

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
29th October 1867.

No. 549. Read the following letter from the Colonial Secretary, Colombo, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Colombo, 18th October 1867, No. 46 :—

1. This Government being desirous of introducing into Ceylon the cultivation of Carolina paddy as an experiment, and as paddy of that description is understood to be imported by Government into India, I am directed by His Excellency the Governor to request that the Madras Government will be so good as to supply the Agents of this Government at Madras, for shipment to Ceylon, with such a quantity of acclimatized Carolina seed paddy as the Government may be able to spare.

2. The paddy should arrive here in time for sowing during the November rains, as otherwise it will be of no use.

No. 550. ORDER THEREON, 29th October 1867, No. 2,537.

Miscellaneous.

1. The Board of Revenue will use their best endeavours to meet this request of the Ceylon Government within the time named.

2. The Government have no Carolina paddy seed on hand.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) W. HUDLESTON,

Secretary to Government.

To the Board of Revenue.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

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Mr. H. of New?

With me have been
endeavouring to meet
this request of the Captain
for to him the time
handed. The fort have
to continue today with
on hand L.B.

29 Oct 1867

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