

Revenue (1898) Department.

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 4350

DATED 7th Nov^r 98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Requesting that an arrangement may
be made for ^{an annual} supply of five
pounds of crown bark seed from
Jamaica

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Revenue (1898) Department.

CURRENT No. 5989

From W. M. Standen Esq
 Director of Revenue
 Mauritius

No. 40

Dated 26 August 1898

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SUBJECT.

Crown bark Seed from Jamaica.

Requesting that the Secretary of State may be addressed to arrange to send 5th of — annually, in place of 2th supplied under G.O. No 211 Revenue dated 23 May 1896.

Order

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No. 40

DIRECTOR'S OFFICE,

OOTACAMUND, 26 August 1898.

From

W. N. STANDEN, Esq.,

DIRECTOR OF THE GOVERNMENT

CINCHONA PLANTATIONS,

Nilgiris.

To

The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department,
Ootacamund.

SIR,

With reference to your official Memorandum No. 171 dated 30th July 1898, I have the honor to request, that the Secretary of State may be addressed on the subject of the increased quantity of brown bark seed, ^{from Tamiar} required for the Government Cinchona Plantations.

2. It is estimated that in consequence of the extensions to the plantations five pounds of seed will be required annually in place of the two pounds supplied under G.O. No. 211. Revenue dated 23rd May 1896.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most obedient Servant,

W. N. Standen
Director

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O. M. to the D. G. O. of
(C No. 5989)

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

20.7.98. No 171

From The Director G. O.

No 40 Dated 26.8.1898.

FOR ORDERS.To Under Secy :-

In his administrative Report for 1894-95 he drew point to out that the Vinchona plant had been deteriorating and suggested that a fresh supply of seed should be obtained from S. America. In para 2 of G. O. No. 407 of 27.6.95 the Govt. states that it would be prepared to favourably consider the suggestion and requests him to report ^{on} the causes of the deterioration and whether the same tendency was observable in the plantations in Bengal.

2. In his letter No. 67 of 4.9.95 he draws reports that the deterioration was observable throughout the whole of India.

That

in G. O. No 3651 of 7.9.95

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FOR ORDERS.

that he could not say what the cause of the deterioration was. He requests that the authorities at New Richmond be ^{asked} ~~advised~~ to obtaining 10 lbs of seed of the Crown Bark annually from the neighbourhood of Losa in Ecuador. The Secy of State for India was accordingly advised in G.O. No. 3651 of 7.9.95. D

3. Mr Threlton Esq who was consulted by the Secy of State on the subject pointed out that it was altogether impossible to obtain the seed from Losa owing to the dangerousness of the locality and suggested that the seed may be obtained from Jamaica. In his Despatch No 1269 of 5.12.95 the Secy of State stated that he had arranged for the supply of 10 lbs of Crown bark seed from Jamaica for the ^{successive} ~~next~~ three years and that he would await with interest ^a ~~the~~ further report as to the deterioration of the plants.

in G.O. 218 d. 18-1-96 E

4. In his letter No 13 of 20.2.96 Mr Hooper submitted a report as to the causes of the deterioration of the Anchorage plantations and in G.O. No 970 of 7.3.96 the Bengal Govt was requested to favour this Govt with Dr. King's remarks on Mr Hooper's report.

5. Dr. King's views will be found at p. 5 of G.O. No 211 of 23.5.96. on a careful consideration of the requirements of the then existing plantations it was decided that two ^{of seed} pounds ^{would} ~~would~~ prove an ample annual supply for the plantations and the Secy of State was accordingly requested in this Govt's letter No 5 of 12.6.96 (in G.O. No 211 of 23.5.96) to obtain two pounds of Crown Bark seed annually for the plantations.

6. In the Despatch from the Secy of State No 9 of 28.7.98 (C.No. 6010) the Secy of State

State states that the supply of seed to the plantations has been completed (the supplies for the three years (1896, 1897 & 1898).

7. It will be seen from the correspondence above quoted that though the Secy of State at first stated ^{under for} ~~that~~ the supply ~~to~~ ^{for} three years this Govt in its despatch No 5 of 12.6.96. wanted that the supply ~~should~~ be continued.

8. It will be seen from Mr ~~Stander's~~ ^{Stander's} letter No 40 of 26.8.98 (i.e. No. 5989) that ^(that then she had an annual supply) he is of the same opinion. In this current Mr Stander requests that in view of the extension of the plantations the supply of seed from Jamaica may be increased to five pounds per acre. from two pounds supplied under G.O. No. 211 of 23.5.96.

9. For orders as to whether the Secy of State may be addressed accordingly. A draft G.O. and a letter to the asst. under Secy of State

for India is submitted below for approval
(H. Aranga with please explain why he kept this 2 months)
RW

3-11-98

Secy please see draft
me
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8/11/98

Revenue Department

Letter from Mr Standen No 40

of 26. 8. 98

(C. No. 5989)

G.O. No 4350 of 7th Nov 1898The following letter will
be despatched to the Assistant
Under Secy of State for India.W
4/11/98

J. H. P.

Letter no. 87 of 10th November

To

The Asst Under Secy of State
for India.

Sir,

I am directed to refer
~~with the reference to the~~
correspondence ending with
Lord George Hamilton's despatch
No 9 of 28. 7. 98 regarding
the supply of crown bark seed
to the Curichona plantations Nilgiris.
~~I am directed to state that~~
It has recently been decided
to

and return to
me for submission
as called for by
the R. V.

W
7/11/98

Despatched
10th Nov 1898

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