

Educational (1901) Department.

ORDINARY MS.

G.O., No 570

DATED 8. 10. 01

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Asking the L.S. Museum to report whether
he wishes to acquire under the Museum
some Act only one of the Coins of
the Vijayanagar dynasty found at Adoni.

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Educational (190/) Department.

CURRENT No. 1326

From

[Name] Edgar Thurston Esq.

[Designation] Superintendent, Govt. Museum,

[Station] Madras.



No. 785

Dated 27th September 1901.

Enclosures One

Received 30 SEP 1901 1901.

Registered 309 1901.

SUBJECT.

Reporting that the Collector of Bellary reports the orders of Government concerning the find of 3 gold coins and also which has been declared ownerless and suggesting that the value of the coins selected by the Superintendent together with one fifth of each value and the remaining coins should be delivered to the finder on a suit's file and claim established. the value of the coin selected together with one fifth of each value and the remaining two coins should be delivered divided between the plaintiff and the finder.

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To

The Secretary to Government,

Educational Department.

Sir,

I have the honour to report that the collector of Bellary recently sent me three gold Coins of the Vijayanagar dynasty, which were discovered in the wall of a ruined house at Adoni, and enquired whether I wished to acquire them under Section 16 of the Treasure Trove Act. In reply he was informed that two of the Coins were not required, inasmuch as the legends and emblems on them were defaced, and that the third might be acquired on behalf of the Museum.

2. In his reference on G. No. 2243, dated 30th August 1901, Copy of which is forwarded herewith, the collector asks me to obtain the orders of Government concerning the find, which has been declared ownerless. A man has come forward and claimed the Coins on the ground that he occupied the house 30 years ago, and proceedings have been stayed with a view to the matter being decided, if the parties

cannot agree, in a Civil Court.

3. I would suggest that the value of the Coin, which I wish to acquire, together with one-fifth of such value, and the remaining two Coins should be delivered to the finder; or, if a suit is instituted in the Civil Court, and the plaintiff's claim is established, that the value of the Coin acquired by me, together with one-fifth of such value, and the remaining two Coins should be divided between the plaintiff and the finder.

I have the honour to be
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Edmund Thurston

Superintendent,
Government Museum.

Adm

Ref. on C. No 2243.

Bellary Collector's Office,
Dated 30th August 1901.

From

R. b. b. Carr Esq. I. b. S.
Ag. Collector of Bellary.

To

The Superintendent,
Central Museum, Madras.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 24 dated 15th instant, I have the honour to state that the coins being old and not of British mintage, all of them will have to be acquired under Rule III (3) of the rules framed under Sec 19 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act. As you propose to acquire only one of the coins, I request that you will be good enough to obtain the orders of Government in the matter and communicate the same to me.

2. I shall be glad if you will kindly intimate to me the price for which the coin selected by you may be acquired.

I have the honour to be
Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,
(Sd) V. Rama Rao
For Collector.

"True Copy"

Idya Thurston

Superintendent
Government Museum.

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ORDER No., dated 190

The Superintendent's proposal
is approved.

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S. a. What has Good to do with
these proposals?

Senders bound the collectors to

Re: 3/10/1, he can do what he wants
we don't whether we can

only on the whole ~~there~~ are
who are required

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Rule III - (3) under the Treasure Trove

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M. S. G. M.
Copy to the Coll^y of Bellary

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Suitable. It is submitted that so long as the Superintendent has made these proposals first, must either approve or disapprove of them either in whole or in part. ^{In the circumstances} ~~Therefore~~ ^{that} it is submitted that they may be approved in whole although the Superintendent goes a little beyond his province.

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a revised draft in accordance with the Secretary's orders is placed below.

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READ ALSO :—

C. No. 1326, From the Sydney, No. 705, dated 27th September 1901.

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ORDER No. 570, dated 8. 10. 1901.

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With reference to rule III (3) of the rules framed under Section 19 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act, 1878, the Superintendent will report whether he wishes to acquire only one of the coins and if so why. It should also be stated whether the remaining two coins ^{Sh. d} cannot be presented to any two of the institutions mentioned in this rule.

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