draft, for the application of section 32 (*c*) of the Forest Act to the Sarugumali Hills (Zemindari forests), submitted to Government.	20th Nov., „ 1206, Mis.
Draft, under section 24 of the Forest Act in respect of a portion of the Naduvattam reserved forest in the Nilgiri district, proposed to be handed over to Mr. Rierson Arbuthnot for building a new tea factory, submitted to Government.—— The area to be disafforested being one of trifling extent and of value, Government requested to forward the notification to the Government of India leaving the terms of the grant to be decided by the Collector.	22nd „ „ 1213, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 1284, Mis.
Draft, investing Mr. Mullins, Special Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, with powers to take down evidence in the English language and in his own hand-writing in forest settlement cases arising in the Malabar district, submitted to Government.—— Government Order approving the notification, recorded.	22nd Nov., „ 1214, Mis. 15th Dec., „ 1296, Mis.
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PATTA.	
Anantapur—Grant of a,—Collector's letter recommending the, to Panchangam Papanna for certain fields in Arempalli, hamlet of Munimadugu, included in Guttur reserve, submitted for the orders of Government.—— Government Order accepting Board's recommendation for the grant of patta rights, &c., communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.—— Publication of notification under section 18 of the Forest Act admitting the patta rights, &c., ordered.	23rd Feb., „ 181, Mis. 22nd Mar., „ 124.

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PATTA—*cont.*	1897.
Madura—That the grant of, for the lands taken in exchange in Kuppuvamadi proposed reserve.—The petitioners informed the question of, will shortly be settled.	6th May, F. No. 405, Mis.
Cuddapah—Government Order ordering the publication of notification under section 18 of the Madras Forest Act admitting, rights to certain lands in Nurukuppalkonda and Marella blocks, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	26th April, „ 167.
Letter from the Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., districts, inquiring whether the statement by a karnam of the existence of, rights in a proposed reserve constitutes a claim.—Orders passed on,	13th Aug., „ 346.
Cuddapah—Draft notification under section 18 of the Forest Act for the grant of pattas over certain lands included in the Govinikanama reserve, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	1st Oct., „ 999, Mis. 27th „ „ 464.
North Arcot—Draft notification under section 18 for the admission of certain rights in respect of the Rangachari yeri included within the Panamadugi reserve, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order concurring in the views expressed by the Board and directing the publication of the notification, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	2nd Nov., „ 1127, Mis. 15th Dec., „ 551.
Salem—Sanction of Government to issue pattas under section 18 of the Forest Act in respect of certain inam lands included within the Noganur reserved forest in the Hosúr taluk, requested, right to a certain tank included therein being granted by the Collector by an order in writing.	25th Nov., „ 1223, Mis.
South Canara—Letter from the Collector of South Canara recommending certain alteration of area in the case of, granted to one Muttayya Chetti under section 18 of the Forest Act, submitted to Government with Board's support.	1st Dec., „ 1236, Mis.
PAY.	
Chingleput—That forest guard Syed Jaffer should be re-instated in his post with arrears of,—Stated with remarks.——Arrears of, due to forest guard Syed Jaffer who was re-instated to his post on appeal to the Board, Collector's application requesting sanction for payment of, submitted for the orders of Government.——Government Order sanctioning the payment of arrears of, communicated to the Collector through the Conservator of Forests.	9th Mar., „ 229, Mis. 22nd April, „ 362, Mis. 21st May, „ 468, Mis.
Accountant-General considering that salaries to subordinate officers should only be paid on bills duly passed by the head of the office.—The Board agrees with,——That salary bills of permanent establishments be governed by section 166 of the Forest Code, stated.	17th „ „ 197.

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PENSION.	1897.
Special, to first-grade Conservator of Forests.—Government Order on the Secretary of State's decision in regard to grant of, communicated to Mr. E. D. M. Hooper, Acting Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	25th Feb.,, F. No. 188, Mis.
—to Revenue and Forest subordinates drawing Rs. 20 and less a month.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order communicating Government Order, Financial Department, delegating to the Board of Revenue the power to grant, and to commute retrospectively periods of absence of their subordinates without leave into leave without allowances, recorded.	30th April ,, 387, Mis.
Cuddapah—Gratuity of Rs. 24 to Pattadurti Veeriah, late forest guard.—The Board resolved to grant,	17th May, ,, 444, Mis.
Ganjám—An invalid gratuity of Rs. 24.—The grant of, to Ganapathi Senapathe, forest guard, sanctioned.	16th June, ,, 571, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order (Pension) declaring under article 382, Civil Service Regulations, that future incumbents of certain classes of menial servants are not eligible for, recorded.——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) informing the Collector of Nellore that masalchies whose pay ranges from Rs. 7 to Rs. 5 are eligible for, recorded.	20th Aug., ,, 842, Mis. 2nd Nov., ,, 1130, Mis.
Board's Proceedings communicating Government Order recording letter from the Government of India stating that only acting allowances drawn by an officer appointed provisionally under article 109 or sub. *pro tem.* under article 110 of the Civil Service Regulations, should be taken into account in calculating pension, recorded.	4th ,, ,, 1143, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order, Public Department, communicating report of the Superintendent of Pensions on the employment in civil capacities of the pensioners of the Madras Army for the year 1896-97, recorded.	23rd ,, ,, 1216, Mis.
—of Rs. 4 per mensem payable at Salem to one Kadir Batcha Sahib, late forester, Salem district, in consideration of his qualifying continued service of 30 and odd years in inferior and superior grades, granted.	7th Dec., ,, 1258, Mis.
Application for, of C. M. Parthasaradhi Nayudu, ranger on leave, forwarded to the Accountant-General for verification and eventual submission to Government for sanction.	18th ,, ,, 1304, Mis.
PERMIT.	
Card-board tickets for firewood head loads.—Letter from the Superintendent, Government Press, stating that the estimated cost of manufacturing, printing and numbering of, is As. 12 per 1,000, recorded.——Stated that the Board will arrange to supply them on application by District Forest-officers.——Reports from Collectors regarding the issue of, recorded.	14th Jan., ,, 19. 2nd June, ,, 524, Mis.

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PERMIT—*cont.*	1897.
Proposals of the Collector in the matter of the extension of time for grazing, from 31st March to 15th June 1897, approved.	28th April, F. No. 374, Mis.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, submitting proposals for additional establishment required if the uncontrolled system now in vogue in the district is abolished, recorded with remarks.	16th June, „ 567, Mis.
Kurnool—Number of cattle, sheep, &c., for which, were issued during 1896–97, and whether they penetrated into the recesses of the Nallamalais.— The Collector requested to report.——The Collector's report that no permits were issued for 1896–97, recorded.	17th „ „ 572, Mis. 9th Aug., „ 793, Mis.
Nilgiris—That 3,000 white, have been despatched.—The Collector informed,——Colour of the paper for and form of special permit, asked for.——Collector requested to report.——That special permits may be printed on papers of different colours, stated.——The proposal of the Superintendent, Government Press, to substitute certain coloured papers instead of certain others proposed and his action in asking the Superintendent of Stationery to arrange for the necessary supply in anticipation of sanction, approved.	28th June, „ 618, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 393. 24th Nov., „ 506.
Nellore—Collector's proposal regarding grazing rules and postponement of coloured, approved.——Government Order recording the Board's Proceedings, recorded.	3rd July, „ 645, Mis. 21st „ „ 726, Mis.
That duplicates and counterfoils of, may be destroyed at the same time unless the Collector has reason to order otherwise, stated.	22nd „ „ 296.
PETITION.	
South Arcot—from the ryots of Ariyaperumanur village requesting that a portion of the Alathur reserve lying within their village may be excluded from reservation. — Government Order declining to comply with the request in, communicated to the Collector.	6th Jan., „ 11, Mis.
—from Muthu Pillai and others of Kallakurchi complaining of the increased rates of grazing fees levied in the district.—Collector's report on, submitted to Government with remark.——Government Order stating that the request of petitioners cannot be admitted, recorded.	8th „ „ 14, Mis. 29th „ „ 95, Mis.
Ganjám—from Narasinga Patro, late a permit-issuing gumastah, appealing against the orders of the Collector and the Board in the matter of his dismissal, submitted to Government.——Government Order declining to accede to petitioner's request, recorded.	14th „ „ 28, Mis. 13th Feb., „ 145, Mis.
Salem—from Gurnswami Pillai, Temporary Surveyor, appealing against the order of the District Forest-officer withholding his pay for certain periods.—Board declines to interfere in,	15th Jan., „ 38, Mis.
Trichinopoly—from Zainulabdien, late a forest guard, appealing against the orders of the Board dismissing him	20th „ „ 60, Mis. 25th Feb., „ 190 Mis.

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from service, submitted to Government.——Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of petitioner, recorded.	
— from D'Raze, late a forester, appealing against the orders of the Board confirming his dismissal from service.—Government Order declining to interfere in, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	20th Jan., F. No. 62, Mis.
Kurnool—from Jamal Sahib, late forest tannadar of Komrol and Cumbum, appealing against the order of the Collector dismissing him from his post.—Board declined to interfere in,	20th " " 63, Mis.
North Arcot—from Durgiah Nayudu, late a depot keeper, appealing against the order of his dismissal.—Government Order declining to interfere in, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	26th " " 80, Mis.
Gódávari—from N. Sundaram, late a forester, appealing against the order of his dismissal.—Government Order declining to interfere in, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	26th " " 84, Mis.
Coimbatore—from Devanayagam Pillai, late a temporary Forest Supervisor, appealing against the Conservator's order dismissing him from his post.—Board declined to interfere in, and sees no reason to make any change in the rules for the grant of copies to officers desiring to appeal.	8th Feb., " 121 Mis.
Salem—from Bavudeen Sahib appealing against Collector's order revoking his contract to collect minor forest produce within Tiruppattúr range.—The Collector requested to report on certain points in,——The Collector requested to take the Government Pleader's opinion whether any suit which may be brought by the petitioner can be defended with success.	11th " " 138, Mis. 26th " " 203, Mis.
South Arcot—from one Subbaraya Achari of Killai claiming compensation for certain land included in the Killai reserve.—Board declines to interfere in,	20th " " 170, Mis.
Trichinopoly—from T. Subbraya Pillai, late range clerk, Perambalúr, appealing against the order of his dismissal from his post.—Board declines to interfere in,	22nd " " 175, Mis.
Kurnool—from Chittu Rao, lessee of certain date farms.—Orders passed on,——Collector directed to adjust as a special case so much of the deposit money of petitioner as may be necessary to cover the arrear kist due by him.	25th " " 187, Mis.
Tinnevelly—from Sivasangu Nadan regarding certain money due to him with reference to the cancelment of lease of the minor produce of the forests in the Ambásamudram taluk.—Board declines to reconsider order already passed on,	15th Mar., " 252, Mis.

