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Government of Madras.

Financial DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
16th November 1863.*

No. 35. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Department, dated
30th October 1863, No. 1107.

Communicating Proceedings of the Govern-
ment of India, forwarding an extract from a
Despatch from the Secretary of State, sanc-
tioning the transmission every two months to
each Department in each Presidency in
India, of a Return, showing the progress
making towards compliance with the Indents
and requisitions of Heads of Departments. } (Vide Proceedings Public Department, dated
30th October 1863, Nos. 130 and 131.)

No. 36.

ORDER THEREON, 16th November 1863, No. 732:

Communicated to the Mint Master.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

Ed. T. O'Connor.

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PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.
PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following:—

Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, dated 26th September 1863, No. 4,751.

Read the following Extract from a Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State, No. 140, of 8th October 1863:—

Paragraph 7 * * * “As it appears desirable that the heads of Departments in India should be more fully informed of the progress making towards compliance with their indents and requisitions, I have sanctioned a Return, according to the accompanying form, which is to be transmitted every two months to each Department, in each Presidency.

8. “The Return will include all stores under provision in this country, for which indents have been received and sanctioned, but for which packing accounts have not been transmitted, and it will show, as nearly as can be calculated, the probable period of their despatch. It will thus obviate, to a great extent, complaints of the character which have latterly been made, and it will give heads of Departments the opportunity of hastening, or, if necessary, cancelling the supply of stores which may have been demanded in their Departments.”

ORDER.—Ordered, that a copy of this extract, and of the form of Return to which it refers, be communicated to the several Departments of this Government, and to the Local Governments and Administrations; also to the Auditor General of India, the Military Finance Department, the Accountant General, Government of India, and the Deputy Auditors and Accountants General.

Ordered, also, that a copy of this Resolution, and of paragraphs 1 to 6 of the Despatch of the Secretary of State, be communicated to the Audit Board, with a remark that the Financial Resolution of 22nd November 1862 has been cancelled by the subsequent resolutions, dated 25th April and 6th June 1863, as regards the transmission of indents, either original, duplicate, or copy, to or through the Financial Department, and with a request that the 3rd paragraph of the Secretary of State's Despatch may be communicated to the Mint Master, Calcutta.

(A true Extract.)

(Signed) THOMAS PEACHEY,
Principal Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

*Return of Stores under provision by the Director General of Stores for India.
Presidency for which Packing Accounts have not yet been transmitted, showing the requisitions or Authorities.
Department upon which they are being provided and the arrangements made from their shipment from England.*

Communicated to the Financial, Military, and Public Works Departments.

(True Extract.)

A. J. Cronin

Chief Secretary.

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