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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 2162 — Press — Mis.

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Dated 30 - 11 - 19-1863

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 30th November 1863.

No. 404. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 24th November 1863:—

Read the following letter from P. GRANT, Esq., Collector of Coimbatore, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, dated Coimbatore, 19th November 1863, No. 215.

SIR,

Board's Proceedings, 17th February 1863, No. 1,003.
To Board 13th March 1863, No. 49.
Board's Proceedings, 17th do. No. 1,595.
To Board 23rd do. No. 50.

1. With reference to the correspondence noted in the margin, I have the honor to report that several parties on the Neilgherries have applied to me for Tea seed, and are most anxious to obtain a supply.

2. I would suggest that a supply be procured from the North-Western Provinces. The season for procuring seed is now on, and will ere long be over. Private parties have a difficulty in procuring seed, they will, I feel confident, if Government desire it, be prepared to pay for the seed. I trust that the subject will receive the early and favorable consideration of the Board

1. Submitted for the consideration of Government.

2. The Board believe that application has already been made for seed from the Government Plantation in the North-West.

3. As these are now advertised for sale the present will probably be the last opportunity for obtaining seed through the Government agency.

No. 405. ORDER THEREON, 30th November 1863, No. 2,162.

1. Application will be made at once for a further supply of Tea seed.

2. Mr. McIvor will be requested to state whether he could conveniently arrange for a Tea plantation of a few acres, merely for the purpose of supplying good and fresh seed, as seed sent from a distance seems to lose its germinating powers.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Board of Revenue.
" Superintendent Government Gardens, Ootacamund.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Proceedings of the
Board of Revenue

Dated 24th November 1863.
Desp^d 25th D^o
Rec^d 26th.

From the Secretary Govt Chinchona Plantation dated 12th Dec^r 63.
Col^n 3049.

Submitting letter from the Collector of Coimbatore requesting to furnish him with a supply of Tea seed.

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No. 2162.

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A Telegram has been addressed to Mr McIvor requesting to state whether he could conveniently arrange for a Tea plantation of a few acres Tea seed

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Fort St George
30th November 1863.

To Capt Baker Supt Govt Cinchona Plantations
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J. D.