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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 16th June 1863.

No. 254. Read the following letter from W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 10th June 1863 :—

SIR,

1. The Board have received from the Acting Collector of Bellary an application for leave to purchase 1,000 lbs. acclimatized American Cotton seed from the Dharwar District for distribution among the Ryots in those Talooks to which the cultivation of this variety has not yet extended.

2. Mr. Wedderburn estimates the total cost, including carriage, at Rupees 300, which might be met from "Unforeseen charges, Revenue," and anticipates very valuable results from the distribution.

3. The Board request the sanction of Government for this expenditure, and also that they may be allowed to purchase from Dr. Shortt at Cuingleput a small quantity of acclimatized seed of the American varieties for distribution in the Cuddapah District, the cost of which can easily be met from the Budget provision for contingent charges although Dr. Shortt has not named the exact price.

4. The Board request early orders on this application, in order that if sanctioned the present season for sowing may not be lost.

No. 255. ORDER THEREON, 16th June 1863, No. 1,054.

1. Sanction is accordingly granted for Rupees (300) three hundred.

2. The Board are also authorized to purchase a small quantity of the seed from Dr. Shortt for a moderate price. They will, however, be referred to the Order of Government, dated 10th June 1863, No. 1,007, by which they will have learnt that 8 Cwt. of seed will be shortly received from Dharwar.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

No. 1054.

Sanction is accordingly granted for £1,300 / three hundred

The Board are also authorized to purchase a small quantity of the seed from Sir Thos. Sharpe Mc Lean's price. They will however be referred to the order of 6th dated 10th June 1803, No 1007 by which they will have learned that 8 Cwt of seed will be shortly received from Bahama.

Downing St
16th June 1803

To the Board of Trade
3 Reg Accountant Genl
3 Reg Civil Paymaster Genl

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From
The Secretary to the
Board of Examiners
To the Secretary Govt.
Provincial Depart

Dated 10th
Rec'd 15th
Rec'd 11th
Answ 1863

Requesting Sanction
for the Examination of certain
natives American Cattle
Sent for distribution in
Bellary and Cuddapah
Districts.

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