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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,

8th June 1869.

No. 21. Read the following Despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor in Council, Fort Saint George ; dated India Office, London, 6th May 1869, No. 40, (Financial).

I have considered in Council your Financial letter, No. 4, dated 26th February last, relative to the short delivery of pig iron shipped as Mint stores per *Medusa* in August 1868.

2. In reply, I have to inform you that the iron was shipped in pigs by number, as specified both in the Bill of Lading and the Packing Account, and there is no doubt that the ship was responsible for the breakage and consequent loss of weight in the iron landed. The value of the short delivery should, therefore, have been deducted from the freight payable at Madras.

No. 22. ORDER THEREON, 8th June 1869, No. 260.

Communicated to the Mint Master, with reference to his letter, dated the 16th February last, No. 400.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

To the Mint Master.

" Accountant General, with copy of Proceedings dated 23rd February 1869, No. 108.

Hxd, A. S. Rodgers.

Financial
No. 40.

India Office London
6th May 1869

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His Excellency
The Right Honble
The Governor in Council
Fort St George.

Govt. of [1869] Madras.

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To

THE MINT MASTER.

&c., &c. &c.

Dated June, 8th.

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Encl.

G. O., 8th June 1869, No. 260.

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Nos. 21-22.

Communicating Despatch from the Secretary of State for India intimating that the value of the short delivery of pig iron shipped per Mint stores per *Medusa* in August 1868 should have been deducted from the freight payable at Madras.

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I have the honor to be

My Lord

Your Lordship's most Obedient

humble Servant

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Communicating to the Secretary to the Govt of India a despatch to his address dated the 16th July last

L. 400.

With an order

Stating that the value of the short-delivery of Pig Iron which was forwarded in August/68 per ship "Medusa," should have been deducted from the freight payable here.

Read 2nd June/69 by vid Marseilles & Bombay.

Financial
No. 5.
6th May 1869.

The Letter to Fort St George
No. 40.

Letter 22 June

Sir, The Secretary —
— Accts Genl — with Govt
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Govt. of {1869} Madras.

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To The Mint Master
&c.

Dated June 8.

Recd. Encl.

G. O. 8 June. 1869, No. 260.

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