

Educational (1897) Department.

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Authorizing the Asst. Genl. Museum, to
take charge of trophies. Curio te in the
Madras Arsenal, but directing the progre-
ment of the removal of the articles ~~into~~
to the Museum, until the building is made
safe.

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OFFICIAL DEPARTMENT

From A. J. Boddy Esq. Secy. to Govt.
Ag. Superintendent of Govt. Museum.

Hon. Secy
to the Secy

Order

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The weapons & curios may be accepted, the Capt being authorized to take charge of them. The small arms need not have the springs removed, but the guns may be spiked.

S. R. 18/3/97

Yes - the Capt had been told the
manned hill the tower is made
safe by

24/3/97

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Dated 18 March 1897

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SUBJECT.

Submitting a list of the articles from the Inspector General of Ordnance, Madras Command and requesting to obtain the sanction of Government to their being deposited in the Government Museum.

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Ordinance Department.

No 0-19924.

From

The Inspector General of Ordnance,
Madras Command.

To

The Superintendent,
Government Museum,
Madras.

Fort Saint George, 11th March 1897.

In continuation of correspondence ending with your No 804, dated 13th September 1896, I have the honour to enclose a list of trophies, curios, etc, which are available for transfer from the Madras Arsenal to the Museum and to request that you will, inform me, if you wish to receive all on the list. If so, will you please obtain the sanction of the Government of Madras to hold the offensive weapons in your custody and on your responsibility.

If desired, the mainsprings could be removed from all fire arms and all guns could be spiked before issue from the Arsenal.

The return of the list is requested.

(Sd) W. E. Kerrieh
Captain R. A.

For Inspector General of Ordnance,
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(True copy)

A. J. G. G. G. G.

Sup: Superintendent,

Government Museum.



List of Trophies considered of suitable interest for transfer from

Trophy List of the Madras Arsenal to the Madras Museum vide S. G. O. No. 917/70 dated 3.2.97.

Ordered for issue to the Madras Museum vide S. G. O. No. 166/2547/375 dated 16.5.95 and not to be issued till further orders vide S. G. O. No. 1603 dated 2.5.96 and still available.

Models and Trophies

Description	No	Remarks
Arrows Tipped with iron	4	
Bells Chinese	2	
Cage Chinese Col. Amstruther C.B.	1	
Daggers Country	2	
" with wooden handle & balis.	2	
Guns Matchlock of sorts	2	
Helmet Brass Chinese	6	
" Iron "	1	
Joss House	1	
Junk (War) China	2	
Spears	2	
Spear or sword Blade with wooden handle	1	
Swords Country of sorts	2	
Wall pieces	1	
Old anchor	1	
Old chain armour	1	
Peculiar Piece of Metal found in S.C. Factory	1	
Sword and scabbard (with waist belt, pouch belt and pouch) of the late Honorary Captain Mahamed Hossain R. D. C. to the Govt of Madras No 1	1	

Inquiries are being made for the heirs of this officer, with a view to these articles being handed over to them. They have also been accepted by Secy. of the R. W. S. I.

Additional articles of sufficient interest for transfer to the Madras Museum.

Models and Trophies

Armour pieces of Plates. Breast	No 9	
Vizor	6	

(Iron)

Description	no	Remarks
Arrows tipped with iron	no 7	
Axes Battle Boomboor	" 1	
" Hand Chinese	" 1	
Bellows Wooden Chinese	" 1	
Blunderbuss	" 2	
" Brass	" 1	
" Iron Barrel	" 1	
Breast Plates	" 8	
Brass, old (a mortar)	cut 4. 3. 23	
Crested Country with iron handle	no 5	
" Malay	" 1	
Dagger Country	" 1	
" with wooden handle, habab.	3	
" French	" 15	
Diaphanist or War Engine	" 1	Model
Dhody	" 1	Model
Siugal iron with spare chamber	" 2	
Csong Chinese with mallet	" 1	
Grass Hopper	2	
Guns Brass Bore 2 1/2" interior Ornamental Dolphin	1	
Guns Brass Danish . 6 pr	" 2	
Guns Brass Foreign 3 pr	" 1	
Calub 3 pr	" 1	
Danish 12 pr	" 1	
Dutch 4 1/2 "	" 2	
Scinde 24 pr	" 1	
Mahidpore 9 pr	" 2	
" 4 pr	" 1	
" 3 1/2 pr	" 1	
Guns Burmese	1	
" Common 10 ft long	1	
" 7 "	1	
Hatchets	1	

