

FREETOWN

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FOREST

RESERVE

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in a westerly direction along the Colony Forest Reserve Boundary for a distance of 11500 feet more or less back to the Starting Point, as the same is more particularly delineated on Forestry Department Plan No. C. 41 and shown thereon verged RED or howsoever otherwise the same may be bounded, known, described or distinguished.

THIS 6th day of May, 1955.

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*Revised and replaced*



DESCRIPTION

1. Name of Forest. :- **Freetown Water Works**
2. Public Notice & Date. :- **No.75 of 1943**
3. Date Request signed & ref to file. :- **-**
4. Type of Forest. :- **Protection**
5. Area. :- **2803 ~~sq~~ miles/acres.**
6. Total length of Boundary **Tot 7300 ~~miles~~ miles/chains (100<sup>0</sup>)**
  - Roads. :- **5,000**
  - Paths. :- **13,000**
  - Streams. :- **-**
  - Cut Lines :- **55,000**
7. Location.
  - Chiefdom. :- **-**
  - District. (Rural) :- **Freetown Judicial**
  - Map reference. :- **Colony Topo Sheet II**
  - Divisional Map No. **WBL 6/43**
8. Notes on terrain. :- **Catchment Area for Freetown Water Supply. Chiefly occupies the Cenge river basin and adjacent Valleys .**

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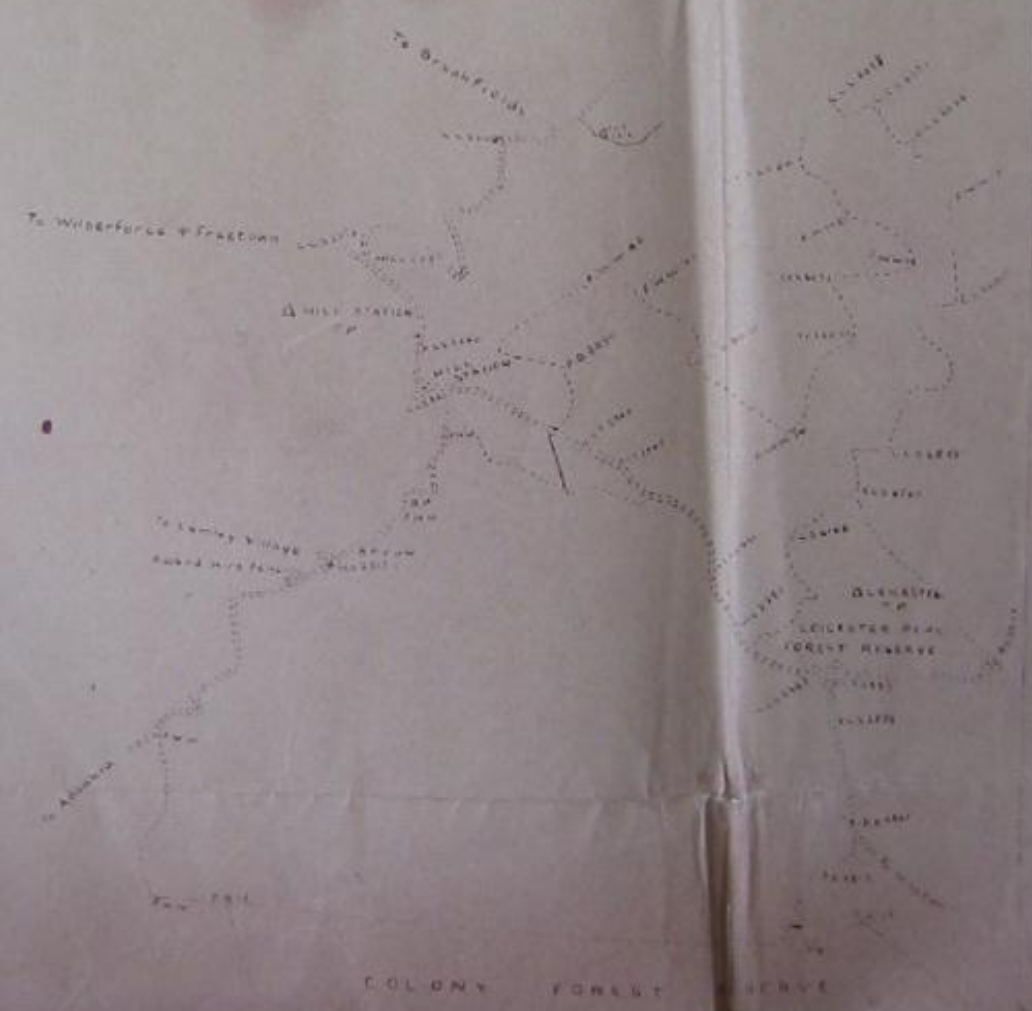
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