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Vizagapatam—to the Government of India from K. Bhagirazu, late forest guard in the district, appealing against the order of his dismissal from the public service, submitted to Government with remarks.—— Government Order withholding the memorial, recorded.	17th Mar, F. No. 259, Mis. 29th „ „ 295, Mis.
South Arcot—from C. Narasinga Rao, late forest guard, appealing against the orders of the Board in the matter of his dismissal from Government service, submitted to Government with remarks.——Government Order declining to interfere on behalf of the petitioner, communicated to the Collector for intimation to the petitioner.	7th April, „ 328, Mis. 19th May, „ 457, Mis.
Salem—of Naina Mahomed Rowther of Kadayampatti requesting that he may be allowed the contract of clearing certain tank.—The Collector's recommendation in the matter of, approved.	7th April, „ 329, Mis.
Madura—from Bagyam Pillai, late a forester, appealing against the orders of the Board and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, dismissing him from service, submitted to Government with remarks.—— Government Order directing that the order of dismissal be commuted to one of removal from service, communicated to the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	21st „ „ 350, Mis. 28th May, „ 509, Mis.
Salem—from Ibrahim Sheriff, late Forest guard, rejected as time-barred.	1st „ „ 393, Mis.
Madura—requesting to hand over the lands taken for Kuppuvamadi reserve.—Orders passed on,	6th „ „ 405, Mis.
Bellary—That the only ground on which remission can be granted is the failure of crop, agreed with the Collector in considering, to report the percentage of remission.—The Collector requested, ——The Collector's letter recommending remission of 25 per cent. on two years' lease or 50 per cent. on the current year's lease of tangedu bark, recorded pending further report.—— Remission of Rs. 21,304 to the contractors.——Government sanction requested for a,——Government Order declining to grant the remission, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	10th „ „ 421, Mis. 9th June, „ 538, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 1082, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 1282, Mis.
— from T. J. Subroyal Pillai, late Forest Range clerk, Perambalúr, rejected as being unstamped.—The Board sees no reason to modify the orders already passed, stated.	17th May, „ 443, Mis.
Madura—Appeal, of S. G. Sheffee Sahib, late Deputy Ranger, against the order of the Conservator, rejected as being unstamped.	18th „ „ 451, Mis.
Salem—That proposals for cancelling the initial notification in respect of Pungulam western and eastern extensions are before Government.—Certain petitioners informed,	19th „ „ 454, Mis.
Anantapur—Proposals and arrangements made by the Collector in regard to the grant of concessions asked for by certain tangedu bark contractors, approved.—— Why such a large percentage of remission as Rs. 21,304, in respect of certain tangedu bark contracts. —— The	26th „ „ 493, Mis. 13th July, „ 691, Mis. 18th Oct., „ 1082, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 1282, Mis.

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Collector of Bellary requested to report,——Collector's report submitted to Government with Board's recommendation.—— Government Order declining to grant the remission asked for, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests.	
Chingleput—in the matter of reduction of pay from Rs. 10 to Rs. 8 of Ramakrishna Naidu, forest guard.—Board declines to interfere,	9th June, F. No. 540, Mis.
South Arcot—from certain inhabitants of Melsavur village, Tindivanam taluk, complaining against the reservation of certain lands by the forest authorities, forwarded to the Collector for disposal.	30th " " 631, Mis.
Anantapur—from certain tangedu bark contractor praying for the grant of certain concession in the collection of the bark.—The Board declined to interfere in the matter.	7th July, " 663, Mis.
Kurnool—The action of the Collector in the matter of the seizure of wood alleged to belong to one Chenchiah and others in the district, approved.——Further report from the Collector.——Orders passed on,	13th " " 686, Mis. 8th Oct., " 1036, Mis.
Trichinopoly—of David Pillai, late Forest Guard, appealing against the order of dismissal by the District Forest-officer and Collector.—Board declined to interfere,	24th July, " 742, Mis.
Nellore—from a tangedu bark contractor requesting an extension of his lease by six months.—Board declined to sanction,	16th Aug., " 814, Mis.
Coimbatore (*North*)—from Ponnuswami Nayudu, second clerk, District Forest Office, in the matter of his dismissal.—Board declined to interfere,	24th " " 845.
Vizagapatam—from Virabhadra Padal regarding complaint against the inclusion of certain hills in the Dharakonda reserve.—Board declined to interfere on behalf of,	3rd Sept., " 883, Mis.
Salem—The proposal to reserve the Manmalai block in the Atur taluk has since been abandoned.—Petitioners informed,	13th " " 923, Mis.
Nellore—Appeal, from S. Hari Rao, late Deputy Ranger, Kanigiri Range, praying for restoration to his former appointment, submitted to Government with remarks. —Government Order declining to interfere, recorded.	14th " " 926, Mis. 19th Oct., " 1083, Mis.
North Arcot—from V. R. Durgiah Nayudu, late depot storekeeper.—Government Order declining to reconsider, communicated to the Collector for intimation to the petitioner.	18th Sept., " 943, Mis.
—from certain ryots of Nellipatla village, Palmaner taluk, complaining against the reservation of certain lands.—Orders passed on,	23rd " " 975, Mis.

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Nilgiris—Mr. Baker's claim for compensation for his land included in Dodabetta reserve.—Board declined to reconsider,	27th Sept., F. No. 982, Mis.
Kurnool—from Syed Dastoo Miyan, late tannadar, regarding his dismissal from public service.—Board declined to recommend,	29th ,, ,, 990, Mis.
Chingleput—Complaints of the villagers of Agaram village about want of grazing ground for their cattle has been sufficiently met by allotting the tank-bed and waste land of the adjoining village of Manapad, stated.	30th ,, ,, 995, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) informing Collectors, &c., that stamp duty under the Court-fees Act is to be levied in future on appeals to the Board by public servants in regard to their punishments, recorded.	2nd Oct., ,, 1007, Mis.
Kurnool—of late Forester Kondalroyadu affords ample evidence of his incompetence, stated.—The order of dismissal changed into one of removal from service. —— Review petition of Kondalroyadu seeking re-employment.—— Board declined to reconsider,	7th ,, ,, 1021, Mis. 10th Nov., ,, 1158, Mis.
Salem—from Davood Beg, late commissioned tannadar, Atúr taluk.—Board declined to interfere in the matter of,	8th Oct., ,, 1035, Mis.
Madura—from Mohideen Pichai, late Forest Guard, Kodaikánal Range, regarding his dismissal from service.—Board declined to interfere,	9th ,, ,, 1041, Mis.
Tinnevelly—from Suppukone, late Forest Guard, Vadagarai, regarding his dismissal.—Board declines to intertere,	13th ,, ,, 1056, Mis.
to refund the earnest money to the petitioner Kathirabala Pillai, timber contractor.—The Collector requested,	14th ,, ,, 1064, Mis.
North Arcot—The Collector's report on the, of certain ryots of Vellore taluk complaining against the local forest authorities, submitted to Government.——Government Order agreeing with the Board in its view regarding the complaints, communicated to the Collector.	18th ,, ,, 1077, Mis. 17th Nov., ,, 1194, Mis.
The Board sees no reason to revise the promotions already made to the fourth grade of rangers and declines to interfere on behalf of Aswatham Nayudu, Ranger, fifth grade, Northern Circle, stated.	20th Oct., ,, 1088, Mis.
Kurnool—from M. Narasinga Rao, late tannadar, praying for re-instatement in his post.—Board declined to interfere in the matter of,	3rd Nov., ,, 1133, Mis.
Salem—from Ramaswami Naiken and others of Atúr regarding the levy of charges for leaves taken from unreserved lands for manure. — Orders passed on, and	8th ,, ,, 1156, Mis.

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the Collector instructed to make no distinction between cultivating ryots and holders of large acreages in the matter of taking leaves for manure free of cost.	
Coimbatore—Ranger Arumuga Mudaliyar has been rightly held liable for loss that accrued to Government in consequence of certain advances made by him to certain contractor.—Considered that, —— Stated that there is no objection to the adjustment of the outstanding advances by sale of the unused articles.	11th Nov., F. No. 1166, Mis.
Salem—Memorial to Government by M. Venkatesa Aiyar, late acting Forest Guard, Shendamangalam, in the Namakkal taluk, regarding his dismissal from public service, submitted to Government with the remark that the Board has no recommendation to make on petitioner's behalf.——Government Order declining to interfere in the petitioner's behalf, recorded.	13th " " 1175, Mis. 1st Dec., " 1237, Mis.
— from L. Narayana Sastri, Deputy Ranger, Cuddapah district, appealing against the Conservator's order reducing him permanently to the grade of Deputy Ranger, second grade.—Orders passed on the,	16th Nov., " 1187, Mis.
— of Mrs. Foulkes, zemindarni of Salem, requesting that the provisions of section 32 (*c*) of the Forest Act may be extended to the Sarugumalai Hills, submitted.	20th " " 1206, Mis.
— from Syed Meah, late acting duffadar of the Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara districts, regarding his suspension from office.—Board declined to interfere in the matter of the,	29th " " 1226, Mis.
— from Mariappa Chetty, late tannadar of Thale, Hosur taluk, Salem district, against the orders of the District Forest-officer and the Collector dismissing him from service.—Board declined to interfere in the matter of the,	2nd Dec., " 1241, Mis.
— from V. Narayanasawmy Mudali, abkári contractor of Ambur, Vellore taluk, regarding the attachment and sale of his house, &c., for arrears of abkári revenue.—Board declined to interfere and dismissed the appeal,	7th " " 1257, Mis.
— from N. Krishna Rao, Forester, Nellore district, in the matter of the Central Circle Conservator's order reducing from Rs. 30 to Rs. 20. — Board declined to interfere in the matter of the,——The Conservator requested to communicate the Board's decision to the appellant.	9th " " 1267, Mis.
— from Mr. R. W. Rouse, late Deputy Ranger, in the matter of his dismissal from service.—Board declined to interfere,	18th " " 1305, Mis.
Appeal, of T. J. Subbaraya Pillai, late a Forest Range clerk in the Perambalúr range, Trichinopoly district, appealing against the order of his dismissal, submitted to Government.	18th " " 1306, Mis.

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PLANTATION.	1897.
Ganjám—Letter from the Collector forwarding an estimate for Rs. 4,516 for planting casuarina, at Augusti Nowgam village in, submitted to Government for orders.——Certain remarks in connection with the estimate for, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning additional estimate for Rs. 4,000 for, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	3rd May, F. No. 395, Mis. 1st June, „ 514, Mis. 28th „ „ 615, Mis.
Gódávari—That operations of planting of date and palmyra trees in Government waste in the, district, the Board does not consider advisable, it should not be undertaken except under the supervision of the District Forest-officer, stated.	12th May, „ 431, Mis.
Madura—Papers relating to the Gundan Shola, submitted to Government.—Sanction for an estimate for Rs. 29,324 for the same, solicited. —— Government Order sanctioning the work, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	18th „ „ 450, Mis. 12th June, „ 546, Mis.
POUNDS.	
South Arcot—fees.—Levy of enhanced rates of, on goats trespassing into the reserved forests of the Tiruvannámalai taluk.—Collector requested to submit a revised draft notification for the,——Revised draft returned by the Collector, submitted to Government; the draft notification therefor, the Government requested to publish. ——Government Order altering and publishing the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	23rd Jan., „ 73, Mis. 3rd June, „ 527, Mis. 24th July, „ 309.
Salem—Draft notification under section 58 of the Forest Act for the levy of increased rate of, fees on goats trespassing in the Pennagaram reserved forest in the, district, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order approving and ordering publication of the notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	8th Sept., „ 904, Mis. 22nd „ „ 959, Mis.
PRINTING.	
—of card-board tickets for firewood head-loads.—Letter from the Superintendent, Government Press, stating that the estimated cost of manufacture and, is As. 12 per 1,000, recorded.	14th Jan., „ 19.
Kistna — Heliographic, process. — Collector's application for a, submitted to Government with the request that the Superintendent of Stationery may be authorized to supply the necessary materials. ——Government Order declining to sanction the purchase of the article, communicated to Collector through the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	9th Feb., „ 125, Mis. 9th Mar., „ 227, Mis.
South Canara—of guards' note books for the year 1898 at a cost of Rs. 57–8–0, sanctioned.	27th Sept., „ 980, Mis.
PROMOTION.	
—of Ranger J. A. Daly to the fourth grade under new scale *vice* Mr. J. Tapp, sanctioned.	6th April, „ 317, Mis.

