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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, 19th September 1868.

No. 292. Read the following letter from the Acting Deputy Commissary General, Madras, to the Secretary to Government, Military Department, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 26th August 1868, No. 3,723:—

Adverting to the Proceedings and Order of the Madras Government, Revenue Department, dated 31st July 1868, No. 2,061, referred to the Commissary General under your docket of the 4th August 1868, I have the honor, in the absence of the Commissary General, to forward a letter, dated 21st August 1868, No. 91, from Captain Magrath, Acting Assistant Commissary General, in charge Amrut Mahal, stating that he can procure fifteen young bulls of the description required by the Ceylon Government, and request instructions thereon.

From the Acting Assistant Commissary General, to the Commissary General, Madras, dated Hoonsoor, 21st August 1868, No. 91.

1. I have the honor to return Proceedings of Government received with your letter, and in reply to state that I can get fifteen young bulls of the description required by the Ceylon Government; but as it is necessary that they should be pretty well broken in before being shipped, I do not think it would be advisable to purchase any above two or two and a half years old.

No. 3,325 of 8th August 1868.

2. These young cattle would not be fit for breeding purposes under a year; but on the other hand, they would not cost nearly so much as full grown bull: Rupees 70 would be the outside price that I think I should have to pay.

4. I could not get full grown bulls accustomed to the rope: to buy unbroken ones and train them would be attended with a good deal of risk.

Referred to the Revenue Department.

FORT ST. GEORGE,
28th *August* 1868.

(Signed) H. MARSHALL, Major-General,
Secretary to Government, M. D.

No. 293. ORDER THEREON, 19th September 1868, No. 2,432.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Acting Deputy Commissary General's letter will be communicated to the Colonial Secretary at Colombo, with the request that the Ceylon Government will favor this Government with an expression of their wishes in regard to the point raised by the Assistant Commissary General.

2. It has been brought to the notice of this Government that if the breed of cattle in Ceylon are as under-sized as those of the southern provinces of this Presidency, the Mysore bulls may perhaps be found too large for breeding purposes.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

To the Military Department.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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REVENUE DEPARTMENT.
FORT ST. GEORGE,
19*th September* 1868.

No. 2,433.

No. 294.

To

THE COLONIAL SECRETARY, COLOMBO.

SIR,

Miscellaneous.

1. Adverting to your letter dated 27th June 1868, No. 26, applying for fifteen young bulls from Mysore, in view to the improvement of the Ceylon breed of cattle, I am directed to forward the accompanying correspondence* which has taken place on the subject, and to request that the Ceylon Government will favor this Government with an expression of their wishes in regard to the point raised in the Assistant Commissary General's letter of 21st August, No. 91.

To Comr., Mysore, 21st July 1868, No. 2,008.
From ,, 27th ,, ,, ,, 2,436-14,
with G. O., 31st ,, ,, ,, 2,061.
From Ag. Dy. Comy. Genl., 26th Aug. 1868, No. 3,723,
with G. O. 19th Sept. ,, ,, 2,432.

2. It has been brought to the notice of this Government that if the breed of cattle in Ceylon are as under-sized as those of the southern provinces of this Presidency, the Mysore bulls may perhaps be found too large for breeding purposes.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,
(Signed) R. A. DALYELL,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

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The Actg Dy Commissary Generals letter will bee communicated to the Colonial Secty at Colombo with the request that he will favor this Govt with an expression of his wishes in regard to the point raised by the Actg Commissary General.

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19 Septr 1868.

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Copy Despatch

No 2433

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Abstract of a despatch addressed to Secretary of State No 2708

To Commissioner Mysore 21st July/68 No 2008
From do 27th " " No 2436-14.
with do. 31st " " " 2064.
From Agent (Cmd) Seal 28 Sept/68 - 3723
with Enc. Ref. —

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19th Septr 1868

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No. 2433

To
The Colonial Secretary
at Colombo
d/ 19 September/68.

From the Colonial Secy.
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