Description	no	Remarks
Hatchets of Sorts	6	
Helmet iron Turned	no 8	
" Leather with ornament Russia	" 1	
" Madras Horse Artillery	" 1	
Moultiger Soss (from Mandalay)	" 2	
Knife Burma	" 1	
" Moplay	" 3	
" and scabbard Small	" 1	
Sauce Cavalry China	" 1	
" Europe O.P.	" 21	
" O.P.	" 10	
" iron valves	" 8	
" Horseman	" 2	
Match locks Chinese Large	" 1	
" Small	" 1	
" Boomboor	" 1	
" Nepal	" 1	
Medal copper Madras Exhibition	" 1	
Mortars Brass Small	" 3	models
" with flint lock	1	
Musket	1	without bayonet
Common with bayonet Burma	1	
" without	1	
N.B. Wall piece with Ramrod bore	5	
Musketoons	2	
" Brass barrel new	16	
Ordnance without sights	1	
Green q pr, 13 cut	1	
" 6 " 12 " 7 ft long	1	
Pikes Burma	2	
Pieces wall	1	
Percussion without drum	1	
with rest and chamber China	1	

Description	No	Remarks
Pieces wall without rest	1	
Blade Breast iron Turned	2	
" " " Manila	1	
Scales and weights Chinese	1	
" Brass with beam 2 lb	1	
Spears	25	
" Double headed	1	
" or sword blades with wooden handle	18	
Standard large with stone China	1	
Stink pot Turned	1	
Sword China	1	
Country of sorts	8	
Double	1	
Sword	2	
with scabbard China	1	without scabbard
" " Country of sorts	9	
with scabbards	9	
Bed of timber	2	Support for bronze old mortar
Callipers Brass Amsterdam	1	
Carbines:—		
Cavalry B.S. rifled Homes Pattern	1	
" Flint lock	4	
S.B. Percussion	1	
Index B.S. rifled W.R. with cleaning rod	1	
Non index R.B.S. Sharps patent	3	
Carts Amack with cart	1	
" " " five carts	1	} Models
" " " four "	1	
" Country	1	Model
Steel constructed by Jager 1786	1	
" new construction Jager	1	
Gun Brass French Jippoo 2 pr	2	
" Country of sorts	5	

Description	No	Remarks
Gun Fouling with self loading cylinder	1	
" Rgnocher incomplete Naval	2	
Hand Grenades	1	
Mortar Brass with flint lock for hand grenade	1	
Musket:—		
Common Sight Infantry with sword	1	
Sight Infantry with sword	1	
Percussion rifle with sword scabbard and slug	1	without slug
Rifle Jacob double barrel with sword	1	
" M.H. with sword	1	
" .702 Pattern '51	1	
" Sinder B.S. 577 bore Pattern III with bayonet steel barrel Suterhaug scale	1	
Musket Rifle flint lock with sword	1	
" S.B. with narrow and Bayonet N 3, 753 bore O.P.	1	
Ordnance:—		
with sights Bronze S.B. 6 pr, 19 cwt, 8 inch, rifled	1	
to 12 pr. B.S. as proposed by Colonel Campbell		
without sights:—		
Eprouvette 8", 3 oz chamber	1	model
Gun 6 pr, 19 cwt, 8 feet long	2	mounted at Arsenal north gate
" Mortar 13" 3' 6", 26 to 29 cwt, English	1	
Bronze S.B. mortar 10", 2' 9" 10 to 12 cwt, English	1	
Retard Brass	1	
Pistol M.S. convertible to Carbine, flint lock with lock	1	
" " " without lock	1	
Rifle:—		
Breech loading Homes Pattern	1	
Malay	1	
N.S.M.S. with narrow rod and Bayonet brass mounted with flint lock	1	
Self priming with bands	1	
Spring band brass mounted	1	
" " iron "	1	
" " with black action lock	1	
N.S.M.S. with narrow rod and sword Bayonet Brass hilt	1	

