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No.	The authority from, and Order thereon.	Date.	Subject.
1	Minute of Consultation.	26th January 1859.	Looking to the large amounts of Silver and Copper small Coin now in the Treasury, suggest that the Railway Agent and Superintendent Electric Telegraphs might be allowed the option of taking a part of their advances in small Coin.
2	From the Secretary to the Government of India.	10th do.	Communicating a Despatch from the Secretary of State intimating that, for reasons specified, he has resolved to allow the grant of fifteen special and additional Annuities to the Civil Service of Bengal and five to each of the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay on the general terms prescribed in the Fund Regulations.
3	Order thereon.....	27th do.	Recorded.
4	Extract from the Proceeding of the Government of India.	17th December 1858.	Communicating that the Government of India concur in the view taken by the Madras Civil Auditor that no previous absence on Medical Certificate under the old regulations can be held to bar the privilege conferred by Clause II, Section XVIII of the New Covenanted Civil Absence Rules of counting one year's absence on Medical Certificate both as "Service" and "Residence."
5	Order thereon.....	27th January 1859.	Recorded.
6	From the Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Madras.	25th do.	Reports the amount of Specie and Liabilities of the Bank on the 22nd Instant.
7	Order thereon.....	27th do.	Recorded.
8	From the Secretary to the Government of India.	31st December 1858.	Acknowledges receipt of letter, No. 738, 10th November 1858, and states that the Supreme Government has recommended to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State the proposal of this Government to place the charge of the Stamps and Stationery Offices at Madras in the hands of a separate Officer, but on a salary of Rupees 750 instead of Rupees 1,200, as recommended by the Madras Government.
9	Order thereon.....	28th January 1859.	Communicated to the Revenue Department, and to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.
10	From the Secretary to the Government of India.	24th December 1858.	Mr. Harrison, late on special duty in the Account Department, having submitted his final report relative to the introduction of the Bengal system of Account into the Presidencies of Madras and Bombay, calls for a report on the progress made by Mr. Breeks, in respect to the change in the system of Account in this Presidency.
11	To the Secretary to the Government of India.	28th January 1859.	States that Mr. Breeks has reported on the introduction of the Bengal system of Account in 8 of the 21 Districts of this Presidency, and that his tour on this special duty will probably not conclude for at least a year more. Forwards copies of the reports received from Mr. Breeks and the orders of Government thereon <i>in extenso</i> as they do not admit of being abridged.

Fort Saint George, Financial Consultation, 1st February. 1859.

No.	The authority from, and Order thereon.	Date.	Subject.
12	From the Accountant General.	25th January	With reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation, of 27th October last, No. 707, states that the Government of India, has authorized him to draw Bills on the Collectors of Pooree and Cuttack under the Bengal Presidency under certain conditions, on which he will be prepared to comply with applications for Bills.
13	Order thereon.....	29th do.	Forwarded to the Collector of Ganjam.
14	From the Secretary Mint Committee.	21st do.	Submits, for sanction, two Bills of the Mint Master of expenses on Account of the Silver and Copper Coinage during November 1858.
15	Order thereon.....	29th do.	The Bills amounting to Rupees 7,778-7-11 sanctioned.
16	From the H. A. Hathaway, Esq.	24th do.	Requests to be informed whether the Resolution of the Supreme Government, on the Memorial of Mr. Toogood of the Bengal Civil Service has been communicated to this Government, and, if so, in what form he can act upon it, as his case partially comes under its operation.
17	Order thereon.....	29th do.	Forwarded to the Civil Auditor with a request that he will state to what other members of the Civil Service the above order of the Government of India will apply and how it will affect them.
18	Extract from the Minutes of Consultation, Public Department.	21st do.	Communicating that it has been determined that unpaid Official letters shall continue as heretofore to be forwarded as unpaid letters, provided they are addressed to parties which have a postage account with the London Post Office and furnishing a List of the same.
19	Order thereon.....	29th do.	Recorded.

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20	Extract from the Proceeding of the Government of India.	14th January 1859.	Communicating a Resolution of the Supreme Government that in future preparatory leave to Military Officers in Civil employ shall be regulated by the Military Rules with this exception that such leave shall in no case be extended beyond a period of 4, 6, or 8 weeks according as the distance to be travelled shall not exceed 300 or 600 miles or be in excess of the last mentioned distance.
21	Order thereon.....	1st February	Communicated to the Departments of the Secretariat and the Military Auditor General and Civil Auditor, and also published in the Official Gazette.
22	To the Accountant General.	1st do.	Transmits Register of a letter of Credit in favour of Lieutenant Highmoor, 37th N.I., for Rs. 276-14-9.
23	Minute of Consultation.	1st do.	The Accountant General requested to arrange for the despatch of ten Lacs of Rupees to Bombay by the first Steamer in February.