

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 288	Press ~~Mis.~~
Dated 19. 5.	1859

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
from 18th to 27th May 1859.*

No. 6. Read the following Telegram from the Financial Secretary to the Government of India; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 18th May 1858.

"There is a great demand for Copper Coin in the North West Provinces and the Punjaub, which it is necessary to meet. The Mints at Calcutta and Bombay are fully engaged in coining Silver. Be good enough to order the Madras Mint to Coin all the Copper it can, consistently with your necessary requirements for remittance to Calcutta and Bombay. The Mint should work full extra hours,—have you a good supply of Copper?"

No. 7. ORDER THEREON, 19th May 1859, No. 288.

Ordered to be communicated to the Mint Committee, who will report as early as practicable, what is the amount of Copper Coins in the Treasury—how much can be turned out weekly without interfering with the Silver Coinage—and whether it is necessary to work extra hours on the Copper Coinage.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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Financial Department.

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To the Mint Committee. - (Disptd. 19th M.S.)

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