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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
2nd August 1864.

No. 5. Read the following letter from E. H. LUSHINGTON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India; to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Simla, 11th June 1864, No. 809.

With advertence to previous correspondence, I am directed to state that the Governor General in Council has decided that there shall be a separate Currency Note for each of the three Presidencies of Bengal, Madras and Bombay, and that in the event of a Presidency being divided into two or more Circles, this Note, with the exception of a distinguishing mark showing to what Circle of Issue it immediately belongs, shall be an uniform Note for all the Circles of such Presidency.

2. I am instructed to transmit for the opinion of the Governor in Council a specimen of the Note which it is proposed to adopt for the Madras Presidency, and to request that it may be returned with any suggestions for its improvement in respect to the native characters proposed to be added which may appear to be called for.

No. 6. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated Fort Saint George, 2nd August 1864, No. 393.

In reply to your letter of the 11th June last, No. 809, forwarding a specimen Bank Note with a request that it may be returned with any suggestions for its improvement, in respect to the native characters proposed to be added, I am directed by the Madras Government to state that, in their opinion, Bank Notes for this Presidency should contain the value, both in writing and figures, in the four* principal languages of Southern India, in addition to Hindoostanee. The enclosed specimen shows how this may conveniently be arranged.

* Tamil. Canarese.
Telugu. Malayalum.

2. Correct lists, in the four Vernaculars named, of values from Rupees five to Rupees one thousand have been printed, and copies are enclosed.

Rs.
5
10
20
50
100
500
1000

3. The pattern Note received with your letter under reply is also returned.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

Exd. J. Tulloch.

No 809.

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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant
Ed. H Lushington
Secy to the Govt of India

Simla
The 11th June 1861

Rec'd 20/6

Despatch to the Secy of State for India 1st June 1864

Sent 9th to Asst

Financial Revenue 1861 Depth.

No. 343

No. 1600

From the Secretary to the Govt. of India.

Dd 11th
Rec'd 25th
Rec'd 29th

June 1864.

No 809 - June

No 312.

Transmitting a specimen of a Separate Currency Note proposed to be adopted to the Madras Presidency and requesting that the same may be returned with any suggestions for its improvement.

9 - 19 July
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