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Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 12th March 1858.

No. 34. From R. E. MASTER, Esq., Acting Secretary Mint Committee; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, dated 4th March 1858, No. 53.

SIR,

Statement of Silver Bullion received and coined in the Madras Mint from May to December 1857.

* *Dated 25th Ultimo, No. 333.*

† 1. *Statement of Mint Operations.*

1. *Abstract Statement of Silver received, &c.*

1. I have the honor, by desire of the Mint Committee, to forward for submission to the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, the Statement noted in the margin, together with copy of a letter* from the Acting Mint Master, explanatory of the same.

2. At the same time the Committee beg to forward the two usual Statements† for January 1858, with the usual endorsement.

From Lieutenant Colonel F. C. COTTON, Engineers, Acting Mint Master,

To G. L. PRENDERGAST, Esq.,
„ S. D. BIRCH Esq.,
„ W. H. BAYLEY Esq.,

} Mint Committee,

dated 25th February 1858, No. 333.

GENTLEMEN,

Para: 1st. In forwarding the accompanying Statements, I do myself the honor to offer the following explanation.

2nd. The Statement of Bullion received and coined from May to December 1857, is drawn up to shew the correct *Balance* remaining and brought over for January 1858.

3rd. Under the head of "Coined and examined," only such Coins as have been found fit for remittance to the General Treasury are now included, and these items will not compare with any of those in the Statements of Mint operations, as stated in my letter, of the 29th Ultimo.

4th. In the Abstract Statement for January 1858, it will be found that when the Balance on the opening of the month is added to the amount of Bullion received, and the Coinage of the month deducted therefrom, the Bullion Balance will be short in proportion to the Profit and Loss brought to account. I may here add that although recoveries are made from the operative losses, they are not accounted for till the end of the Settlement, when the fineness of the bars is ascertained and the standard value assigned to them.

No. 35. TO THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, dated 10th March 1858, No. 169.

SIR,

I am directed to forward, for submission to the Government of India, copy of a letter* from the Acting Mint Master, dated the 25th Ultimo,

* *With a letter from the Mint Committee, 4th March 1858, No. 53.*

No. 333, with a Statement of Silver Bullion received and coined in the Madras Mint, from May to December 1857, and the usual Statement

and Abstract of Mint operations for the month of January 1858.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,

Chief Secretary.

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Financial Department

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To

The Secretary to the Government of India.

Sir,

I am directed to forward for submission to the Government of India copy of a letter from the Acting Mint Master dated the 25th Ultimo N^o 333, with a Statement of Silver Bullion received and coined in the Madras Mint from May to December 1857, and the usual Statement & Abstract of Mint operations for the month of January 1858.

* With a letter from the Mint Committee 4 March 1858. L²53.

Fort St George,
10 March, 1858.

I have &c.

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