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SUBJECT :

Proposed hire of Drainage Machines by Farmers.

CONNECTED FILES.

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hoovers, tractors, etc - Agric. Dept.

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Proposed hire of Drainage machinery
by Farmers

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14th February, 56.

Sir,

I am directed to invite the observations of your Association on a proposal that Government should provide drainage machinery for hire by farmers to drain their Camp. The proposal, which could be altered in the light of any observations your Association wishes to offer, is at present that Government should purchase two Buffaloes similar to that used by the Falkland Islands Company and provide drivers, caravans, portable forges, spares etc. One of these would be used on the West Falkland and one on East Falkland. They could be hired by farmers, the rent being calculated as sufficient to cover all Government expenses including payment of drivers, fuel and eventually the replacement of the machinery.

I am,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,

(Sgd) J. Bound

ACTING COLONIAL SECRETARY.

See reply
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The Secretary,