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The draft list of, submitted by Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, approved; to adopt a general list of Rangers for the Presidency for regulating, considered desirable; to report the names of Rangers deserving promotion, Conservators of Forests requested to report.	4th May, F. No. 398, Mis.
Northern Circle Conservator's proposals for exempting certain Rangers, Deputy Rangers from passing the prescribed examinations previous to,—Orders passed on, —To send similar proposals, other Conservators of Forests requested.——Mr. Hooper's remarks regarding the exemption of certain Deputy Rangers from passing the Forestry Test, referred to Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, for remarks.——Proposals for promotion of Rangers, orders passed on.	17th ,, ,, 445, Mis. 30th June, ,, 629, Mis. 1st July, ,, 639, Mis.
Papers relating to proposals for, of Rangers under the new scale.—Orders passed on,——Appointment of four temporary Deputy Rangers in Northern Circle to compensate for vacancies in the Ranger's class, sanctioned.	1st ,, ,, 639, Mis. 4th Sept., ,, 892, Mis.
Papers relating to the, of Mr. Mullins, Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, in Survey Department, submitted to Government with remarks.——Government Order recording, with reference to Board's Proceedings, Mis., No. 675, dated 9th July 1897, regarding promotion of Survey officers employed as Forest Settlement-officers.	3rd July, ,, 643, Mis. 22nd ,, ,, 734, Mis.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, advocating exemption of Forest Guards, Supervisors, &c., for, to Forester's class in his circle.—Orders passed on,	6th ,, ,, 660, Mis.
Government Order passing orders on the question of the, in the Survey Department of certain Survey officers appointed as Forest Settlement-officers, communicated to Messrs. Lushington and Mullins.	9th ,, ,, 675, Mis.
The proposals of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for the permanent, of Ranger Noronha to the Rs. 80 grade with effect from 1st January 1897, approved.	3rd Aug., ,, 765, Mis.
— of a peon in Southern Circle Conservator's office to the Forester's class.—Board declined to recommend,—— Proposals for the, of certain unpassed Forest Guards and Supervisors approved by Government, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.—— Conservator's application requesting sanction for the promotion of Supervisor G. Subramania Aiyar and peon Mahamad Khan, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the exemption of, communicated.	4th Sept., ,, 888, Mis. 20th ,, ,, 950, Mis. 1st Oct., ,, 1000, Mis. 19th ,, ,, 1084, Mis.
The Board sees no reason to revise the, already made in the fourth grade of Rangers, and that the Board declines to interfere on behalf of Aswatham Nayudu, Ranger, fifth grade, Northern Circle, stated.	20th ,, ,, 1088, Mis.
Letter from Mr. Mullins, Special Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, requesting that Government may be moved to consider his claims for, or to grant him personal allowance, submitted to Government for orders.	28th ,, ,, 1108, Mis.
Mr. Cowley Brown's letter regarding his, to the third grade of Deputy Conservators, recorded.	15th Dec., ,, 1299, Mis.

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RAILWAY.	
South Canara—Arsikeri-Mangalore,—Survey of,—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order forwarding plan and estimate, &c., for the, to the Government of India, recorded.	5th Feb., F. No. 115, Mis.
Madras, Company—Supply of fuel to the,—Central Circle Conservator's letter reporting on the, submitted for the information of Government.	25th „ „ 184, Mis.
REFUND.	
Kistna—of the cost of demarcation improperly collected from the Agraharamdars of Nidhanampad.—Collector's letter reporting on the, recorded.	1st „ „ 100, Mis.
Tinnevelly — To, the earnest money due to one Kathirbala Pillai, timber contractor, as a settlement of the matter, Collector requested.	14th Oct., „ 1064, Mis.
REMISSION.	
North Arcot—Letter from the Collector requesting orders as to who is the competent authority to sanction, of Forest revenue owing to unfavourable character of the seasons, submitted to Government for orders. —— Government Order agreeing with the Board in its views regarding, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	28th „ „ 1110, Mis. 6th Dec., „ 532.
RENT.	
Gódávari—Payment of house, at the rate of Rs. 2 for each Ranger in the, district, sanctioned.	15th Jan., „ 36, Mis.
Letter from the Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts, regarding renting of a building for the office at Rs. 30 per mensem, forwarded to the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle. —— The payment of, at Rs. 30 per mensem for the portion of the building occupied by the office of Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjam, &c., Districts, at Waltair, sanctioned.	21st May, „ 465, Mis. 24th June, „ 599, Mis.
Chingleput—for locating the Forest Range office at Saidapet, sanctioned.	29th „ „ 624, Mis.
Kurnool—A monthly expenditure of Rs. 2 for, for the Cumbum Range office, sanctioned.	15th July, „ 698, Mis.
Tanjore—Payment of Rs. 4 per month on account of the, of the Forest Range office at Point Calimere from 1st May 1897, sanctioned.	21st Oct., „ 1090, Mis.
Nellore—Payment of monthly, for certain Range offices in the district, sanctioned.	10th Nov., „ 1162, Mis.

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REPORT.	
	1897.
Progress, of the Survey of India Party for the season of 1896-97, recorded.—Programme of work for 1897-98, approved.	10th May, F. No. 192.
Tinnevelly—regarding loss of currency notes in the fire at Pápanásam, submitted to Government. —— Further report called by Government, submitted.——Government Order sanctioning the writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 85, the value of the currency notes destroyed in fire, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	27th " " 501, Mis. 23rd Sept., " 965, Mis. 14th Oct., " 1065, Mis.
Madura—Collector's, on the working of the forest minor produce, recorded with the remark that the signature of the officer who signed for the Collector is illegible.	20th Nov., " 1210, Mis.
RESERVED LANDS.	
Madura—Retention of certain rocky hills as,—Stated that the Board is not prepared to recommend the,——Conservator's letter reporting why he forwarded the Collector's letter without any remark, recorded.	22nd Feb., " 176, Mis. 19th Mar., " 263, Mis.
Collector's proposal for unreserving certain,—Concurred with Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, on,	30th April, " 382, Mis.
Nilgiris—To cancel the existing notification of the Carritt Shola reserved forest, considered unnecessary; to submit draft notification under section 4 for the proposed additions, Collector requested. —— Draft notification, submitted to Government. —— Government Order approving, communicated.	6th May, " 406, Mis. 7th Oct., " 434. 1st Dec., " 520.
Coimbatore—Applications for the grant of land for coffee cultivation in the Guttiyalattur reserve.—Orders passed on,—The opinion of the Conservator of Forests in the matter of the grant, desired.——Endorsement of the Conservator forwarding copies of correspondence regarding, recorded.	6th May, " 407, Mis. 24th June, " 605, Mis.
Nilgiris—What action has been taken regarding the, which it has been decided not to constitute "reserved forests," Collectors requested to report, — The fact should be announced by beat of tom-tom in the villages concerned, stated. —— Orders passed on correspondence regarding the treatment of, in Salem district.——Reports from the Collectors in the matter of throwing out of reservation "reserved lands" which it has been decided not to be constituted "reserved forests," recorded with remarks.	5th May, " 187. 4th Sept., " 893, Mis. 24th Nov., " 507.
Letter from the Collector reporting a case of encroachment by one Dasa Maistry in the Naduvattam reserved forest.—Orders passed on,	15th " " 438, Mis.
REVENUE.	
Forest, — Writing off the accounts of the irrecoverable arrears of, for the quarter ending 30th September 1896. — Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order sanctioning the, recorded.	23rd Jan., " 74, Mis.

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REVENUE—*cont.*	1897.
Realization of, from the usufruct of toddy-yielding trees in reserved forests and reserved lands.—Remarks made that the, is not receiving sufficient attention in certain districts and attentions of Collectors concerned drawn to the matter.	26th Feb., F. No. 84.
Malabar—Land cess imposed on the lessees of Beypore tope.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) passing orders on letter from the Collector recommending that the, may be remitted, recorded.	29th Mar., ,, 294, Mis.
Vizagapatam—due to the Rani from the Madgole forests for the current year.—Payment of Rs. 3,500 for, sanctioned.	29th ,, ,, 296, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) reviewing the returns of irrecoverable arrears of land-cesses, &c., for the quarter ending 31st March 1897, recorded.—— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) reviewing the returns for the quarter ending 30th June 1897, recorded. ——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order sanctioning the writing off the accounts the sum of Rs. 8,858 and Rs. 1,459-9-4 being irrecoverable arrears of land, and cesses and fish rent, &c., for the quarter ending 30th June 1897, recorded.	23rd June, ,, 598, Mis. 30th Aug., ,, 865, Mis. 7th Oct., ,, 1028, Mis.
Certain instructions as to how the demand under such items of forest, as are realised by the officers of the Revenue Department should be determined and exhibited in the village and taluk accounts, and how the collection thereof should be watched by them, issued to all Collectors.——Government Order requesting the Board to report the amount of, derived from certain items referred to in Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 268, dated 5th July 1897, communicated to all Collectors for early compliance.—That a mere return of the, derived from the items in question will afford no information as to amount which have been credited to Forests, stated.—— Government Order recording the Board's Proceedings with remarks, recorded.——Instructions contained in Board's Proceedings, No. 268, dated 5th July 1897, as to who should determine the demand in respect of forest revenue, explained.	5th July, ,, 268. 1st Oct., ,, 997, Mis. 16th ,, ,, 1076, Mis. 21st ,, ,, 459.
South Arcot—Instructions in regard to the question of crediting of, from trees on village porambokes, issued.	14th Aug., ,, 347.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order forwarding the Advocate-General's opinion on the liability to the cesses of the lessees of the usufruct of trees standing on Government waste and poramboke lands, recorded.	22nd Oct., ,, 1095, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) passing orders on letter from the Collector of Bellary regarding credit of prohibitory assessment levied on forest areas and his proposal to assign to village karnams the duty of measuring and recording forest cultivation, recorded.	3rd Nov., ,, 1138, Mis.
REWARDS.	
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, stating that there is no objection to the North Arcot	27th April ,, 372, Mis.

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REWARDS—*cont.*	1897.
Collector's action in having disbursed, to abkári officers out of fines inflicted for breach of conditions of the lease of toddy-yielding trees, recorded.	
— granted to informers in forest offence. — To devote a paragraph in the administration report on the subject of, Collectors requested.	5th May, F. No. 183, Mis.
Coimbatore—amounting to Rs. 64 for forest subordinates engaged in the capture of an elephant in the Tuvacadavu Range, sanctioned,—Disbursement of, regulated with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 703, dated 23rd December 1897.	22nd July, " 737, Mis.
Malabar—Collector's proposal for the disbursement of, for capture of certain elephants in the Northern division, sanctioned.	7th Aug., " 786, Mis.
Coimbatore—The grant of a reward of Rs. 75 to certain forest subordinates engaged in the capture of an elephant in the Southern division, sanctioned,—The revision of rules regarding the disbursement of, for the capture of elephants, the Board declines to recommend.	27th Sept., " 983, Mis.
ROADS AND BRIDGES.	
Cuddapah—from Padvel to Sagudu in Pullampet taluk.—Estimate for Rs. 4,845 for continuing eight miles of the, sanctioned.	14th Jan., " 34, Mis.
Coimbatore—Construction of a bridle-path from Punachi to Parali. — Collector's letter forwarding copy of Mr. Windle's letter complaining that the, has not yet been constructed, submitted for the orders of Government with remarks. —— Government Order communicating Proceedings, Public Works Department, sanctioning the estimate for Rs. 2,620 for the construction, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, and Collector. —— Collector's endorsement on Mr. Windle's complaint of delay in the execution of the work, recorded.——Collector's report that no progress of the work has been made, submitted to Government.	8th Feb., " 123, Mis. 13th April, " 346, Mis. 14th June, " 551, Mis. 29th " " 623, Mis.
Kurnool—Road from Gazulapalli railway crossing to Basuvapuram gate.— Estimate for Rs. 6,075 for the construction of the first section of, sanctioned.	23rd Feb., " 178, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Pápanásam ghât road.— Collector's proposal regarding the use of the, by the Hakdar of Kattalamalai estate, approved and Government requested to order the publication of a notification for the acquisition of certain lands belonging to that estate. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the necessary notification, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	4th Mar., " 212, Mis. 19th " " 267, Mis.
Forest roads.—Report on the scheme for the development of, submitted to Government and considered that the adoption of a general scheme extending for a series of years may be deferred until working plans are matured. ——Government Order agreeing with the Board, recorded.	15th " " 251, Mis. 7th April, " 330, Mis.

