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1	Secretary to the Government of India.	18th Octr.	Requests that arrangements may be made for payment of a Bill of Exchange for Rupees 12,500 drawn on the General Treasury in favor of the French Government, at Cuddalore, &c.
2	Order thereon.....	3rd Novr.	Communicated to the Accountant General with instructions accordingly.
3	To the Secretary to the Government of India.	3rd do.	Inform him of the same.
4	Accountant General..... ...	2nd do.	Reports that certain Securities will be despatched to Calcutta by the Steamer *Bengal*.
5	Order thereon.....	3rd do.	A Telegram despatched to the Government of Ceylon intimating accordingly.
6	Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, (Despatch, No. 25 of 1859.)	23rd Septr.	Forwards 30 copies of a letter from the War Office and of the Memo, &c., referred to, respecting claims for supplies for the service of India from the Imperial Stores in the Colonies.
7	Order thereon.....	3rd Novr.	The Despatch, &c., communicated to the Military Department and the Accountant General.
8	Commodore Edgell, C. B., H. M. S. "*Retribution.*"	2nd do.	Requests that the Sub-Treasurer may be directed to receive Rupees 22,026 recovered from the wreck of the late Steamer "*Ava,*" and to pay him the freight at the rate of $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent on that amount.
9	Order thereon.....	3rd do.	Resolved accordingly.
10	Secretary to the Civil Fund.	3rd do.	Reports that Annuities have been assigned for 1859-60 to Messrs. Hooper, Goldingham, Elliot, Underwood, Prendergast and Elton.
11	Order thereon.....	4th Novr.	The assignment of an Annuity to Mr. Prendergast not sanctioned. The names of the 5 other applicants notified in the Gazette. The Proceedings reported to the Home Government.
12	Military Auditor General....	8th Octr.	Reports that it is inexpedient to make any alterations in the existing Form of Indemnity Bond under which pay and allowances of Officers are passed to their Agents during their absence.
13	Civil Auditor.....	21st do.	Reports upon the practice of taking Indemnity Bonds from Agents, and states that he has addressed the Government of India on the subject of those under which Navy Batta and House rent Bills are payable.
14	Order thereon.....	4th Novr.	Copy of the Reports furnished to the Chamber of Commerce, with an intimation that Government are not prepared to relax the conditions of the Indemnity Bonds, &c.
15	Civil Auditor..... ...	22nd Octr.	Reports on the proposition of the Collector of Ganjam to disburse all fixed salaries on a date early in the month, and remarks that the inconvenience complained of, is not so severe as to require a departure from a system obtaining elsewhere throughout the Presidency.

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16	Order thereon.....	4th Novr.	Communicated to the Collector of Ganjam with an intimation to the effect of the Civil Auditor's remark.
17	Secretary to the Civil Fund.	25th Octr.	Forwards copy of letter from Mr. Hooper requesting the refund of his excess subscriptions to the Fund on retirement, and states that, though the Trustees are unable to admit the claim, they submit it as being somewhat similar in character to that of Mr. Goldingham.
18	Order thereon.....	4th Novr.	Forwarded to the Secretary of State for India.
19	J. R. Kindersley, Esq., Sub-Judge of Bellary.	14th Octr.	Represents that, under the operation of a rule (quoted) of the Account Department, his salary for August last, while attached to the District of Ganjam, was not paid until the 7th October, and solicits Government to consider whether in such cases an undisputed claim on an Audited Bill might not be at once paid.
20	Accountant General.....	22nd Octr. 31st do.	Referred to the Accountant General. Reports that the rule Mr. Kindersley refers to, was introduced in April 1856, and proposes, as it appears to him a very objectionable one, to cancel it.
21	Order thereon.....	7th Novr.	Approve of the rule being cancelled.
22	Accountant General...	4th do.	Forwards Invoices and Bills of Lading for Treasure (1,00,000 Rupees' worth of Copper Coins) despatched to Bombay per "*Dalhousie*."
23	To the Secretary to the Government of Bombay.	7th do.	Transmit the Invoices and Bill of Lading.
24	Accountant General...	26th Octr.	Suggests that the investment of Rupees 11,800 on account of Unclaimed Compensation and Half Mountings, in the 5½ per cent loan, be made in the name of the Superintendent and Agent of Army Clothing, the interest being drawn by him and handed over to the Sub-Treasurer to be credited to a head designated "Pension Fund of Clerks of the late Army Clothing Office."
25	Order thereon.....	8th Novr.	Approve the suggestions and direct them to be carried out.

Exd. W. J. Boyton.