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[Despatch Abstract.]

PICTURES OF WINDSOR CASTLE.

Informing the Collector of Nellore that the Superintendent, Government Museum, reports that the -- in the Collector's house at Nellore would be scarcely appropriate for exhibition in the Museum which is wholly devoted to Indian subjects.

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From

W. J. H. Le-François Esq.

Sy. Collector of Nellore.

To the *Chief Secretary to Government*
Madras

Sir,

There are some 16 pictures -
chromolithographs I think - in gilt frames, of
Windsor Castle and its interior in the 18th state
house here. They, judging from the costumes, must
be some 60 years old and are of some interest.
I am told that they were brought here in early years
time and that they were originally 200 more, but
that some, from neglect, have fallen to pieces. If
the pictures are remounted on white paper and
the frames regilt they would be of some interest
to the native visitors to the Museum at Chudasa
where they might be hung at a suitable height
on some of the walls. If Government, I suppose
I would send them to Mr. Thurston. It is a pity
that they should remain here neglected, and they are
just the thing to interest native visitors to the Museum
who do not care much for fossils or palaeolithic implements.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

W. J. H. Le-François

[Eng.; 7-5-95.]

From the collector of
Mellore

The Chief Secretary to
Government, Madras

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Pictures in Collector's
Bungalow



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As Under Secretary

For. S. G. George
27th January 1896

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GOVERNMENT MUSEUM,
Pantheon Road, Egmore,
Madras, 4th February 1896.

From

EDGAR THURSTON, Esq.,

SUPERINTENDENT,

Government Museum,

Madras,

To

The Chief Secretary to Government,
Educational Department.

SIR,

With reference to the letter from the
Collector of Mellore, returned herewith, I have
the honour to report that the pictures of Windsor
Castle, referred to therein, would be scarcely
appropriate for exhibition in the Museum,
which is wholly devoted to Indian subjects.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

Edgar Thurston

Superintendent,

Government Museum.

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Educational (1896) Department

From
Edgar Thurston Coe
Superintendent of
Museum.

CHIEF SECRETARY
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DEPARTMENT OF MAGNATES
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Dated 4 Feb 1896
Respectfully
Recd

To

Subject

Reporting that the pictures
of Windsor Castle, referred
to within would be scarcely
appropriate for exhibition
in the Museum

I have a dim memory that
when I went to Nelson (having bought
all the furniture in the house)
there were some old & useless
pictures of Windsor Castle to be
about, & I had them taken down &
burnt away, but the cover may be
before "informed accordingly"

Read nos 46 & this

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The collector of Nelson
will be informed accordingly -

Wm 27/2/96
Issue 2/3/96

Does the Hon Mr. Gore know
anything of the history of
the pictures.

They might be distributed,
if public property, to Public
Libraries & some of the more
prominent lecture halls with
Halls.

To
The Col of Nelson 9446, a of 13540

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