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ROADS AND BRIDGES—*cont.*	
Coimbatore—Cutting of a bridle-path from the Waterfall estate boundary to Paralai on the Anamalais.—Government Order sanctioning estimate for Rs. 2,620 for, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	13th April, F. No. 346, Mis.
Completion report for the opening of the Gundila valley road Trace in Kollegal Range.—Orders passed on,—Further report called for.—The payment of the full sum of Rs. 7,000 for construction, ordered.——The work done by Mr. Morris in the way of alignment and supervision in the construction of the road, considered adequate contribution towards the cost of the road.—Disbursement of Rs. 1,973-13-9, being the amount spent in excess of the sanctioned amount, sanctioned.	6th May, „ 403, Mis. 7th July, „ 664, Mis.
Anamalai-Sethumadai road in the South Coimbatore division.—An additional expenditure of Rs. 1,199-15-2 for the repairs of, sanctioned.	9th June, „ 537, Mis.
Salem—An estimate for Rs. 6,130 for extending the ghât road up the Chitteri hills in the, district, sanctioned.	3rd July, „ 648, Mis.
Gódávari—Estimates for the completion of road works in the district.—Renewal of sanction for, accorded.	9th Aug., „ 791, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Charge of Rs. 3,500 incurred in the construction of a masonry culvert over an obstruction on the new Pápanásam road, sanctioned.	16th „ „ 815, Mis.
Coimbatore—Supplemental estimate for Rs. 280 for completing Mavatham-Talaimalai bridle-path, sanctioned with remarks.	18th „ „ 826, Mis.
Gódávari—Estimates for the construction of certain forest roads, sanctioned with remarks.—Government sanction for estimates amounting to Rs. 12,110 for the conversion of cart-track from Ramanayyapeta to Lododdi into a road, requested.—Certain discrepancies in the estimates, Collector requested to explain.——Government Order sanctioning the estimate for Rs. 12,110, communicated to the Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	14th Oct., „ 1058, Mis. 6th Nov., „ 1151, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Correspondence relating to the Kattalamalai Hakdar's claim for the use of the Pápanásam road.—Orders passed on,	15th Oct., „ 1071, Mis.
North Arcot—Supplemental estimate for Rs. 980 for completing the Peddur ghât road, sanctioned.—Completion report for the portion already constructed, forwarded to the Accountant-General.	2nd Nov., „ 1126, Mis.
Coimbatore—Collector's letter on the opening of roads on the Anamalai ghât, forwarded to Government and recommending the construction of a road which can be used without difficulty by pack-bullocks and coolies.	19th „ „ 1202, Mis.
RULES.	
Timber transit, sanctioned in Government Order, No. 707, dated 29th October 1895.—Government Order accepting the Board's proposal to insert certain words in	7th Jan., „ 8.

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the preamble of the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.—Rules for the Kurnool district to be similarly modified and published.	
North Arcot—Revised timber transit,—Introduction of the, into the district, ordered to lie over.—Board concurs with the objection of the Collector and Conservator of Forests in regard to the rules drafted by the District Forest-officer and requests Government to formally cancel the old transit rules for the district.——Papers returned by Government, re-submitted to Government with remarks and sanction requested for the issue of a notification cancelling the old Transit rules which have been allowed to fall into abeyance.—— Government Order approving Board's proposals and ordering publication of the notification cancelling the existing rules, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	23rd Jan., F. No. 78, Mis. 13th Feb., " 144, Mis. 16th Mar., " 118.
—regarding the indebtedness of public servants.—Government Order communicating Proceedings of the Public Department making certain, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	26th Jan., " 83, Mis.
—for payment of compensation under the Land Acquisition Act.—Board's Proceedings communicating Government Order amending former Act appended to the, recorded.	5th Feb., " 116, Mis.
Bellary and Anantapur—Draft set of, regarding tapping and leasing of date trees in the districts, approved.	6th " " 57.
Kistna—Timber transit, for the district, considered necessary and Collector requested to submit a draft of the rules at an early date.——Draft, to regulate the transit of timber in the, district, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order returning the rules for revision, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	16th " " 152, Mis. 25th June, " 610, Mis. 3rd Aug., " 766, Mis.
South Canara—Rule 2 of the Kumaki, — Government Order recording, with remark, Board's Proceedings regarding the interpretation to be put upon certain provisions of, communicated to the Collector.	18th Feb., " 161, Mis.
Draft, and conditions for the regulation of grant of permits for grazing in reserved forests.—Government Order approving, with remarks, the, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	26th " " 83.
Madura—Draft, under the Forest Act for the management of the Forests in the Saptur estate, approved and ordered to be published by Government.	26th " " 85.
Coimbatore—Draft, for the regulation of transit of timber in South Coimbatore, submitted to Government for approval and publication. — Collector requested to note that before the rules come into force they should be published in his district and communicated to the Collectors of Malabar and Madura.——Government Order approving, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. — An erratum to, to regulate the transport of sandalwood in Salem and timber transit in Kurnool, issued.	2nd Mar., " 207, Mis. 22nd April, " 160.

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Draft sandalwood transit, for the North Coimbatore division.—Government Order approving the, and ordering the publication as modified by Government, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. — Government requested to return the forms relating to the transit rules which were separately despatched to Government.	15th Mar., F. No. 108.
—under section 26 of the Madras Forest Act.—That the, do not make any provision for theof the withdrawal privileges of free cutting of dry wood, &c., under rule 7 of the rules, stated.	23rd „ „ 279, Mis.
Ganjám—The revised draft of timber transit, for the, district, submitted to Government as required by paragraph 2 of Government Order, No. 707, dated 29th October 1895, with remarks. —— Government Order approving the rules, communicated.	27th April, „ 168. 2nd July, „ 256.
Vizagapatam—Papers relating to the routes and gates in the Jeypore Forests, submitted to Government; to issue a notification prescribing rates for cattle-grazing.—The Agent is competent, stated.——Government Order requesting the Board to revise the, communicated to Agent to Governor, Vizagapatam.——Letter from the Agent submitting revised rules, submitted to Government for approval and publication.	18th May, „ 449, Mis. 5th July, „ 652, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 1283, Mis.
Kurnool—Collector's proposal regarding tapping of Government date trees, approved.—Collector's attention drawn to Conservator's remarks in regard thereto.	22nd May, „ 204.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order forwarding letter from the Government of India stating that certain abstract of leave and pension, have been prepared by the Finance and Commerce Department, recorded.	22nd „ „ 479, Mis.
Malabar—The revised set of timber transit, for Malabar. —The Collector of Malabar and the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requested to send their remarks if any.	2nd June, „ 521, Mis.
—regarding recovery of the cost of conveyance of horses and camp equipment by rail or steamer under article 1093 of Civil Service Regulations and reducing "50 miles" limit to "30 miles."— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order laying, recorded.	2nd „ „ 523, Mis.
The, contained in paragraph 19 of Board's Standing Order No. 11 and paragraph 18 of No. 12 regarding the disposal of lands acquired for public purposes and since relinquished.— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) revising, recorded.	2nd „ „ 525, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order communicating resolution of Government of India issuing, for the grant of exchange compensation allowance, recorded.	18th Aug., „ 825, Mis.
Gódávari—Letter from the Collector requesting to modify rule 3 of the rules under section 26 of the Forest Act	1st Nov., „ 1125, Mis. 13th Dec., „ 544.

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applicable to Bhadráchalam taluk, submitted to Government with recommendation for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the Collector's proposal and directing the publication of a notification giving effect to that proposal, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests, and the Collector requested to report regarding the amendment of rules about the fees to be paid for grazing cattle in the Government reserves.	
Draft notification for the application of section 32 (c) of the Forest Act to the Sarugumalai Hills (zemindari forests), submitted to Government.	20th Nov., F. No. 1206, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Draft timber transit, for the, district, submitted to Government with remarks.	29th „ „ 1228, Mis.
The proposed, regarding the tapping of date trees in the Cuddapah district, approved subject to the modifications made by the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	2nd Dec., „ 522.
Gódávari—The report from the Collector on the working of the, for the transport of timber from Rampa and the adjoining territory.—Orders passed on, and the Collector requested to forward succinct proposals for the organization and working of the staff for securing efficient control over the tract where the, are in force.	14th „ „ 545.
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SEEDS.	
Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India advising despatch of Swietenia macrophylla to the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, recorded.	10th May, „ 416, Mis.
SEIGNIORAGE.	
Vizagapatam—Collection of, on minor forest produce in the Golgonda Agency.—Board's Proceedings submitting to Government a report on the question of, recorded by Government.——Collector's report on the subject, submitted to Government.—Board agrees with Collector in considering that the introduction of the seigniorage system has not pressed heavily upon the hill men.——Government Order agreeing with the Board, recorded.	26th Jan., „ 81, Mis 29th April, „ 380, Mis. 17th May, „ 446, Mis.
Royalty on hides and skins imported from Jeypore.—Government Order communicating to the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, letter from the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, stating that no, is levied in those provinces, recorded.	9th Mar., „ 231, Mis.
Gódávari—The question of the levy of, on minor forest produce.—The Collector requested to deal with, in his reply to Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 177, dated 4th May 1897.	26th May, „ 494, Mis.
Bellary—Collector's request for remission of, on stones quarried by Wodders.—The attention of the Collector drawn to section 104 of the Forest Code.	16th June, „ 565, Mis.

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List of classified trees and, rates fixed for each.—Government Order approving and ordering publication of, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	13th July, F. No. 275.
Gódávari—Draft erratum for, rates printed as appendix to Government Order, No. 387, dated 26th May 1897, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—Government Order issuing the erratum, recorded.	16th Aug., „ 816, Mis. 3rd Sept., „ 882, Mis.
SERVICE.	
Provincial Forest,—Proposed re-organization of the, in connection with the transfer of 43 appointments from the Imperial Service.—Government Order communicating to the Board of Revenue and to the Accountant-General resolution of the Government of India on the, communicated to Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	14th Jan., „ 22.
Removal from, of Mr. C. M. Brisson, an employé in the Government Press, for his hopeless indebtedness.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order ordering the, recorded.	23rd „ „ 77, Mis.
Forest, branch of the Cooper's Hill College.—Government Order communicating Government of India circulars embodying the regulations for the, for 1897 and ordering them to be re-published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	26th Feb., „ 194, Mis.
Transfer of the, of Mr. H. Tapp of the Forest Department to the Court of Wards Department.—Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India sanctioning the, communicated to Collector of Ganjám, &c.	26th „ „ 197, Mis.
Madras Forest,—Southern Circle Conservator's proposal in regard to the enforcement or cancelment of the bond executed by certain forest subordinates who have subsequently left the, within the stipulated period of five years, approved.	29th Mar., „ 292, Mis.
Letter from the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, requesting a further retention of Mr. Tapp for three years from 1st January 1898 in the Jeypore estate and to pay him Rs. 200 per month, submitted to Government for sanction.	23rd Oct., „ 1098, Mis.
South Canara and Malabar—No objection to A. Shiva Rao, Head Clerk of the Deputy Tahsildar's office, Kasaragod; retaining a lien on his permanent appointment during the time he is employed on other duty as Head Clerk of the Forest Settlement-office, stated, and that no special sanction is necessary for such lien as both officers are in the same Department.	15th Nov., „ 1177, Mis.
STATIONERY.	
Kistna—Heliographic Printing Process.—Collector's application for a, submitted to Government with the request that the Superintendent of Stationery may be authorised to supply the Collector with the necessary materials.—	9th Feb., „ 125, Mis. 9th Mar., „ 227, Mis.

