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

No. 36. Read the following

No. 19 of 1857.

OUR GOVERNOR GENERAL OF INDIA IN COUNCIL.

1st. We have to acquaint you that the rate of Exchange for Bills to be drawn in repayment of Advances to be made by our Governments in India for Her Majesty's Naval Service and for the Public Service in China in the Official year 1857-58, has been fixed with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury at two Shillings and one Penny (2s. 1d.) the Company's Rupee.

2nd. You will direct that the same rate be observed in 1857-58 in respect of Officers' Family Remittances and Effects.

3rd. The rates of Exchange annually fixed by us in communication with the Lords of the Treasury and of which you are regularly advised, being the only rates applicable to the adjustment of all Accounts of Advances made to, or by Her Majesty's Government, we desire that care may be taken to guard against the inconvenience which arises from the adoption of any other rate in those Accounts, an instance of which was noticed in our Marine Despatch, dated 22nd October 1856, No. 49.

(Signed) W. H. SYKES,
,, R. D. MANGLES,
and other Directors.

No. 1408.

Copy forwarded to the Government of Fort St. George for information.

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 37. ORDER THEREON, No. 235; dated 20th April 1857.

Ordered to be communicated to the Accountant General, and to be published in the Fort St. George Gazette for general information.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

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Fort St. George
20th April 1857

J. H. M.
Chief Secretary

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