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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

G.O. No. 1506 Press Mis.

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Dated 1—7—1865.

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No. 15. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel T. Thompson, Agent for Remounts, to W. HUDLESTON, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Oossoor, 27th June 1865, No. 76:—

SIR,

1. With reference to Government Order, dated 17th June 1865, No. 1,357, I have the honor to report that the Steam Plough, and all its appurtenances, reached the Remount Depôt safely* yesterday morning the 26th instant.

* With the exception of a fracture to a bar in the front of the anchor, which can be repaired at the Depôt.

2. The whole of the machinery and cases were removed from the Railway trucks on Saturday the 24th, and packed upon Ordnance platform carts, by Ordnance Lascars, under my own superintendence, assisted by Mr. Barwell, and Sub-Conductor Peel of the Remount Department, and a Store Serjeant of the Ordnance Department.

3. I think it right to bring to the notice of Government that there is not a single crane, or any mechanical appliance whatever at the Railway Terminus at Bangalore, to facilitate the removal of heavy goods from the trucks in which they arrive there, the enhanced labor and delay therefore in removing these large cases, some of them weighing nearly a ton, may easily be imagined.

4. I found it necessary to apply to the Agent of the Indian Carrying Company for the use of a four-wheeled trolly for a couple of extra large and heavy cases.

5. I beg to remind you that the 10 tons of coal sanctioned in Government Order No. 1,013 of the 20th May 1865, has not been received yet.

No. 16. ORDER THEREON, 1st July 1865, No. 1,506.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Board of Revenue, who will take the necessary steps to supply the sanctioned quantity of coal to the Depôt farm for the Steam Plough.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. GROSE,
Acting Under Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.
,, the Remount Agent Oossoor.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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From the Remount Agent
Poona
To The Secretary
to Government
Revenue Dept.
Fort St. George
Dated 27th June 1865
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Steam plough.

1st July/65

Reporting the safe arrival
at the Depot yesterday of the
Steam Plough and all its
Appurtenances &c &c

With an order
No. 1506. 1 July

14 Lr. to Board of Revenue 5 July.
1 " to Remount Agent at Poona

No. 1546.

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