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STATIONERY—*cont.*	1897.
Government Order declining to sanction the purchase of the article, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	
Goose quills and steel nibs—Supply of, to public officers.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests Government Order regarding, recorded.	9th Feb., F. No. 127, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) stating that charges incurred on account of carriage of, and printed forms from Madras to district head-quarters should be debited to "30. Stationery and Printing," recorded.——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating letter from Accountant-General stating that charges incurred in connection with the despatch of stationery and printed forms from district head-quarters to subordinate officers should be debited to "30. Stationery and Printing," recorded.	10th Aug., " 796, Mis. 7th Oct., " 1023, Mis.
—purchased in the country.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording letter from the Accountant-General stating that the amplification of minor head, in the manner suggested, requires the sanction of the Comptroller-General, recorded.	15th Nov., " 1179, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order reviewing the administration report of the, Department for 1896–97, and requesting certain Collectors to explain the large increase in the consumption of certain, articles, recorded.	18th " " 1200, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order communicating Government Order (Financial Department) passing orders on the proposal to substitute country-made papers for similar articles of European manufacture in public offices, recorded.	8th Dec., " 1265, Mis.
STORES.	
Malabar—Unauthorized purchase of medicine by Mr. Marshall, late District Forest-officer, North Malabar.—Collector's letter regarding cost of, submitted for orders of Government with remark that the value of the medicines should be recovered from Mr. Marshall.——Government Order accepting the Board's suggestion, recorded.——Mr. Marshall's explanation, re-submitted to Government with remark that he should pay the full amount under objection, Rs. 52–11–6.——Government Order stating that he should be asked to pay for the medicines only not for doctor's attendance, recorded.—A fee of Rs. 25 for the doctor, sanctioned.—Burmah Government addressed on the subject.	19th Jan., " 49, Mis. 9th Feb., " 126, Mis. 21st April, " 354, Mis. 27th May, " 500, Mis.
Manufacture and distribution of quinine in the Madras Presidency.—Government Order passing orders on certain questions in regard to the, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	29th Jan., " 41.
Coimbatore—Avery's scale and weights required for the North Coimbatore division.—Government sanction required for the local purchase of, at a cost of Rs. 114–4–0.	5th Feb., " 114, Mis. 16th " " 150, Mis.

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——Government Order sanctioning the purchase of the article as a special case, communicated to Collector.	
Purchase of European and country articles within certain limits.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to all Collectors, &c., Government Order delegating to heads of departments the power of sanctioning the, recorded.	23rd Mar., F. No. 278, Mis.
Nellore—Two hanging kerosine lamps supplied by Mr. R. Ditmas of Bombay for the use of the Forest branch of the Collector's office,—Government sanction required for payment of Rs. 33-8-0 for.——Government Order sanctioning payment, communicated to Collector.	29th „ „ 291, Mis. 12th April, „ 338, Mis.
Type-writers.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to all Collectors, Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Financial Department, communicating Resolution of the Government of India directing that, should in future be obtained through the Stationery office by indent on the India Office and requesting the Superintendent of Stationery to submit his recommendation as to the pattern which should be approved for the general supply.	29th Mar., „ 293, Mis.
Coimbatore—Dynamite and other high explosives.—Board agrees with Collector and Conservator in their remarks regarding the safe storage of,	2nd April, „ 304, Mis.
The supply of a type-writing machine to Forest Settlement-officer, Malabar and South Canara, considered desirable.—Superintendent of Stationery authorised to supply one to Forest Settlement-officer. ——Government Order recording the Board's Proceedings with reference to Government Order, No. 446, dated 4th June 1897, recorded.	12th „ „ 341, Mis. 30th June, „ 685, Mis.
Salem—Indent from the Collector for four medicine chests, forwarded to the Secretary. Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras, for compliance.	11th May, „ 426, Mis.
Coimbatore—Letter from the Collector soliciting sanction for the purchase of certain articles of European manufacture for use in the Talamalai range, submitted for the sanction of Government.——Government Order sanctioning, communicated to the Collector through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	12th „ „ 432, Mis. 27th „ „ 504, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) submitting to Government the indent for articles forecasted for 1897-98 for transmission to the Secretary of State, recorded.	22nd „ „ 478, Mis.
Coimbatore—Anamalais.—The final proposals of the Collector for setting up machinery on,—Orders passed on, ——The arrangements made by the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, for, approved.——To wire to the Director-General of Stores to forward the working drawings of machinery at an early date, Government requested.——Government Order forwarding working drawings of the new machinery received from the Director-General of Stores, communicated to the Collector.——Collector's letter submitting copies of Mr. Gass'	15th June, „ 559, Mis. 25th „ „ 607, Mis. 9th Aug., „ 787, Mis. 26th „ „ 851, Mis. 31st „ „ 871, Mis.

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report to the India Office on the machinery required for the Anamalais, recorded.——To pass the expenditure in connection therewith, Accountant-General requested.——Collector's letter forwarding copy of the contract for the pump received by Mr. Gass from the India Office, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, Forest Mis. No. 851, dated 26th August 1897.	
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order stating that applications for the supply of type-writers should invariably be accompanied by proposals for the reduction of copyists' establishment, recorded.	9th July, F. No. 676, Mis.
Nellore—The purchase of a boat for Rs. 1,775 for the District Forest-officer, sanctioned.—That repairs to the boat should be conducted through the agency of Public Works Department, stated.	9th Aug., „ 790, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) recording Government Order on the supply of rubber stamps to Revenue officers, and requesting other departments to make necessary enquiries on the subject and report, recorded.	7th Oct., „ 1025, Mis.
Conservator's endorsement to the Medical Storekeeper, Madras, on Coimbatore Collector's letter regarding the supply of certain drugs, recorded.	14th „ „ 1069, Mis.
Government Order communicating, with remarks, letter from the Director-General of Stores, India Office, regarding the supply of Pressler's Borers required for the use of the Forest Department, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Conservator's report on the working of these, recorded and a report on the working of certain others requested; Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requested to submit a report on the working of these, supplied to officers in his circle.	5th Nov., „ 1148, Mis. 29th „ „ 1225, Mis.
Pressler's Borers,—Southern Circle Conservator's report on the working of, recorded and the Conservator requested to submit a further report on the working of certain others.—Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requested to submit a report on the borers supplied to officers in his circle.——Government Order recording the above Board's Proceedings pending receipt of the reports above noted, recorded.	29th „ „ 1225, Mis. 11th Dec., „ 273, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order reviewing the report on the sale of quinine powders by Revenue officials and Postmasters in the several districts of the Madras Presidency for the year ending 31st March 1897, recorded.	1st „ „ 1239, Mis.
SUIT.	
Arcot, North—Civil, reported to have been filed against Government by one Burundeen Sahib.—Instruction issued to Collector either to compromise or defend the,	6th Jan., „ 5, Mis.
Madura—Institution of an appeal against the decree of the District Munsif of Dindigul in O. S. No. 331	10th Feb., „ 128, Mis.

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of 1896 declaring the right of one Arunachella Nadan to hold a piece of land alleged to form part of a reserved forest.—Board's inability to sanction the, expressed.	
Malabar—Second appeal No. 1341 of 1895 on the file of the High Court.—Government Pleader's letter reporting result of, communicated to Collector with remarks.	10th Feb., F. No. 182, Mis.
Salem—Original, No. 776 of 1896 on the file of the District Munsif of Salem.—Defence of, sanctioned.—Collector requested to have the draft answer revised by the local Government Pleader.	11th „ „ 136, Mis.
—which may be brought by contractor Bayudin Sahib to enforce his contract to collect the minor produce in Tiruppattúr Range.—Collector requested to take opinion of the local Government Pleader as to whether, would be defended with any chance of success.	26th „ „ 203, Mis.
Cuddapah—threatened to be brought by the fuel contractor of Idupalapaya and Palkonda reserves.—Considered that the, may be awaited.—Collector to inform his District Forest-officer that his orders cancelling a contract should not be made final until an opportunity for explanation has been afforded to the contractor.	13th Mar., „ 249, Mis.
Salem—Original Suits Nos. 773 and 776 of 1896 on the file of the District Munsif's Court, Salem.—Defence of, sanctioned and draft written statement approved.—Collector's further report in the matter of the defence of the suits, recorded with remarks.	24th „ „ 280, Mis. 6th April, „ 314, Mis.
Criminal appeal No. 451 of 1896 on the file of the High Court in a forest case.—Government Order recording, with remarks, Proceedings, Judicial Department, communicating judgment of, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	22nd „ „ 162.
South Canara—proposed to be filed against the Municipal Council of Mangalore for recovery of profession tax levied from the Forest Department.—Draft plaint in the, forwarded to the Government Pleader for remarks.—A copy of revised plaint to be filed, communicated to the Collector.	23rd „ „ 365, Mis. 5th May, „ 401, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Original, No. 82 of 1897 on the file of the District Munsif of Sátur.—The proposal of the Collector to compromise, approved.—It might simplify matters if compromise took the form of a refund of the purchase money with costs, stated.	11th „ „ 425.
Nilgiris—That one Dasa maistry who made encroachments in Naduvattam reserved forests, be prosecuted, recommended.	15th „ „ 438, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Remarks of the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, on a forest case compounded for Rs. 500, communicated to Collector.—Prosecution desirable, stated.	19th „ „ 452, Mis.
Gódávari—Defence of a, preferred by a contractor, sanctioned.—Draft answer therefor, approved with remark.	3rd July, „ 644, Mis.

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Kurnool — Collector's letter reporting that a civil, is threatened by a contractor in Cumbum against the District Forest-officer in connection with certain repairs to a bungalow.—Orders passed on,	22nd July, F. No. 735, Mis.
South Canara—Original, No. 363 of 1896 on the file of the District Munsif of Puttur regarding plots of certain forest lands.—The defence of, sanctioned.—Draft answer thereto, approved.	5th Aug., „ 774, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Charge sheets filed by the agent of the Vizianagram forest fall under the exemption of XVIII contained in section 19 of the Court Fees Act VII of 1870.—Board concurred with the Collector.	19th „ „ 835, Mis.
Malabar—Second appeal No. 1314 of 1896 on the file of the High Court.—Government Pleader's letter reporting the result of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. —— Copies of decree and judgment in, forwarded to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	25th „ „ 848, Mis. 22nd Sept., „ 956, Mis.
North Arcot—Second Appeal Nos. 120 and 149 of 1897 on the file of the High Court preferred by Miss Anstey and Government.—Letter from the Government Pleader reporting the result of, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	14th Oct., „ 1066, Mis.
Report on the result of a forest, in the Vellore District Munsif's Court, recorded.	20th Nov., „ 1209, Mis.
Kistna—Government Pleader's opinion that there are no grounds for preferring a second appeal against the judgment of the District Judge in respect of the Venkupalem Agraharam claim in the Vinukonda reserve, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	2nd Dec., „ 1243, Mis.
South Canara— The Collector's recommendation that no appeal be preferred by Government in regard to cost in O.S. No. 363 of 1896 on the file of the District Munsif's Court, Puttur, accepted.	27th „ „ 1307, Mis.
SURVEY.	
Revised estimate of the cost of, in Madras for the financial year 1896–97. — Letter from the Assistant Surveyor-General forwarding the, recorded.	9th Jan., „ 19, Mis.
South Canara — Arsikeri-Mangalore Railway, — Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order forwarding plans, estimate, &c., for the, to the Government of India, recorded.	5th Feb., „ 115, Mis.
— of India estimate for 1896–97 and budget estimate for 1897–98. — Government Order communicating Resolution of the Government of India in regard to the, recorded.	12th Mar., „ 247, Mis.
Progress report of the, of India party for 1896–97, recorded.— Programme of work for the field season of 1897–98, approved.	10th May, „ 192.

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Endorsement of Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, forwarding the approximate outturn of work by the, of India, No. 9 party for the field season of 1897–98, recorded.—Superintendent requested to submit his programme of work for the field season of 1897–98. —— Programme, approved.	2nd July, F. No. 260. 25th Aug., „ 357.
Salem—Remarks of the Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India No. 19 party regarding, of the reserves bordering Salem and Mysore, communicated to Collector.	3rd „ „ 772, Mis.
Government Order communicating letter from Government of India reviewing the programme of operations of the Survey of India Department for 1897–98 and 1898–99, recorded.	18th „ „ 820, Mis.
Nilgiris—To arrange for the required funds being placed at the disposal of Mr. Douglas in connection with his deputation for the, work of Mysore-Nilgiri boundary, Government requested.——Government Order stating that the expenditure should be debited to 3. Land Revenue, Survey and Settlement, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.—To place the necessary funds at the disposal of Mr. Douglas, Accountant-General requested.	20th „ „ 839, Mis. 20th Sept., „ 946, Mis.
Proposals of the Deputy Superintendent, Survey No. 9 Party, for concentration of Survey of India No. 19 Party in Coimbatore during 1898–99, approved. — To send a list of reserves in the Nilgiris which require to be surveyed and mapped, Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requested.——Letter from the Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India, submitting extracts of correspondence with the Deputy Surveyor-General, as regards programme of work of Nos. 19 and 9 Parties, recorded. —— Letter from Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India, in charge Nos. 9 and 19 Parties, stating that all correspondence should be directed to him, recorded.—— That the Survey of India operations should be extended to Nilgiris, considered unnecessary.—To report whether the existing reserve maps are of sufficient accuracy so as to ensure accurate preparation of reserve maps without reference to Superintendent, Survey of India, Collector requested, —— Collector's recommendation regarding preparation of the maps, approved.	27th Aug., „ 372. 14th Sept., „ 398. 29th „ „ 989, Mis. 7th Oct., „ 1022, Mis. 3rd Dec., „ 1246, Mis.
The proposal of the Deputy Superintendent in charge Nos. 9 and 19 Parties, Survey of India, regarding the submission of certain periodical returns, approved subject to modification.	7th Oct., „ 433.
Government Order communicating endorsement of Deputy Comptroller-General, Calcutta, forwarding memorandum showing statement of sums payable by the various Provincial Governments on account of Survey of India, recorded.	11th „ „ 1043, Mis.
Government Order communicating Resolution of the Government of India forwarding general report on the operations of the Survey of India Department during the year 1895–96, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	14th „ „ 1060, Mis.

