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Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 1572-73 Press ~~Mis.~~

Dated 26-6- 1866.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 26th June 1866.

No. 569. Read the following letter from the Superintendent Government Chinchona Plantations, to the Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Ootacamund, 23rd June 1866, No. 26 :—

1. In acknowledging your Memorandum No. 79, of the 9th instant, and with reference to G. O. of 29th June 1865, No. 1,471, I have the honor to inform you that two cases of Chinchona plants were prepared for despatch to Batavia, but were not forwarded in consequence of no opportunity offering to send the plants under the care of a person qualified to take charge of them during the voyage.

2. Chinchona plants are unable to bear long sea voyages, unless frequently open and aired, and in consequence of their tendency to damp, the plants we have hitherto sent to Java have nearly all perished.

3. I am happy to state that we have now gathered a good supply of seeds of all the most valuable species of Chinchona, and this offers the best possible means of distributing these valuable plants to distant parts.

4. I therefore enclose for the Government of Batavia three packets,* estimated to contain 8,000 seeds, and will feel obliged by your having the goodness to cause these to be forwarded to their destination as early as possible.

* 1 Packet containing 3,000 seeds of Chinchona Succirubra.
1 Do. do. 3,000 do. Calisaya.
1 Do. do. 2,000 do. Officinalis.

5. Should the Government wish, the plants can also be sent when an opportunity offers.

No. 570. ORDER THEREON, 26th June 1866, No. 1,572.

Miscellaneous.

The seeds will be sent to the Batavian Government by the next Steamer, and the wishes of that Government will be ascertained as to the transmission of plants under the circumstances described.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent Government Chinchona Plantations, Ootacamund.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

and aired; and from
their

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
26th June 1866.

No. 1,573.

No. 571.
To

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF THE NETHERLANDS INDIA,
BATAVIA.

YOUR EXCELLENCY,

Miscellaneous

C. Succirubra, 3,000 seeds.
C. Calisaya, 3,000 do.
C. Officinalis, 2,000 do.

1. In continuation of my letter, dated 15th instant, No. 1,468, I have much pleasure in sending you three packets, received from Mr. McIvor, containing seeds of the species of Chinchona marginally specified.

2. I shall be happy to forward also a supply of Chinchona plants on being informed of your Excellency's wishes as to their transmission. These plants, however, are unable to bear long sea voyages, unless frequently open and aired; and from their tendency to damp, those hitherto sent to Java have nearly all perished. It would be well, therefore, if your Excellency can arrange for sending a qualified person to take charge of the plants during the voyage in the event of your desiring to receive a supply.

I have, &c.,

NAPIER.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

and aired; and from their

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26 June 1566

1 Copy To the Lords Gordchyns Plantations Delph[d]

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To His Excy. the Gov. Genl. of the
Netherlands Indies, Batavia

Your Excellency,

In continuation of my letter dated 15th inst. No. 1468, I have much pleasure in sending you three Packets, received from Mr. McIvor, containing seeds of the species of Chinchona marginally specified. —

2. — I shall be happy to forward, per conveyance, a supply of Plants, when informed of your Excellency's wishes as to their transmission. — These plants, known are unable to bear long sea voyages unless frequently open and aired; and from their

C. Succirubra - 3000 seeds -
C. Calisaya - 3000 do
C. Officinalis - 2000 do

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those hitherto sent to Java
have nearly all perished.
It would be well there-
fore if your Excellency
can arrange for sending
a qualified person to
take charge of the plants
during the voyage. in
the event of
declining I endorse
a duplicate.
G.B.

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To
His Excellency the
Governor General
of the Netherlands
Indies,
Batavia

d/26th June 1866.

From do do.
d/25 augt/66 encl 3215

Sending 3 packets of
Cinchona-Seeds Nos 1 to 3
from Mr Hasskarl & informing
that a supply from
Cinchona Plantation will
be made in lieu of
the

N:571.

informed