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FROM

R. S. ELLIS, ESQ., C. B.,
Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George,

TO

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

With reference to your letter of the 23rd ultimo, No. 2609, I have the honor to annex a Memorandum giving the information required relative to the circumstances under which the Johnstone, Norton, and Beauchamp Medals were founded.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
17*th December* 1867.

Chief Secretary.

MEMORANDUM.

Johnstone Medal.—The foundation of this Medal in 1849, which is offered periodically as a prize to the most deserving student in the Medical College, originated in the desire of several members of the community at Madras and elsewhere to testify their respect and esteem for the late Dr. Johnstone in a manner that would render his memory permanent among them. The cost of the Medal is defrayed from the interest accruing on the sum (about Rupees 1000) raised for the purpose.

Norton Medal.—This Medal was founded by certain passed proficients of the late Madras University, in honor of the late President, Mr. George Norton, and is awarded annually to the author of the best essay in Tamil or Telugu. The Medal is annually struck at the Government Mint free of charge.

Beauchamp Medal.—This was founded by certain members of the Native community at Combaconum, in testimony of their regard for Mr. G. T. Beauchamp, late Civil and Session Judge of Tanjore. The medal is given to the student who shall stand first at the annual examination of the Combaconum Provincial School, but is to be withheld in any year when the proficiency of the best scholar shall appear to the Director insufficient to warrant the award.

The medal is struck at the Mint free of charge ; its value being determined by the sum which may be realized as interest on the investment of Rupees 1000, the amount subscribed for the purpose.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

No. 2609

To.

The Chief Secretary to the
Government of Fort St. George

Financial Deptt Sir

With reference to the list of Medal dies in the Madras Mint enclosed in your letter No. 456 of the 9th Ultimo, I am directed to request that you will be good enough with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, to report what events the Johnstone, Norton and Beauchamp Medals are intended to commemorate.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant

For William
The 23rd November 1867

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Ed. H. Harrington
Secy to the Govt of India

Financial Department.

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To
Capt. Campbell
Assistant Surgeon
Fort St. George

Sir

I am directed by the Board of Education to request you will favor them with a Report on the Medical Examination held on the 15th Instant for the Johnstone Medal, and to state whether any of the Candidates are entitled to Honorary Mention.

I have &c.
(Signed) W. Oliver
Secy.

Fort St. George
The 17th August 1854

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