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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 684 Press ~~Mis.~~

Dated 16. 12. 1859.

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No. 19. Read the following Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, dated 14th December 1859, No. 5195.

Read letter from W. E. UNDERWOOD, Esq., Reporter External Commerce; to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Fort Saint George, dated 13th December 1859.

I had the honor to receive the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, No. 5117, dated the 10th instant, transmitting copy of an Electric Telegraph despatch, directing me to send a Statement of the value of Silver imported into and exported from the Port of Madras in each year from 1835-36 to 1858-59.

I lost no time in putting the whole strength of the establishment to frame the Statement and I have now the honor to forward two. The one exhibiting the various Ports to and from which Treasure was imported and exported, in each year, and another shewing the gross amount without distinguishing the Ports.

I beg to transmit (3) three copies of each, one for record in the office of the Board of Revenue, another in the office of Government, and the third for transmission to Calcutta.

The Board regret to observe that the Collector of Sea Customs has not adhered in these Returns to the Form indicated by the Supreme Government in their Telegraphic despatch. He will therefore lose no time in preparing fresh Statements showing the particular kinds of Silver Coins imported and exported. This will necessitate the opening of columns and the Statement should for facility of reference be prepared in the Book form.

2. Meanwhile the Board resolve to forward the Statements already prepared to Government, as they show the value of Silver imported into and exported from Madras, as well as the places from which it came or to which it was sent and possibly this information may be of value to the Supreme Government.

E. G. United Kingdom.

Year.	*Bullion.*	*Dollars.*	*Rupees.*	*Francs.*			*Total.*

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary.

To J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq.,
Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

No. 20. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated Fort Saint George, 16th December 1859, No. 684.

With reference to your Telegraph message dated the 6th instant, I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to transmit to you a copy of each of the Statements furnished by the Collector of Sea Customs, together with a copy of that Officer's letter and the Proceedings of the Board of Revenue, and to state that the further Statements called for by the Board will be forwarded to you as soon as received.

Dated 14th December 1859, No. 5195.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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13 & 14 December 59

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Lieutenant & Asst

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No. 884

To The Secretary to the Govt. of India
Financial Depart.t

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I have &c.

Dated 14th December 1869.
No. 5695.

Fort St George,
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