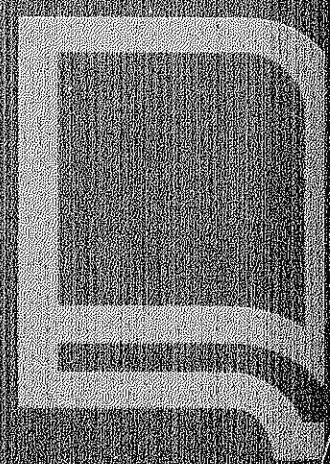




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Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 7th September 1858.

No. 1. From G. L. PRENDERGAST, Esq., Accountant General; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 2nd September 1858, No. 169.

SIR,

With reference to Extract from Minutes of Consultation, dated the 24th Ultimo, No. 568.

I have the honor to transmit herewith an original letter* from the Sub Treasurer with its enclosure, and, with reference thereto, to request the favor of immediate orders as to whether it is the pleasure of Government that the Copper Cents to the value of 19,987 Dollars, now in the General Treasury, packed up and ready for shipment to the Straits, may be sent there by the ship "Myrtle," bound to the Straits, which has been engaged by the Superintendent of Marine. I should have preferred the transmission of this remittance by one of the P. and O. Steamers, which would convey it more rapidly and securely to Singapore.

From S. D. BIRCH, Esq., Sub-Treasurer; to G. L. PRENDERGAST, Esq., Accountant General, dated Fort Saint George, 2nd September 1858, No. 471.

SIR,

In forwarding to you copy of a letter, just received from the Acting Assistant Superintendent of Marine, I have the honor to request you will be pleased to inform me, whether the Copper Cents, to the value of Dollars 19,987 packed in 400 Boxes, now awaiting shipment to the Straits, may be forwarded by the Ship "Myrtle," and at the freight therein given.

From J. B. CROWTHER, Esq., Acting Assistant Superintendent of Marine; to S. D. BIRCH, Esq., Sub-Treasurer, dated 1st September 1858, No. 3489.

SIR,

I have the honor by desire of the Superintendent of Marine to inform you that freight to Singapore has been provided on the Ship "Myrtle" for the Copper Cents mentioned No. 469. in your letter of the 31st Ultimo, at (8) Eight Rupees and (8) Eight Annas per ton of 20 Cwt. payable in the usual proportions to Messrs. Binny and Co., Agent of the "Myrtle."

2. The Vessel is now ready to receive the Copper Cents.

No. 2. ORDER THEREON, No. 581; dated 2nd September 1858.

Under the opinion expressed by the Accountant General, the Government direct that the remittance intended for the Straits Settlements be sent there by one of the P. and O. Steamers.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,

Chief Secretary.

No 581.

Under the opinion
expressed by the Accountant
General, the Govt direct that
the remittance intended for the
Strait Settlements be sent
thence by one of the P. & A. Steam-
ers.

To Mr George
2^d September, 1858. G.

J. P.

To the Account General. - Dispd. 2^d M.
2 origl Papers returned. 20th Sept/58.