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Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 7th April 1857.

No. 12. Read the following letter from J. W. BREEKS, Esq., Secretary Mint Committee; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 31st March 1857, No. 86.

SIR,

1. I have the honor, by desire of the Mint Committee, to request you will have the goodness to submit to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the accompanying two Indents,* dated 28th March 1857, from the Acting Mint Master, one for articles annually required at the Mint, for making and repairing Machinery, &c., &c., in that Department, and the other for Copper Slips for converting into Coin.

2. The Committee instruct me to solicit an early despatch of the Indents to the Honorable the Court of Directors.

(Signed) J. W. BREEKS,
Secretary Mint Committee.

No. 13. Ordered that the following letter be despatched.

From T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government; to Sir JAMES C. MELVILL, K. C. B., Secretary at the East India House, dated 4th April 1857, No. 206.

SIR,

1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit, for submission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, the accompanying two Indents, forwarded by the Mint Committee, one for Articles annually required for making and repairing Machinery, &c., at the Mint, and the other for Copper Slips required for Coinage, and to solicit an early compliance with the present application.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Indent of Articles required from England for the use of the Madras Mint.

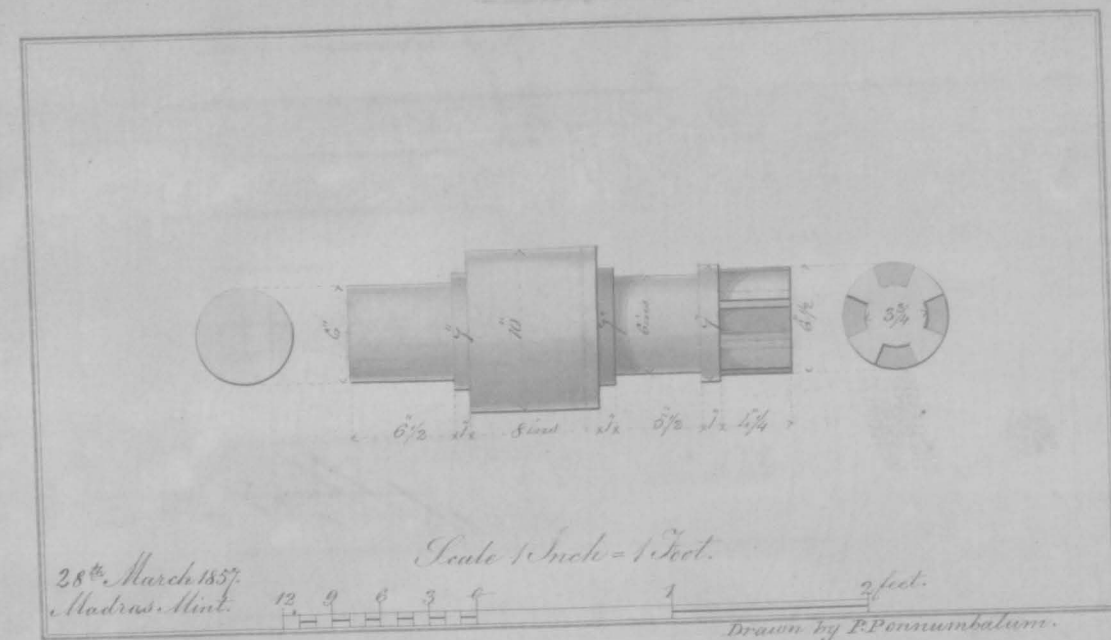
6	Two Tons of $1\frac{3}{4}$ Inch Round Cast Steel of the best quality	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of 2 " Flat Blister Steel	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of 3 " " "	
1	One Ton of 1 " Square Blister Steel	
1	One Ton of $1\frac{1}{4}$ " " "	
1	One Ton of $1\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of 2 " " "	
1	One Ton of $2\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of 1 " Flat Iron Steel	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of $1\frac{3}{4}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of $4 \times \frac{1}{2}$ " Cast Steel	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of 1 " Flat Iron (of different thicknesses)	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of $1\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of $1\frac{3}{4}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of 2 " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of $2\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of 3 " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of $3\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of 4 " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of $4\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of 5 " " "	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of $5\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
2	Two Tons of 1 " Square Iron	
2	Two Tons of $1\frac{1}{4}$ " " "	
2	Two Tons of $1\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
1	One Ton of $1\frac{3}{4}$ " " "	
2	Two Tons of 2 " " "	
1	One Ton of $2\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
1	One Ton of 3 " " "	
1	One Ton of $3\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
1	One Ton of 4 " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of $4\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
1	One Ton of 5 " " "	
1	One Ton of $\frac{1}{16}$ " Sheet Iron	
1	One Ton of $\frac{1}{8}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of $\frac{3}{16}$ " " "	
2	Two Tons of $\frac{1}{4}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of 1 " Bolt Iron	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of $1\frac{1}{4}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of $1\frac{1}{2}$ " " "	
$\frac{1}{4}$	Quarter Ton of 2 " " "	
$\frac{1}{2}$	Half a Ton of Swedish Iron	
1	One No 1 Self acting planing machine for planing Curvilinear work, of and under 9 Inch diameter and 8 Inch long; and straight work whether horizontal or Angular 3 feet long and 8 Inch broad. It is furnished with two Mandrills, of an improved construction whereby work of various sizes is accurately and readily fixed with additional Apparatus for shaping nuts.	For the workshops.
1	One Circular Saw Table with 3 sets of Saws from 2 feet 6 Inches diameter for the workshops.	For the workshops.

