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Read the following papers :—

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No. 6. From the Mint Master, to the Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated 27th November 1866, No. 223.

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2. The Cabinet of uncurrent coins that was in the Assay Office, has, you are aware, been transferred to the Government Central Museum.

No. 7. To Surgeon Major J. F. SHEKLETON, Assay Master, Calcutta Mint, dated Fort Saint George, 12th December 1866, No. 460.

In acknowledging the receipt of your letter of the 8th September last, No. 52, requesting to be supplied with duplicate specimens of certain uncurrent Indian coins, named in the List furnished by you, in view to the publication of a complete set of Assay Tables now under preparation, I am directed to inform you that the coins in question are not procurable either at the Mint or Government Central Museum at Madras.

2. The Superintendent of the Museum, however, states that several of the coins specified in your List can be obtained at Hyderabad.

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

Exd. J. Tulloch.

Fort St. George,
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No. 223.

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Colonel J. Carpendale R.E.
Mint Master

To The Secretary to Govt.
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Sir
Your most obedient Servant,

J. Carpendale
Mint Master

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