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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

5th July 1877, No. 1846.

Food Grains.

Read the following paper:—

No. 39. From G. G. ARBUTHNOT, Esq., to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 30th June 1877.

There were considerable discrepancies between the accounts submitted by us to the Accountant-General and the total number of bags acknowledged to have been received by Major Hicks. I have at length discovered that Macfadyen included in his total number of bags despatched the 7,120 bags sold at Bellary and Kurnool and then included them again in the 30,276 bags resold by us, and for net proceeds of which Government has been credited. He therefore took credit for them twice over.

2. Assuming that the figures left by him were correct, I have only kept in stock sufficient rice to complete what we owe to Government according to them, and these 7,120 bags have therefore been sold. It is difficult to trace the exact bags, but so far as I can find out they realized about Rupees 7-8-0 per bag net. I now write to ask whether we shall pay Government at this rate, or replace the rice by a fresh purchase, for which of course we should pay ourselves.

No. 40. ORDER THEREON, 5th July 1877, No. 1846.

The Government desire that the 7,120 bags of rice referred to be replaced.

(True Extract.)

D. F. CARMICHAEL,
Chief Secretary.

[Signature]
Under Secretary to Government.

To Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co.
" the Revenue (Famine) Department.
" the Accountant-General.

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To
Messrs. ARBUTHNOT AND CO.,
Esq.,
Esq.,
Esq.

Dated July, 5th.

Issued

Recd.

C.O. 6th July 1877, No. 1843.

Recd 10 July 1877 1877.

JULY.
Nos. 39-40.

Good Grains. — Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co.
informed that Government desire that the 7,120
bags of rice sold at Bellary and Kurnool, and for
which credit was taken twice over, should be
reimposed. 18860

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To the Board of Rev. 62-10 July 1877