Two Dozens of 18 Inch Flat Rough Tiles
 Two Dozens of 12 " " " " " "
 Two Dozens of 8 " " Flat Bastard Tiles
 Two Dozens of 8 " " Flat Rough Tiles
 Two Dozens of 7 " " Half Round Rough Tiles
 Four Dozens of 7 " " Three Square Bastard Tiles
 One Dozen of 6 " " Three Square dead smooth Tiles
 Two Dozens of 5 " " Flat smooth Tiles
 One Dozen of Vice Standing 1st and 2^d Size
 Four Dozens of d^c. Benches
 Two Dozens of d^c. Bands
 Four Europe Hides
 Two Brace and Bits
 One Dozen of Rules 2 and 3 Feet
 One Dozen of Chisels firmer
 Half a Dozen of Smiths Bellows in 3 sizes $7\frac{1}{4} \times 4\frac{1}{2}$, $6\frac{1}{2} \times 3\frac{1}{2}$, $5\frac{1}{2} \times 2\frac{1}{4}$
 One Dozen of Steel Squares of sizes
 One hundred Sheets of Copper 8 Inch thick
 Half a Ton of Zinc
 Quarter Ton of Sheet Zinc
 Four Dozens of Iron Double Patent Padlocks 4 Inch
 with different kinds of Keys
 Half a Dozen of Hydrometers different sizes
 One hundred Three Gallon Jars glazed inside
 Quarter Ton of Black Filice
 Six Tons of Common Litharge
 One Dozen Pair of Laminating Rollers 10 In. Diameter,
 similar to those furnished in 1843 as per accompanying
 drawing

For the workshops
 For machinery
 and repair.
 For securing
 doors, Cellars &c.
 For testing and
 measuring acid.
 For finding heights
 For sample dropper
 For Laminating
 Ingots &c.

Fort St. George,
 Mint,
 28th March, 1857.

Fred. M. Don
 Acting Mint Master.



Indent of Articles required from England for
the use of the Madras Mint.

(300) Three hundred Tons of Copper
Slips of $2\frac{1}{2}$ Inch wide
and $\frac{7}{10}$ Inch thick

(300) Three hundred Tons of Copper
Slips of $2\frac{1}{4}$ Inch wide
and $\frac{1}{2}$ Inch thick

For the purpose of
Converting into
Copper $\frac{1}{2}$ and
 $\frac{1}{4}$ Anna Pieces.

Fort St George,
Mint,

28th March, 1857.

W. H. M. H. M.
Acting Mint Master.

Home Branch
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Financial Department.

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To

Sir James C. Melville, K. C. B.

Secretary at the East India House.

Sir,

I am directed by the Right
Honorable the Governor in Council
to transmit, for submission to the
Honorable the Court of Directors,
the accompanying two Indents for-
warded by the Mint Committee -
one for articles annually required
for making & repairing Machinery &c.
at the Mint, and the other for
Copper Slips required for the purpose
of being converted into Coin, and to
solicit an early compliance with
the present application.

I have &c.



To Mr George
4 March 1857

Wm. L. G. Smith

Noted with the 1st of April
1837

W. B. & Co. 1/2 1/2 1/2
Annual 1837 at 1/2 1/2

W. B. & Co.

Mr. Deary at the 1st of March

14th April 1837

W. B. & Co. 1/2 1/2 1/2
28th October 1837 at 1/2 1/2

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