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| 1 | Secretary to the Government of India. | 23rd May. 1859. | States that the Supreme Government consider the proposal that Mr. Breeks be allowed during the remainder of his tour on Special Duty, Rupees 316-10-8 monthly, wholly inadmissible. Observes that it is absolutely necessary that he should be provided with a suitable appointment in the regular line of the service at the first opportunity, and that it is not clear why it was not done on Mr. Child's departure, (12th April.) |
| 2 | To the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department. | 11th June. | Report Proceedings taken immediately on receipt of letter, 6th May, No. 3689, which contained the first intimation that Mr. Breeks was to be relieved from his Special duty, &c., and that he has been appointed Acting Sub-Judge of Madura. |
| 3 | Accountant General..... | 2nd June. | Requests authority for writing off in the Mint Master's Journal the loss or difference between Stamp value of old Copper Coins received from the Head Assistant Collector, Guntoor, and the net Proceeds of their sale, *viz.*, Rupees 795-2-6. |
| 4 | Order thereon..... | 13th do. | Authority granted accordingly. |
| 5 | Secretary to the Mint Committee. | 27th May. | Submits letter from the late Mint Master with a Memo: and letter from his predecessor Lieutenant Colonel F. C. Cotton containing valuable and important information as to the progress and improvements made of late years in Mint operations, and suggesting alterations and increase of salaries to several Officers on the establishment, the consideration of which they will defer until they can ascertain the views of the officer to be permanently appointed to the Mint. Suggests that the portion of Colonel Cotton's letter relating to the circulation of small Coins in the Provinces be printed and transmitted to Collectors, &c. |
| 6 | Order thereon..... | 14th June. | The portion referred to, furnished to the Revenue Board and Chief Engineer for a report upon the subject, &c. |
| 7 | Civil Auditor..... | 31st May. | Mr. Hathaway having preferred a claim for the special allowance sanctioned in Home Despatch of 9th February 1859, after being appointed to a permanent Office, for the period he was in transit, requests to be informed whether it was intended, by Minute, 26th April, No. 239, to allow it to a Civil Servant ordered to return to India. |
| 8 | Order thereon..... | 14th June. | Considering that Mr. Hathaway is entitled to the special allowance for the period occupied in transit, &c., direct it to be passed to him. |
| 9 | Secretary to the Government of India. | 2nd do. | Requests the necessary instructions to be issued for an advance of 1,000 Rupees per mensem to the Honorable H. Ricketts from the Ootacamund Treasury, commencing from the 1st June. |
| 10 | Order thereon..... | 15th do. | The Accountant General directed accordingly. |
| 11 | Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, Financial Department. | 27th May. | Extending the rule which regulates travelling allowances to ministerial Officers of the Bengal Presidency when absent from their Stations on duty, to the Post Office Department in all the Presidencies. |
| 12 | Order thereon..... | 16th June. | Recorded. |
| 13 | Colonial Secretary Colombo. | 3rd June. | Transmits Account Current of transactions with this Government for the quarter ending 31st December 1858, which the Colonial Treasurer has been authorized to settle. |

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| 14 | Order thereon..... | 16th June. | The letter, Account Current and vouchers forwarded to the Accountant General. |
| 15 | Secretary to the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Telegram.) | 14th do. | Authorizes an advance of Rupees 750 monthly, from 1st June, to be made to Major Strachey from the Coimbatore Treasury. |
| 16 | Order thereon..... | 16th do. | Communicated to the Accountant General. |
| 17 | J. Ratliff, Esq., Officiating Civil and Session Judge of Nellore. | 6th do. | Submits claim to deputation allowance for the interval (4 days) between giving over charge of his late and assuming that of his present Office, as he was removed for the public convenience and *not* at his own request. |
| 18 | Order thereon..... | 17th do. | Inadmissible. |
| 19 | Accountant General..... | 14th do. | Suggests that Rupee 1, the deficiency in one of the boxes containing a late remittance from Canara may be written off to "Profit and Loss," and reports that he has directed the Collector to call upon the Head Shroff of the Canara Treasury to make good another deficiency of one Soolakee Rupee discovered in a bag Shroffed by him. |
| 20 | Order thereon..... | 17th do. | Authorized. The proceeding reported, approved. |
| 21 | Proceedings of Government. | 17th do. | Home Despatch, 12th May, No. 11 of 1859, sanctioning the payment of Mr. E. F. Elliot's pension from the India House Treasury, communicated to the offices of Account and Audit, also to his Agents. |
| 22 | Proceedings of Government. | 17th do. | Home Despatch, 12th May, No. 12 of 1859, forwarding Statement of sums paid and received on Account of the Madras Military Fund from 1st August to 31st October 1858, furnished to the Accountant General and to the Directors of the Fund. |

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