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READ the following ~~letter~~ from Messrs
Marcus & Co, London.
~~to the Chief Secretary to Government,~~ dated 1st August 1877 -

"Supplied twenty thousand tons rice Bengal famine - offer supply hundred thousand if you authorize Lord Salisbury to give orders."

Order thereon 2nd August 1877 No. 2029

Ordered that the following reply be despatched.

"Offer declined thanks - Government not purchasing."

(True Extract)

H. D. Sell
Ag Under-Secretary
in charge.

To
The Revenue (Famine) Department.

No

Rev: & 7) Dept
Govt of 187 } Madras.

7 No 6285

To

Dated 2d August
Recd. 6 August 1877 187 , No. 2029

Nos.

Min. Govt 1394

7 August 1877.

Declining with thanks offer.
by Messrs Hearsons & Co, London,
to supply one hundred thousand
tons of rice.