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Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 241

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
for the month of May 1860.*

Read the following Despatches:

No. 27. From the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated London, 24th April 1860, No. 25.

I have had under my consideration the manner in which the several Governments of India are accustomed to send to this country the Rolls of Remittances, Effects and Credits, Savings' Bank Balances, and Returns of a similar nature relating to H. M.'s British Regiments serving in India, and I have come to the conclusion that much time and expense may be saved in regard to these documents.

2. They are generally received from India in duplicate and sometimes in triplicate; one copy being transmitted from this Office to the War Department and the others retained here. The duplicate copy is in some cases forwarded in the same cover with the original Roll, and sometimes it is sent by the following mail.

3. In future you will send only one copy which will be transmitted to the War Office, but it should always be accompanied by an abstract shewing the particular Regiments, the total amount of the remittances, &c. A similar abstract should be sent in cases in which only one copy of the Return is now transmitted as is the practice with the Rolls of Invalids proceeding to this country.

No. 28. From the Right Honorable Sir C. WOOD, Bart., Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Honorable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George, dated London, 24th April 1860, No. 27.

In accordance with a request made by the Secretary of State for War for the purpose of preventing delay in establishing Savings' Banks in the various Regiments arriving in China from India, I desire that instructions may be given to the authorities of your Government Savings' Bank, to furnish each of H. M.'s Regiments proceeding to China prior to its embarkation with a certified statement of the balances due to the depositors thereof, in addition to the copies forwarded to the Brigade Major for transmission to the War Office, and that those Regiments which have already embarked for China may at once be supplied with the certified statements necessary to enable them to open the Savings' Bank accounts.

No. 29. ORDER THEREON, 29th May 1860, No. 241.

Ordered that copies of the foregoing Despatches be furnished to the Military Department, and also to the Directors of the Government Savings' Bank who will carry out the instructions therein conveyed.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

Directors of the Govt Savings' Bank
Admt General. } (Sep 20)
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Despatch from the Right
Honble the Secy. of State
for India -

(Dated 24 April ^{25th} N^o 27 of 1860)

Order thereon - 29th May 1860. No 241.

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To the Military Departt.

" Directors of the Govt

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" Asst. General.

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Further Despatch from the Secy: of State for India of 8th Nov: No 72 of 1860.
Observing that
Copies of the Despatches
from the Secretary of
State for India to be
forwarded to the
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with a certified statement
of the balance due to the
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