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Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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3rd June 1861.*

No. 9. Read the following Despatch 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 1861, No. 30.

Financial.

1. In your Financial Railway letter, dated the 24th January last, No. 2, you request to be furnished with a Statement of Interest payable to the Great Southern of India, and Madras, Railway Companies, under guarantee.

2. This information appears to have been applied for by your Accountant General, in consequence of an instruction by the Government of India, that the Accountant Generals at the several Presidencies, should exhibit the payments of Interest on Railway Capital, in their Financial Returns, in a distinct entry, as charges, and not as supplies to London.

3. It is important that all charges for Interest paid in India on Railway Capital guaranteed, should be included in the accounts of the several Governments, in a distinct entry, separate from all other charges. The amount of such payments in India is comparatively small, the principal portion of the Interest being paid in this country. The total amount estimated by the Government of India to be payable there in the year 1860-61 is only £36,010, and if no portion of that amount will be paid at Madras, no entry on account of Interest is requisite in your accounts.

4. The Statements applied for by you will therefore not be supplied.

No. 10. ORDER THEREON, 3rd June 1861, No. 276.

Ordered to be communicated to the Accountant General, in reference to his letter of the 8th January last, No. 343.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. T. O'Connor.

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Read the following De-
-patch from the Rt. Honble
the Secy of State for India.

(Dated 24th April N^o 30 of 1861)

Order thereon 3rd June 1861 N^o 276.

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To the Secy General. - 3/6

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2. It appears to this Govern-
-ment very desirable that
they should be furnished
with a statement of ex-
-penses in England charge-
-able on Indian Revenue
among which the item of
"Guaranteed Interest" is
the heaviest. They resolve
therefore to renew their
application to the Secretary
of State for India for

a statement supplying
this information

To the Acct General.

Order on Despatches
the Secy. of State.

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