

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 21st April 1857.

No. 17. Read the following letter from J. W. BREEKS, Esq., Secretary Mint Committee; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 8th April 1857, No. 93.

SIR,

With reference to the Orders of Government contained in the Minute of Consultation, dated 10th June 1842, No. 187, Marine Department, I have the honor, by desire of the Mint Committee, to forward, for retransmission to the Honorable the Court of Directors, the accompanying Original Packing Account of Mint Stores received from England per Ship "Salamanca."

2. The Committee of Survey appointed to inspect and report on the condition of the Stores, state that those received are in good order, but that the Articles noted in the margin, are deficient.

One of the five Cases from which altogether 60 Slips of Hoop Copper, weighing about 230 lbs..... Rs. 152 0 6. Slips of Copper were missing was received into the Mint in a broken state.

(Signed) S. D. BIRCH,

For Secretary Mint Committee.

No. 18. 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 15th April 1857, No. 222.

SIR,

1. I am directed by the Right Honorable the Governor in Council to re-transmit, for the purpose of being laid before the Honorable the Court of Directors, the accompanying Original Packing Account of Mint Stores received from England per Ship "Salamanca."

2. The Committee appointed to inspect the Stores have reported that those received are in good order, but that the Articles noted in the margin are deficient. One of the 5 Cases from which altogether 60 Slips of Copper were missing, was received into the Mint, in a broken state.

3. I am desired to take this opportunity to request the attention of the Honorable Court to the letter addressed to them by this Government, dated 13th Ultimo, No. 3, Marine Department, regarding the very insecure manner in which Copper Slips for the Mint are packed and shipped from England to this Presidency.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,

Chief Secretary.

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Home Branch
20th April 1857.

Financial Department.

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