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Madras, and Boundaries Act—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order accepting Board's proposal to delegate to Collectors power of appointing any of their subordinates not below the rank of Deputy Tahsildar to be Survey officers, for the purpose of section 23 of, recorded.	10th Nov., F. No. 1163, Mis.
The proposal of the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, for facilitating and improving the, work of the Survey of India Party working in the Madras Presidency.—Orders passed on, and certain instructions on the subject issued.	17th „ „ 497.
Estimates for the cost of surveys, &c., in Madras for 1897-98 and 1898-99, recorded.	14th Dec., „ 1287, Mis.
SURVEY OFFICERS.	
—of the Government of India Survey Party working in the Madras forests.—Government Order accepting Board's recommendation for the exemption of, from the operation of taking out shooting licenses while on duty in forests, communicated to officers concerned.——Government requested to include Sub-Assistant Superintendent of the Survey of India under the exemption and alter the notification accordingly. —— Government Order ordering publication of an erratum to the notification already published extending the privilege of free shooting to Sub-Assistant Superintendent of the Government of India Party, communicated to Collector, Conservator of Forests and Deputy Superintendent, Survey of India.	6th Jan., „ 3. 4th Feb., „ 112, Mis. 24th Mar., „ 127.
Salem—Guruswami Pillai, Temporary Surveyor. —Board declined to interfere on behalf of, appealing against the District Forest-officer withholding his pay for certain periods.	15th Jan., „ 38, Mis.
Posting of a, Survey officer for settlement duty.—Proposal for, submitted to Government with remarks.—Stated that the Board has no objection to have Mr. Gompertz instead of Mr. Hasted.——Government Order sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Gompertz, communicated.	24th Feb., „ 183, Mis. 23rd April, „ 368. Mis.
South Canara and Malabar—Services of a Surveyor.—Southern Circle Conservator requested to arrange for placing at the disposal of the Forest Settlement-officer the,	14th „ „ 347, Mis.
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TENTS.	
Miniature Swiss Cottage,—Supply of, to District Forest-officers instead of shooting pals.—Government Order ordering the, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	16th Jan., „ 26.
Miniature Swiss Cottage,—A supplemental indent for, required for Forest-officers during 1896-97, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Prisons.—Observation made that the Conservators of Forests, Central and Southern Circles, have not replied to Board's Proceedings regarding purchase of private tents.	5th Feb., „ 46.

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Mr. H. J. A. Porter's Swiss Cottage,—Proposal to purchase, negatived as the Board cannot offer more than Rs. 250 for it.	9th Mar., F. No. 225, Mis.
Bellary—pegs.—Supply of, to the Ordnance Department from the Bellary forests. — Estimates amounting to Rs. 1,850 for, sanctioned.	25th „ „ 283, Mis.
That the provision in the budget on account of the supply of, to Forest-officers should not be exceeded except under very special circumstances, Conservators of Forests informed and requested to submit their indents for 1897-98. —— Mr. Peet's suggestion that Swiss Cottage, may be made with rectangular verandahs and bath-rooms, referred to Inspector-General of Prisons for remarks.——An indent for, for 1897-98, forwarded to Inspector-General of Prisons. — Supply of, to District Forest-officer, Vizagapatam, and Assistant Conservator of Forests, Kurnool, Inspector-General of Prisons requested to arrange for,——Letter from Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requesting to make certain alterations in the indent for, appended to Board's Proceedings, No. 223, dated 5th June 1897, and to supply to District Forest-officer of Cuddapah, forwarded to Inspector-General of Prisons. — A supply of one Miniature Swiss Cottage tent at Rs. 206 to District Forest-officer, South Arcot, Inspector-General of Prisons requested to make.	1st April, „ 300, Mis. 5th June, „ 223. 3rd July, „ 647, Mis. 9th „ „ 672, Mis.
The purchase of Mr. Stanborough's tent for Rs. 200, authorised.—Conservator's proposal to devote it for the use of the District Forest-officer, South Arcot, approved.	23rd April, „ 367, Mis.
Malabar and South Canara—Supply of a tent to Mr. Mullins, Forest Settlement-officer, for accommodating his office establishment considered unnecessary inasmuch as Forest Settlement-officers are granted a tentage allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem for maintaining a camp equipment for their use as well as for their office.	28th „ „ 376, Mis.
Miniature Swiss Cottage, with rectangular verandah and bath-room. — Government requested to sanction the supply of, to Forest-officers. —— Government Order sanctioning the supply, communicated to Collectors, Conservators of Forests and Inspector-General of Prisons.	30th „ „ 384, Mis. 9th June, „ 228.
Reports from the Conservators of Forests regarding the quality of Vellore, submitted for the information of Government.——Report from the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, regarding, submitted to Government. ——Government Order, Revenue Department, communicating Government Order, Judicial Department, requesting certain officers to form themselves into a committee with Mr. Willock as President for the purpose of considering what improvement can be effected in the manufacture of tents at Vellore Central Jail, recorded.	2nd „ „ 516, Mis. 29th „ „ 621, Mis. 19th July, „ 720, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order stating that the term "camp equipage" is defined as meaning "the apparatus for moving a camp," recorded.	10th Sept., „ 914, Mis.

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South Malabar—Supply of, to Range officer at Palghat.—Inspector-General of Prisons requested to arrange for,	1st Oct., F. No. 1002, Mis.
North Coimbatore—Supplemental indent for the supply of, to District Forest-officer, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Prisons for favour of early compliance.	3rd Dec., „ 1245, Mis.
Indent from the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, for, required for supply to Forest-officers in his Circle, forwarded to the Inspector-General of Prisons for compliance; and other Conservators of Forests requested to expedite their indents.	14th „ „ 1288, Mis.
TIMBER.	
Kurnool—transit rules sanctioned in Government Order, No. 707, dated 29th October 1895.—Government Order accepting the Board's proposal to insert certain words in the preamble of the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.—Rules for the district to be similarly modified and ordered to be published.	7th Jan., „ 8.
South Canara—basin.—Construction of a, at Mangalore Estimate received from the Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, for the, submitted to Government with remarks.——Government Order passing orders on the question of opening the, depot and the reclamation of a portion of foreshore at Mangalore, communicated to Collector.—Report upon the selection of site therefor, Collector requested to submit.——Letter from the Conservator stating that the, depot in addition to the proposed basin is not required, submitted to Government. ——Government Order recording Board's Proceedings Forest No. 681, dated 12th July 1897, recorded.	11th „ „ 23, Mis. 9th June, „ 539, Mis. 12th July, „ 681, Mis. 30th „ „ 762, Mis.
North Arcot — Revised, transit rules. — Introduction of the, ordered to lie over.—Board concurs with the objection of the Collector and Conservator in regard to the rules drafted by the District Forest-officer and requests Government to formally cancel the old rules for the district.——Papers returned by Government resubmitted to Government with remark.——Government Order approving Board's proposals and ordering the publication of the notification of cancellation of the old rules, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests.	23rd Jan., „ 78, Mis. 13th Feb., „ 144, Mis. 16th Mar., „ 118.
Gódávari—Establishment of a, depot at Rajahmundry for controling certain, coming from the Central Provinces through Gódávari district.—Proposals for the, submitted to Government.——Government Order expressing concurrence in Board's views and addressing the Government of India on the subject, recorded.——Letter from Government of India regarding the establishment of a, depot at Rajahmundry for the sale of Government, from the Allapalli forests of Central Provinces.—Government Order communicating, communicated to the Collector of Gódávari and the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.——Letter from Under Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, stating that his Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, has been directed to negotiate with the Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle of Madras, on the subject, communicated to Collector of Gódávari and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	26th „ „ 204, Mis. 25th Mar., „ 285, Mis. 19th May, „ 456, Mis. 25th June, „ 614, Mis.

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Coimbatore—transit rules for the Southern Division of the district.—Draft of, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—Collector required to note that before the rules come into force, they should be published in his district and communicated to Collectors of Madura and Malabar.——Government Order approving, communicated.	2nd Mar., F. No. 207, Mis. 22nd April, „ 160.
Salem—Sandalwood trees.—Stated that lessees of lands for coffee cultivation on the Shevaroys are entitled to fell and remove, and that there is no Government monopoly of sandalwood as in former years.——Board's Proceedings recorded by Government.	10th Mar., „ 233, Mis. 6th April, „ 323, Mis.
Conversion of, into one ton of charcoal.—Copy of circular from the Inspector-General of Forests regarding the, communicated to Conservator of Forests.	12th Mar., „ 104.
Coimbatore—Draft sandalwood transit rules for the North Coimbatore division.—Government Order approving and ordering publication of the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.—Government requested to return the forms relating to the transit rules which were separately despatched to Government.	15th „ „ 108.
Circular from the Inspector-General of Forests requesting to report on the value of, removed under rights, or granted free, or at reduced rates, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	30th „ „ 135.
Salem—Government Order communicating endorsement of the Government of India forwarding copy of letter from Inspector-General of Forests regarding the cost of converting, into one ton of charcoal, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	6th April, „ 312, Mis.
Ganjám—Revised draft of, transit rules for the, district, submitted to Government for approval.——Government Order approving the rules, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	27th „ „ 168. 2nd July, „ 256.
Estimate for Rs. 3,960 for the supply of, to the Ordnance Department during the current year, sanctioned.	13th May, „ 436, Mis.
Malabar—Revised set of, transit rules for,—The Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, requested to submit their remarks if any on,	2nd June, „ 521, Mis.
South Canara—Government Order requesting the Board to ascertain and report the circumstances under which the District Forest-officer, Malabar, expressed his inability to furnish a new spar for the flagstaff at Cannanore, communicated to the Collector for report.——Report from the Collector, submitted to Government.——Government Order communicating, with remarks, Marine Department papers regarding supply of wood for the flagstaff, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, reporting on the inadvisability of keeping seasoned, in stock, and	14th „ „ 554, Mis. 13th July, „ 689, Mis. 30th Aug., „ 857, Mis. 27th Sept., „ 979, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 548.