Description	No.	Remarks
Scalebard sword Brass	1	
" " for Jacobs Rifle	1	
Shell Brass double	1	
" Brass elongated, 8"	4	
" Brass oblong	1	
" " oval pear shaped	1	
" mortar	1	
Shot:—		
Bar with lead heads	1	
" " Spelter heads	2	
Brass spherical case	1	
Case of pr	1	
Chain. Turned	10	
" Spelter head copper case large	2	
"	1	
Double handled	1	
Snaphel	1	
Grape Quilted gun 24 pr	1	
18 "	1	
12 "	1	
9 "	1	
8 "	1	
6 "	1	
Grape with spelter balls large	2	
" " " " small	6	
q pr, Broken at practice in 1849 at Trichinopoly	1	
Budding spelter of Dizes	3	
Round ———	9	4 of these are iron.
Stone	2	
Spear with sword blade	1	
Sponge with ladle and Worm Bengal	1	
Pistol Adams mark II	1	
" " " "	1	

Description	No.	Remarks
Pistol Cavalry 10 inch	1	
" " 8 " S.B	1	
Rinder Carbine Artillery Iron Barrel Mark II	1	
Springs tipped with iron	no 25	
Hatchets of sorts	" 11	
Gunmetal old		
(a Burma gun)	Cut 14.3.16	
(— u —)	" 26.3.8	
(— u —)	" 17.3.16	
Chain armour	No 2	
Battle axes Country	" 10	
Barrel rifled Brass side reeded	" 1	
" iron	" 4	
Daggers French	" 3	
" Thrusting Country	" 2	
Helmet iron Chinese	" 2	
Keys of Fort Saint George	" 5	
Knives country of sorts	" 7	
Socks Pad of Fort Saint George	" 4	
Mortars iron small 4 2/5"	" 4	
Pikes Burma	" 1	
Sword small with wooden scabbard gilt mounted	" 1	
Trident iron wood handle	" 1	

Referred to in S.G.O. No of 15076 dated 7-12-96.

Madras, }
9. 3. 1897.

(Sd) J. D. Waller
Major R. D.,
Ordnance Officer in Charge.
The Inspector General of Ordnance,
Madras Command,
Fort Saint George.

(True copy)

A. P. B. B. B.

Ag. Superintendent,
Government Museum.

No. 259

CURRENT No. 353

GOVERNMENT MUSEUM,

Pantheon Road, Egmore,

Madras, 18th March 1897.

From

A. S. B. B. B., D. Sc., J. R. S.,
EDGAR THURSTON, Esq.,

Ag. SUPERINTENDENT,

Government Museum,

Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Local and Municipal, Department.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit a list of the articles
referred to in letter No. 19924 dated 11th March 1897 from
the Inspector General of Ordnance, Madras
Command (copy enclosed) all of which might, I
think, be lodged in the Museum and to request
you to obtain the sanction of Government to their
being deposited in the Government Museum.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

A. P. B. B. B.

Ag. Superintendent,
Government Museum.

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The Supdt. ^{will be} authorized to take charge of the articles referred to, but they ^{can} should not be removed to the Museum ^{building} until the ^{building} is made safe.

~~The Govt considers that~~
the guns may be spiked but ^{the small arms need} ~~that the small arms need~~ not be removed ^{from the} ~~their springs removed~~ small arms. (from order)

The Supt. of the Museum will inform the Supt. of Ordnance when the transfer may take place

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To The Supdt.-G.M. dec/2d
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