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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 22nd January 1867.

No. 460. Read the following letter from the Commissary General, to the Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 19th January 1867, No. 5,733 :—

1. In reference to the Order* of Government, I have the honor to report that having opened tenders for the purchase of the remainder of the Rangoon rice remaining in store at the Presidency, the most favorable offer received was Rupees 4† per bag of 164 lbs.

2. This appeared so very unfavorable, that it was proposed to use the rice for the feed of the elephants, but it was found that upwards of two years would be required to dispose of it in this way, during which time the loss from wastage and other causes would counteract any benefit expected to accrue from the arrangement.

3. I therefore now propose, for the approval of Government, that tenders be again invited, and that any for not less than 250 bags be received.

4. Copies of advertisements will be sent to Bangalore, Cannanore, Trichinopoly, and the Hills, to all of which stations the rail makes the conveyance from Madras easy and cheap.

* No. 3,477, dated 22nd December 1866.

The contract rate for Elephant rice at Madras is 16½ lbs. per Rupee.

† Or 41 lbs. per Rupee.

No. 461. ORDER THEREON, 22nd January 1867, No. 218.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Commissary General will ascertain from Colonel Wilson, the Inspector of Jails, who is now at the Presidency, whether this rice can be made use of in the Penitentiary and in the District Jails on the line of rail. If so, it had better be so appropriated.

2. Should this not be practicable, the Commissary General will address Government again on the subject.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,
Secretary to Government.

To the Commissary General.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Brandis Council
22. January 63.

No. 26.

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Last letter to Despatches
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Copy of Col. Campbell's Report
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The Commissary General
Madras
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The Secretary to Government
Persian Dept.
Fort St George

Dated
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Proposals inviting Sealed Tenders
for the Purchase Price and Conveyance to
the Seaside of Horses offered by him to Govt
from the Commissary General
Feby 1807.

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