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TIMBER—*cont.*	1897.
stating that all departments requiring supplies of, should adopt the procedure prescribed for the Ordnance Department, submitted to Government.——Government Order approving the Board's suggestion, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	
Kistna—Draft rules to regulate transit of, in the, district, submitted to Government for approval and publication. ——Government Order returning the rules for revision, communicated to Collector for report.	25th June, F. No. 610, Mis. 3rd Aug., „ 766, Mis.
Alterations to section 209 of the Forest Code regarding stock-taking at sale depots considered unnecessary.	15th July, „ 287.
Vizagapatam—Revised set of rules to regulate the transport of, submitted to Government for approval and publication. —— Government Order approving and ordering publication of the rules, communicated to Collectors of Vizagapatam, Ganjám and Gódávari and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	21st „ „ 725, Mis. 26th Aug., „ 870.
Cuddapah—What arrangements exist for the licit supply of wood and fuel now freely removed illicitly.—Conservator of Forests, Central Circle requested to report, ——Letter from the Conservator of Forests reporting the arrangements made, recorded.——Government Order recording the Board's Proceedings, Mis. No. 856, dated 30th August 1897, recorded.	27th July, „ 749, Mis. 30th Aug., „ 856, Mis. 10th Sept., „ 912, Mis.
That returns of free grants of live-stock and of, should be submitted quarterly instead of monthly as at present, stated.——Government Order approving Board's proposal, recorded.	4th Aug., „ 328. 24th Sept., „ 414.
Government Order communicating to the Board letter from the Resident, Mysore, forwarding copy of a circular issued by Mysore Durbar regarding the classification of sandalwood and the sale of all forest produce, communicated to certain Collectors and all Conservators of Forests.	6th Aug., „ 338.
Cuddapah—transit rules for, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order directing the publication of the rules, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	8th Oct., „ 1032, Mis. 29th Nov., „ 517.
South Canara—transit rules for, submitted to Government for approval and publication.——Government Order approving the above rules subject to certain modifications, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	15th Oct., „ 1070, Mis. 2nd Dec., „ 523.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, regarding the legal position of Government in this Presidency in regard to drift wood.—Orders passed on,	4th Nov., „ 1140, Mis.
Coimbatore—Regarding free grant of, to certain ryots of the Dharapuram taluk for re-building their houses destroyed by fire.—Orders passed,	15th „ „ 1180, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Draft, transit rules for, submitted to Government with remarks.	29th „ „ 1268, Mis.

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TIMBER—*cont.*	1897.
Gódávari—Report from the Collector on the working of rules for the transport of, from Rampa and the adjoining territory.—Orders passed on the, and the Collector requested to forward succinct proposals for the organization and working of the staff in connection therewith.	14th Dec., F. No. 545.
TOOLS AND PLANT.	
Pressler's Borers,—Southern Circle Conservator's report on the working of, recorded and the Conservator requested to submit a further report on the working of certain others.—Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requested to submit a report on the borers supplied to officers in his circle.——Government Order recording the above Board's Proceedings pending receipt of the reports above noted, recorded.	29th Nov., „ 1225, Mis. 11th Dec., „ 1273, Mis.
TOPES.	
Malabar—Beypore,—Land-cess imposed on the lessees of the,— Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) passing orders on letter from the Collector recommending that the, may be remitted, recorded.	29th Mar., „ 294, Mis.
Salem—The transfer of the Civil Court compound, in, East range from the Forest to the Judicial Department, sanctioned.	17th May, „ 439, Mis.
Letter from the Collector regarding the proposed abandonment of certain forest, in the Salem district.—Orders passed on,	28th „ „ 510, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Separate Revenue) requesting Deputy Commissioners, Central and Northern Divisions, to submit estimates for planting palmyra and date, in the Ceded districts and Gódávari, recorded.	29th July, „ 754, Mis.
TRANSFER OF FUNDS.	
The power to sanction transfer of budget allotments from one detailed head to another within the same minor head and within the same district.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order delegating to Collectors and Magistrates and to District and Sessions Judges, and making certain alterations in, and additions to, the rules relating to the preparation of budget estimates circulated with Government Order, No. 602, Financial, dated 20th August 1895, recorded.	15th Nov., „ 1185, Mis.
TRAVELLING ALLOWANCE.	
Gódávari—Special, of Rs. 52-4-0.—Collector's letter recommending payment of a, to Ranger Balaji Singh on transfer to the Gódávari district, submitted for the orders of Government through the Accountant-General. ——Government Order, Financial Department, authorizing the Accountant-General to admit the charge, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	16th Jan., „ 46, Mis. 6th Mar., „ 219, Mis.
Coimbatore—Extra,—Grant of, to officers travelling on the Burgur Hill.—Board not prepared to support Collector's recommendation for the,	19th Jan., „ 50, Mis.

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Permanent monthly,—Accountant-General's letter stating that an officer can exchange his, for allowances admissible under article 1170 of the Civil Service Regulations only for the extra journey, communicated to Collector through the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	20th Jan., F. No. 56, Mis.
Government Order, Financial Department, on letter from the Government of India explaining that clause (*b*) under article 1159 of the Civil Service Regulations was intended to enable Local Government to prevent the ten days' limit for halts operating as a hardship in particular cases and considering that a special rule should be made to enable the authorities to compensate the shroffs accompanying remittances where they are detained at head-quarters for more than ten days.——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests, recorded.	21st ,, ,, 69, Mis.
Salem—Collector's application to permit his District Forest-officer to proceed to Bangalore to verify Survey of India sheets, submitted to Government.——Government Order permitting the District Forest-officer to proceed to Bangalore, communicated to Collector.——Journey of District Forest-officers, Salem and North Arcot to Bangalore with a peon and two clerks to verify the Survey of India field sheets, sanction of the Government for, requested.——Government Order sanctioning, communicated to the Collectors of Salem and North Arcot. —— Salem Collector's letter reporting the necessity for his District Forest-officer having taken with him a clerk and two peons to Bangalore, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the journey of the clerk and two peons, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	10th Feb., ,, 131, Mis. 2nd Mar., ,, 208, Mis. 10th May, ,, 418, Mis. 27th ,, ,, 505, Mis. 24th June, ,, 604, Mis. 8th July, ,, 671, Mis.
Grant of, to officers halting at Hill stations on duty for more than ten days.—Remarks passed on the question of,	19th Feb., ,, 166, Mis.
Payment of, to draftsman Balaji Singh for his journey from Anantapur to Gooty on famine duty, sanctioned.	23rd ,, ,, 180, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order recording the order of Government of India in regard to the claim of Financial Commissioners to be reimbursed the cost of conveyance of camp equipage by rail from and to Lahore at the beginning and end of their tours in October—December 1895, recorded.	26th ,, ,, 200, Mis.
Grant of, to Forest guards for journeys within their jurisdiction, considered unnecessary and Government requested to address the Government of India on the subject.——Government Order expressing concurrence in Board's views and addressing Government of India, recorded.——The Board does not desire to press its recommendation for the grant of a special rate of daily, to Forest guards for journeys beyond their jurisdiction or on transfer, Government informed ——These guards will draw for these journeys, permissible under articles 1167 (iv) and 1168 (*a*) of the Civil Service Regulations subject to the increased rates provided for special tracts mentioned in articles 1252 and 1259, stated.——Government Order agreeing with the Board in the matter,	10th Mar., ,, 234, Mis. 7th May, ,, 414, Mis. 7th Sept., ,, 899, Mis. 5th Oct., ,, 1008, Mis. 10th Nov., ,, 485.

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recorded.——Government Order communicating letter from the Government of India correcting entry No. 18 of appendix No. 22 to the Civil Service Regulations regarding the grant of, to Forest guards in the Madras Presidency when travelling within their beats, communicated.	
To meet, of any gazetted officers, no advances can be drawn, stated.	5th May, F. No. 186.
Kurnool—Government Order sanctioning the journey on duty of the District Forest-officer and his peon to Bangalore and back between the 9th and 14th April 1897, communicated to the Collector and the Conservator of Forests.	18th ,, ,, 448, Mis.
Certain journeys of K. G. Subba Rao, Deputy Ranger, Salem, beyond the limits of the district, sanctioned.	31st ,, ,, 511, Mis.
Rules regarding the recovery of the cost of conveyance of horses and camp equipage by rail or steamer under article 1093 of the Civil Service Regulations and reducing "50 miles" limit to 30 miles.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order laying, recorded.——Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order passing orders on the returns of sanctions under article 1093 of Civil Service Regulations for 1896, recorded.	2nd June, ,, 523, Mis. 18th Aug., ,, 829, Mis.
Letter from R. H. L. Lushington, Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts, requesting that the rate of daily, may be raised to Rs. 5, submitted to Government.——Government Order stating that Government of India has been addressed to fix Rs. 5 as the daily allowance of European survey officers employed on forest settlement duty, recorded.——Letter from the Government of India requesting to be furnished with detailed information on the subject, communicated to Messrs. Lushington, Mullins and Gompertz for report.	3rd June, ,, 530, Mis. 9th Aug., ,, 795, Mis. 23rd Oct., ,, 1097, Mis.
Proposals of the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, regarding the grant of, to certain Extra Assistant Conservators for holding district charges, approved.—That Mr. Gurunatha Pillai can draw the allowance up to the date of M.R.Ry. Alwar Chetti's assumption of charge of the District Forest-office, Chingleput, stated.	14th June, ,, 548, Mis.
Bill for Rs. 51-12-0 being the charges incurred by Mr. Jackson, Deputy Conservator, in conveying his horse by rail from Madras to Calicut, sanctioned.—That the bills of this nature need not be forwarded through Conservators of Forests, considered.	16th ,, ,, 234.
Malabar—Journeys of a Deputy Ranger and his peon beyond the limits of the district from 23rd to 30th December 1896, sanctioned.—Conservators are competent to sanction such journeys without reference to the Board, stated.—Board's Proceedings, No. 28, dated 22nd January 1889, and No. 123, dated 25th February 1889, cancelled.	19th ,, ,, 240.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle, requesting sanction to visit Bangalore with two peons to	28th ,, ,, 617, Mis. 19th July, ,, 722, Mis.

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prepare final maps, submitted to Government.——Government Order sanctioning the journey, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	
Letter from the Collector requesting that the old rate of conveyance allowance may be paid to the Rangers in South Malabar up to the end of April 1897, submitted to Government.——Government Order accepting the Board's recommendation that the Rangers might not be asked to refund the conveyance allowance drawn by them at the old rate until 31st March 1897, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	14th July, F. No. 696, Mis. 8th Sept., „ 392.
Accountant-General's letter stating that under article 1141 of Civil Service Regulations Extra Assistant Conservators and Rangers may be reimbursed in part or in whole, the actual expenses incurred by them in the carriage of their tents, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	16th July, „ 288.
That Forest Surveyors may be allowed to draw, at the ordinary rates when travelling in any of the special tracts mentioned in article 1252 of Civil Service Regulations, recommended. —— Government Order ordering that when travelling in special tracts the Forest Surveyors in this Presidency may draw, at the ordinary rates, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	17th „ „ 707, Mis 2nd Sept., „ 385.
Trichinopoly—The journey of Mr. Latham, District Forest-officer and his peon to Bangalore to verify Survey of India field sheets.—Sanction of Government for, requested. —— Government Order sanctioning the journey, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	28th July, „ 751, Mis. 10th Aug., „ 798, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order stating that all applications for deputation, travelling and other allowances should be submitted through the Accountant-General, recorded.	30th „ „ 864, Mis.
Letter from the Accountant-General stating that petty, under Rs. 10 may be paid from the contingent advances of the District Forest-office Head Clerks, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, and to other Conservators and all Collectors.	31st „ „ 379.
Mr. McIntosh's bill of charges for the conveyance of horses and camp equipage in consequence of his transfer to Cuddapah, sanctioned.	21st Sept., „ 951, Mis.
Government Order considering that Mr. Lushington's (Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts) claim for charges for conveyance of horses from Kovur to Waltair during June last is inadmissible, communicated to Forest Settlement-officer, Ganjám, &c., Districts.	22nd „ „ 957, Mis.
Mr. Hooper's claim for, for certain journeys in the Nilgiri district.—Accountant-General requested to re-consider, ——Accountant General's letter disallowing the allowance claimed by Mr. Hooper, communicated to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.——Board declined to	2nd Oct., „ 1004, Mis. 15th „ „ 1073, Mis. 12th Nov., „ 1167, Mis.

