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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
7th June 1865.*

No. 177. Read the following Memorandum from the Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Waltair, 22nd May 1865, No. 124 :—

The Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, has the honor to submit the accompanying original letter, with a view to obtaining a supply of seeds of the Sissoo tree to be forwarded direct, to Mr. Rundall at Razole, in the Godavery District, for distribution in the District.

(Signed) J. G. RYVES, Captain, R. E.,
Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

From J. W. RUNDALL, Esq., Executive Engineer, to Captain G. J. RYVES, R. E.,
Superintending Engineer, 1st Division, dated Gannaram, 17th May 1865,
No. 16.

SIR,

1. I beg to suggest that application be made to Government to procure some Sissoo (*Dalbergia Latifolia*) seeds for planting out on our channel banks.
2. I have some 25 to 30 trees on the Nagaram banks, which I raised from suckers in 1858, and I shall this year be able to raise some more trees from suckers.
3. As the Sissoo is a valuable timber tree it seems advisable to plant it more extensively, but owing to the seed never coming to maturity on those trees which I have, I can now raise only a few trees from suckers, whereas should seed be obtained from Madras or the North West Provinces other Range Officers would be able to plant out trees. I have each year tried to collect some seeds, but find they fall off in this climate before coming to maturity, although the tree itself grows very quickly, is healthy, and strong.

No. 178.

ORDER THEREON, 7th June 1865, No. 1,558.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 35.

The Conservator of Forests will be requested, through the Revenue Department, to arrange for Mr. Rundall being supplied with a few pounds weight of the *Dalbergia Latifolia* seed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Revenue Department.

„ Superintending Engineer, 1st Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Q. N. 1865

Memorandum

No 124

37. 19/14/65

The Superintending Engineer, P. D. has the honor to submit the accompanying original letter with a view to obtaining a supply of seeds of the Pinus Tree, to be forwarded direct to Mr. Randall at Razale in the Godavari District for distribution in the District. —

Waltair, 22 May 1865.

W. J.

S. Captain R. E.

Superintending Engineer, P. D.

To the Secretary to Govt. Madras.

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