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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,*
*18th August* 1869.

No. 31. Read the following letter from the Accountant General, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Fort Saint George, 31st July 1869, No. 113.

Book Department.

In continuation of my endorsement of the 29th April last, forwarding my Assistant's report on the Mint Store Accounts for the past year, I have the honour now to submit a balance sheet for the quarter ending 30th June last, together with copy of a covering letter from the same officer.

2. As the determination to abolish the Madras Mint, and to retain the Assay Office was arrived at by the Right Honourable the Secretary of State after full consideration of the arguments urged for and against that measure by the Supreme and Local Governments, respectively, it does not appear to me to be necessary to make any comments on the points raised in paragraphs 2 at 4 of Mr. Mackey's letter. But with regard to the slips for the copper-coinage, I beg to suggest that the Supreme Government be moved to pass early orders regarding its disposal, as there is no advantage whatever in retaining it here.

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No. 32. ORDER THEREON, 18th August 1869, No. 367.

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(True Extract).

R. S. ELLIS,
*Chief Secretary.*

Exd. J. Wright,

Accountant General

Govt. of {1869} Madras.

FINANCIAL.

*Dated August,* 18*th.*

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No. 113

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
31 July 1869.

FROM The ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,
TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

TO THE Chief Secretary to Government
Fort Saint George

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I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

F. Ruthven
Accountant General

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The Accountant General

To The Chief Secretary
to Government

Dated 31st July 1869
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