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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
12th October 1866.

No. 334. Read the following letter from the Commissary General, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 15th August 1866, No. 2,363:—

1. Herewith I have the honor to forward copy of a letter from the Superintendent of Marine, from which it will be perceived that the "Tubal Cain" will not be available for the purpose of bringing over rice from Rangoon.

2. It will be seen from the Memorandum in the margin, that 2,331 bags of rice will still be required in the Northern Division to meet demands for the troops, registered followers, and pensioners up to 31st December 1866. No provision has been made for a supply of rice to holders of family certificates, who are equally entitled to it with the pensioners, but application has been made to the Officers Commanding Cuttack and Berhampore respectively, for the numbers *bond fide* borne on the rolls of these stations.

CUTTACK.			
Total quantity of rice required for 1,217 Troops, Followers, and Pensioners, as per Memorandum from Controller's Office...	Bags	5,351	
Ordered from Calcutta in course of delivery ...	,,	5,000	
Still required... ...			351
BERHAMPORE.			
Total quantity required for 2,693 Troops, Followers, and Pensioners, as per Controller's Memorandum...	Bags	6,480	
In course of delivery from Cocanada and ordered from Calcutta...	,,	4,500	
			1,980
Still required...			2,331

and intended to be supplied from the quantity purchased in Burmah.

3. As things now begin generally to wear a better appearance throughout the country, as the fresh crops will in the meantime be reaped, and as much grain now withheld will consequently find its way into the market, it may not be considered necessary to import rice largely from Burmah so far as these troops and followers are concerned.

4. I forward copy of a telegram this day sent to Colonel Benson at Rangoon, and shall have the honor of again addressing you on receipt of his reply, when perhaps Government will be able to decide what is best to be done with the rice purchased in Burmah.

Telegram from Commissary General, Madras, to Commissariat Officer, Rangoon.

Fifteenth August.—"Tubal Cain" cannot now go over. Report quantity of rice cleaned, and whether you can still obtain good freight, cheap, to a port in the Northern Division to be hereafter named.

(True Copy.)
(Signed) E. E. MILLER, Lieut.-Colonel,
Commissary General.

No. 335. ORDER THEREON, 12th October 1866, No. 2,779.

Miscellaneous.

Ordered to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Commissary General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

No 201

From

The Superintendent of Marine

To

The Commissary General

Sir

I have the honor to inform you with reference to the arrangement decided on for sending the Stores & Ammn. to Rangoon for rice to be landed in one of the Southern districts of this Presidency, that intelligence from a private source has this day arrived that not only was she been unable to land at Balasore any of the rice sent there, but that in the boisterous weather experienced at the head of the Bay she has been so crippled that she must proceed to Calcutta for extensive repair before she can go to sea again.

2. Under these circumstances some other means of transporting the rice purchased at Rangoon must be adopted.

I have &c.

(Signed) J. C. Franklin

Superintendent of Marine

800 tons

a Vessels
a Marine Supts. Steamer
to Consult Capt

Buccapol

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Commissary General

Rec'd 26 Sept/66

From 12 October 1866 to 334

Enclosure in a letter from
The Commissariat General
London
To The Chief Secy. to Govt.
No. 2263
Dated 15 August 1866

From
The Supt. of Marine
To
The Commissariat General

Subject

Inability of the Zubah Cam
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