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1	From the Secretary to the Government of India.	16th April.	Transmits a Despatch from the Honorable Court and requests that the Accountant General be instructed to prepare the Returns of any Charge that may be incurred in the Madras Presidency, on account of Expedition against Persia, on the principle laid down in that Despatch.
2	Order thereon.....	6th May.	Communicated to the Accountant General for his guidance.
3	From the Sub-Treasurer.....	20th April.	Requests, with reference to the proposed reduction of the Salary of the Office, that he may be allowed to draw the pay which he has hitherto been considered entitled to.
4	Order thereon.....	6th May.	Decline to enter upon a consideration of the subject at present.
5	Extract Minutes of Consultation.	6th May.	Pass Orders on a Despatch from the Honorable Court, No. 7 of 1857.
6	To the Government of India.	7th May.	Transmit copies of the Despatches, forwarded to the Honorable Court.
7	To the Secretary at the East India House.	7th May.	Transmit the Registers of Bills of Exchange drawn on the Honorable Court by this Government.
8	From the Accountant General.	7th May.	Submits, for transmission to the Honorable Court, a Statement shewing the State of the General Treasury on the 6th Instant.
9	To the Secretary at the East India House.	7th May.	Transmitted accordingly.
10	From the Accountant General.	8th May.	Submits a Return of the Assets and Liabilities of the Bank of Madras for April 1857.
11	To the Secretary at the East India House.	8th May.	The Statement transmitted to the Honorable Court.
12	From the Accountant General.	5th May.	Reports the shipment, by the Collector of Canara, of Six Lacs of Rupees, consigned to the Sub-Treasurer of the Government of Bombay.
13	To the Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	5th May.	Copy of the above and of the Invoice transmitted to the Government of Bombay.
14	From the Accountant General.	5th May.	Reports that Copper Coins to the extent of 50,000 Rupees, will be held available for supply to Bombay, at the beginning of next month.
15	To the Secretary to the Government of India.	8th May.	Communicated to the Government of India.
16	From the Civil Auditor.	5th May.	Forwards a Statement shewing the decreases effected in Establishments, permanent and temporary, during the months of March and April 1857.
17	To the Secretary to the Government of India.	9th May.	The Return transmitted to the Government of India.
18	From the Secretary to the Government of India.	27th March.	Intimates the desire of the Supreme Government to be furnished with the opinion of this Government on the report of the Committee proposed to be appointed to investigate the best mode of testing the efficiency of the Establishments in the Government Offices at the Presidency.

Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 12th May 1857.

No.	From and to.	Date.	Subject.
19	From the Commissioner for the revision of Civil Salaries, &c.	1st April.	Submits his views as to the appointment of the Committee above adverted to.
20	Order thereon.....	9th May.	Appoint certain Gentlemen to form the above Committee, and communicate the necessary instructions to them.
21	From the Government of India.	9th April.	Transmit Extract from a Despatch from the Honorable Court, ruling, that when an Officer on the Staff or in Civil Employ is temporarily nominated for Military duty in the Field or on Foreign Service, he shall not receive more than a moiety of his Net Staff Pay in the one case, or one-fourth of his Civil Salary in the other.
22	Order thereon.....	9th May.	Communicated to the Civil Auditor and, through the Military Department, to the Military Auditor General, and published in the Official Gazette.
23	To the Accountant General.	11th May.	Transmit the Registers of Letters of Credit granted by the Honorable Court in favor of certain parties.
24	To the same.	11th May.	Transmit the Original Advice of Bills of Exchange granted by the Honorable Court upon this Government.

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25	From the Secretary to the Government of India.	17th April.	Intimates the practice which obtains in Bengal, regarding the grant of Subsistence Allowance to Civilians.
26	Order thereon.	12th May.	Communicated to the Civil Auditor.
27	From the Secretary, Bank of Madras.	12th May.	Reports the amount of Specie in the Bank on the 9th Instant, and the Bank's Liabilities on the same date.
28	Order thereon	12th May.	Recorded.