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move Government in the matter of the allowance as the Accountant-General's opinion is based on an order of the Government of India on a similar case.	
Letter from the Collector of North Arcot forwarding a bill for Rs. 31-5-1 being the double fixed, claimed by Deputy Ranger T. Kistnaswami Aiyangar when he was in Gudiyáttam and Palmaner Ranges, submitted to Government for sanction. —— Government Order sanctioning the allowance, communicated to the Collector through the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	9th Oct., F. No. 1038, Mis. 6th Nov., ,, 1150, Mis.
North Arcot—Suggestions of the Collector to delete certain instructions printed on the reverse of form No. 25-A (travelling allowance of the ministerial officers), approved.—That the entry of one anna as the rate of mileage admissible to Forest guards and peons will be deleted when the form is next printed, stated.	29th Oct., ,, 1117, Mis.
North Malabar—Government sanction requested for the grant of, to Ranger Rama Rao for certain journeys of his in the Mysore Province to arrange for the floating of bamboos down the Kabbani river.——Government Order sanctioning the grant of, to Ranger Rama Rao, communicated to the Collector of Malabar.	12th Nov., ,, 1171, Mis. 3rd Dec., ,, 1248, Mis.
Recommending to Government that power may be delegated to Conservators to grant or refuse, to Forest guards for journeys on transfer.	8th ,, ,, 1260, Mis.
TREES.	
Tanjore — Government toddy-yielding, — Board's Proceedings recording Collector's report regarding introduction into his district of a system of levying a fixed fee on, recorded by Government.	15th Jan., ,, 40, Mis.
Vizagapatam—Fruit, in Golgonda Agency. — Levy of tree tax on,—Board's Proceedings approving Collector's proposal in regard to, recorded by Government.	22nd ,, ,, 72, Mis.
Bellary and Anantapur—Date,—Conservancy of,—Orders passed on the question of, — Draft set of rules and notification regarding tapping and leasing of the trees, approved.——Kistna Collector's letter reporting that no change is necessary in the rules, recorded with reference to Board's Proceedings, No. 57.——Proposals of the Collector of Bellary to reduce to 2 feet the minimum height of date trees to be tapped for toddy, sanctioned.	6th Feb., ,, 57. 9th Mar., ,, 95. 23rd Oct., ,, 1100, Mis.
Gódávari—Cassia fistula,—Board not prepared to add, to the list of reserved trees in the district and it is not aware of the alleged reservation of this tree in Vizagapatam.	12th Feb., ,, 142, Mis.
Statement showing the alterations proposed to be made in the existing lists of classified, for several districts in the Presidency, submitted to Government ——List of classified, the seigniorage rates fixed for each,—Government Order approving and ordering publication of, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of	22nd ,, ,, 76. 13th July, ,, 275. 13th Sept., ,, 924, Mis. 23rd Oct., ,, 463.

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TREES—*cont.*	1897.
Forests.——Letter from the Collector of Kurnool requesting the Board to include Acacia Arabica in the list, submitted to Government for approval and publication.—— Government Order approving subject to slight modification the Board's recommendation, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle.	
Government toddy-yielding, — Report on the relative merits of the system of charging a fixed fee for the usufruct of, and the system of selling in auction their usufruct in groups.—Collector requested to report what private tree-owners charge tappers for the right to tap, —— Collector's reports on, submitted to Government. ——Report on, from Kistna, submitted to Government in continuation of Board's Proceedings, No. 320, dated 28th July 1897. —— Report from the Collector of Tanjore, submitted to Government. —— Government Order considering that the maximum rate per tree chargeable to tappers for the right to tap toddy-yielding trees, on Government lands may be fixed at 8 annas and the ordinary rate at 4 annas and ordering that higher rates should be charged with the sanction of the Board, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests for information and guidance. —— Government Order recording Tanjore Collector's report, recorded.——Government Order recording Kurnool Collector's report on the fees charged by the private tree-owners, recorded.	22nd Feb., F. No. 77. 28th July, „ 320. 13th Aug., „ 805, Mis. 23rd Sept., „ 967, Mis. 1st Oct., „ 424. 13th „ „ 1057, Mis. 4th Nov., „ 1145, Mis.
Toddy-yielding, in reserved forests and reserved lands.— Realization of revenue from the usufruct of,—Observation made that the question of, is not receiving sufficient attention in certain districts, and attention of certain Collectors drawn to the remarks.	26th Feb., „ 84.
Coimbatore—Lists of reserved, and minor forest produce in the forest recently opened for coffee cultivation on the Anaimalai hills.—Government Order passing orders on Board's Proceedings submitting the, communicated to Collector and Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle. —Submitted that the table of rates furnished by the Collector refers only to reserved trees and that Lagerstræmia microcarpa is a classified tree for which the seigniorage rate has already been fixed.	13th Mar., „ 105.
Certain Correspondence regarding the work turned out by the special establishment entertained for the registration of sandalwood, in the Bhavani taluk, recorded with remarks.——Further information on the subject, recorded.	2nd April, „ 307, Mis. 22nd „ „ 360, Mis.
Anantapur — Date, — Introduction of the fixed fee system and planting up Government waste with, — Proceedings of the Separate Revenue Department on Central Division Deputy Commissioner's remarks regarding, communicated to the Collector for remarks. ——To enquire into the history of the large date plantations in Mysore, certain Collectors requested. —— Collectors' attention drawn to Board's Proceedings, Forest No. 279, dated 14th July 1897.	10th „ „ 336, Mis. 29th Sept., „ 993, Mis.

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Toddy-yielding,—Proceedings of the Settlement Department informing Collectors, in modification of certain Proceedings of the Land Revenue and Separate Revenue Departments, that fines imposed on lessees of the usufruct of, should be credited to Forests, recorded.	22nd April, F. No. 363, Mis.
Gódávari—The operation of planting, in Government waste in the, district to be undertaken except under the supervision of the District Forest-officer, the Board does not consider advisable, stated.	12th May, „ 431, Mis.
Kurnool—Collector's proposal to regulate tapping of Government date, approved.—Attention of the Collector drawn to certain remarks of Northern Circle Conservator in regard thereto.	22nd „ „ 204.
Bellary—The proposals of the Collector for substitution of the fixed fee system in place of auction system in regard to the date, on Government unreserved lands, approved.	14th June, „ 553, Mis.
Anantapur—The proposals of the Collector for the introduction of the fixed fee system for the ensuing toddy lease, approved.	23rd „ „ 595, Mis.
Letter from the Inspector-General of Forests requesting Conservators to report the extent to which Berrya Ammonilla can be obtained in their respective forests, communicated to Conservators of Forests.	25th „ „ 611, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Payment of Rs. 4,641-4-0 to one Kuppa Raja and two others of Rajapalayam for the acquisition of patta rights over certain, tamarind and eluppai, in the Srívilliputtúr ghát forest reserve Nos. V and V (*a*), sanctioned.	30th „ „ 632, Mis.
Gódávari—Collector's proposals regarding tapping and planting of date, in the district, recorded with remark.	14th July, „ 279.
Chingleput—The continuance during 1897-98 of the system of levying a fixed fee for the toddy-yielding, standing on Government waste and poramboke lands, ordered.	3rd Aug., „ 767, Mis.
South Arcot—Instructions in regard to the crediting of revenue from illage porambokes, issued.	14th „ „ 347.
Ganjám—Coll on toddy-y approved oposals for the levy of a fixed fee certain divisions of the, district,	26th „ „ 853, Mis.
Malabar- publi Pill In of ircle Conservator's suggestion for t from M.R.Ry. V. S. Gurunatha approved.—Copy forwarded to the orests—to send a copy to other uested.——Government Order a Proceedings, with remarks, of Forests, Central and xpedite their replies to 36, dated 7th October	29th Sept., „ 421. 19th Nov., „ 500.

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Anantapur—Illicit felling of rela, in the Madakasira taluk.—The result of the trial of the contractors regarding, Collector requested to report.	30th Sept., F. No. 996, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order forwarding the Advocate-General's opinion on the liability to the cesses of the lessees of the usufruct of, standing on Government waste and poramboke lands, recorded.	22nd Oct., „ 1096, Mis.
Cuddapah—The proposed rules regarding the tapping of date, in the district, approved subject to the modifications made by the Conservator of Forests, Central Circle.	2nd Dec., „ 522.
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UNIFORM.	
Supply of liveries to the inferior servants of Government.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating to Collectors and Conservators of Forests concerned.—Government Order passing orders on the, and requesting the Accountant-General to check the revised list of clothing and furnishing the Departments concerned with copies of the list in view to any necessary corrections or additions being brought to notice, recorded.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order revising the list of sanctions for the supply of liveries to the inferior servants of Government, recorded.—Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order recording report from the Superintendent of Stationery furnishing details regarding supply of clothing to menial establishment and directing that all officers in the Presidency should obtain the supply from the Superintendent of Stationery, recorded.	26th Feb., „ 199, Mis. 5th Oct., „ 1010, Mis. 7th „ „ 1027, Mis.
Southern Circle Conservator's suggestions regarding changes in the head dress of Rangers and Deputy Rangers, submitted to Government.—Government Order sanctioning the substitution of the pattern of turban proposed by the Conservator of Forests, communicated to all Collectors and Conservators of Forests.	1st July, „ 640, Mis. 30th „ „ 325.
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WARM CLOTHING.	
Gódávari—Supply of, biennially to certain forest peons, a mahout and a cavadi in the district.—Government Order sanctioning, with remark, Collector's proposal for, recorded with remark.	2[illegible] 92, Mis.
Malabar—Letter requesting supply of, to Range p[illegible] the Northern division, submitted to Governm[illegible] remarks.	Mis.

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WORKING PLAN.	1897.
Tinnevelly—for certain fire-wood blocks in the, district, approved and recorded.	3rd Feb., F. No. 44.
Letter from the Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle, forwarding three working plans with sketches for dry forests in the Srívilliputtúr range, approved and recorded with remarks.	26th April, „ 165.
Government Order communicating letter from the Inspector-General of Forests regarding the future maintenance and control of forest, communicated to Conservators of Forests for report.——Conservators' reports that there is no necessity to issue instructions in this Presidency similar to those contained in the Inspector-General's circular regarding, submitted to Government.——Government Order agreeing with the Board, recorded.	9th July, „ 674, Mis. 11th Sept., „ 919, Mis. 8th Oct., „ 437.
Approving and recording, for Kolakad working circle ...	31st Aug., „ 378.
—for the Tirukurangudi working circle, approved and recorded.	1st Dec., „ 519.
WORKS, PUBLIC.	
Coimbatore—Plan of the line of the wire rope-way proposed to be erected on the Anamalais, approved and returned to Conservator of Forests, Southern Circle.	15th Jan., „ 35, Mis.
Bellary and Anantapur—Sinking of wells in reserved forests. — Northern Circle Conservator's recommendation that the District Forest-officers of each of the district may be permitted to incur an expenditure of Rs. 500 for, approved.	3rd Feb., „ 109, Mis.
Works for which they are responsible.—Forest guards entrusted with money for, to be regarded as disbursing agents and they should keep accounts.—Stated that it should be the exception and not the rule to place them in responsible charge of works.	8th Mar., „ 93.
Coimbatore—Completion report for the opening of the Gundila valley road trace in Kollegal range.—Orders passed on; the payment of the full sum of Rs. 7,000 for construction, ordered.—— Further report called for orders passed on further report.	6th May, „ 403, Mis. 7th July, „ 664, Mis.
Tinnevelly—Charge of Rs. 3,500 incurred in the construction of a masonry culvert over an obstruction on the new Pápanásam road, sanctioned.	16th Aug., „ 815, Mis.
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) submitting to Government list called for showing the names of urgent works which are proposed to be executed by the Public Works Department during 1897-98, recorded.	31st „ „ 872, Mis.
List of, in the Forest Department proposed to be executed through the agency of Public Works Department during 1898-99, submitted to Government.—Supplemental list promised. —— Supplemental list, submitted	1st Oct., „ 998, Mis. 22nd „ „ 1093, Mis. 14th Dec., „ 1290, Mis.

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to Government. —— Conservator of Forests, Northern Circle, requested to expedite his list for 1898–99.—— Southern Circle Conservator's letter requesting that certain correction may be made in certain estimate in the list submitted with the first Board's Proceedings, submitted to Government.	
Board's Proceedings (Land Revenue) communicating Government Order (Public Works Department) passing orders on the statement of works reported to be urgently needed by the Revenue Department with regard to provision of funds in the current official year, recorded.	3rd Dec., F. No. 1252, Mis.
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