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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
21st August 1871.*

No. 81. Read the following letter from the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Simla, 4th August 1871, No. 2494 :—

I have the honour to forward a copy of a letter, No. 2493, dated 4th August 1871, to the Mint Master, Calcutta, asking for information by which the amount of Government coinage in circulation may be determined, and am directed to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, similar information may be furnished of the Government coinage in the Madras Presidency.

2. If any estimate of the amount of coinage of Native States within the Madras Presidency can be supplied, the Governor-General in Council would be glad to receive it.

From the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Mint Master, Calcutta, dated Simla, 4th August 1871, No. 2493.

I am directed to request that you will be good enough to expedite the submission of your report on the operations of the Calcutta Mint during the year 1870-71, and that you will attach to it an extra return showing the value of the gold, silver, and copper coinage of the old and new Mints, also the value of the portion thereof withdrawn from circulation and returned to the Mint, and the balance or net addition to the currency in each year.

2. The object of the return is to ascertain the gross total of the Government coinage outstanding in circulation and in the Government Treasuries. From that gross total would have to be deducted the value of Rupees exported from India by sea and land, and the estimated quantity which may have been melted in the country for ornaments or for other purposes except export. Any calculation of the proper deductions under these heads which you can supply will be acceptable.

No. 82. ORDER THEREON, 21st August 1871, No. 366.

Communicated to the Accountant-General, who will furnish the information required by the Government of India as regards the amount of Government coinage in circulation in this Presidency.

2. The Resident in Travancore and Cochin will be requested to afford information of the amount of coinage of those States.

(True Extract.)

Captain, R. E.,
Under Secretary, P. W. D.,
for Chief Secretary.

To the Acting Accountant-General.

„ Resident in Travancore and Cochin.

Exd. J. Wright.

No. 2493 -

To

The Mint Master,
Calcutta.

Finl. Departt. Sir,

I am directed to request that you will be good enough to expedite the submission of your report on the operations of the Calcutta Mint, during the year 1870/71, and that you will attach to it an Extra Return showing the value of the gold, silver and copper coinage of the old and new Mints, also the value of the portion thereof withdrawn from circulation and returned to the Mint, and the Balance or net addition to the Currency in each year.

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FINANCIAL.

To

THE ACTING ACCOUNTANT-GENERAL,
&c., &c., &c.

Dated August, 21st.

Recd.

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G. O., 21st August 1871, No. 366.

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Nos. 81-82.

Communicating letter from Government of India, requesting to be informed of the amount of Government coinage and that of Native States in circulation in this Presidency.

Purposes except export - Any calculation of the proper deductions under these heads which you can supply will be acceptable

Simla }
The 4 Aug/71 }

I have the honor
to R.A. Hollingbery
Asst Secy to the
Govt of India

(A true copy)

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Registrar, Ind. Dept.

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N^o 2494

To

The Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras

Financial Dept Sir

I have the honor to forward a copy of a letter N^o 2493 dated 4th August 1871 to the Mint Master Calcutta asking for information by which the amount of Government Coinage in Circulation may be determined, and am directed to request that with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, similar information may be furnished of the Government Coinage in the Madras Presidency.

2 If any estimate of the amount of Coinage of Native States within the Madras Presidency can be supplied, the Governor General in Council would be glad to receive it.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

Simla }
The 4 August 1871 }

W. H. Murray

Asst Secy to the Govt of India

Calcutta
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Financial Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

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Assistant Secretary to the
Government of India, Finan-
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1st August 1871, N^o 2, 1, 94.

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2. The Resident in Travancore and Cochin will be re-
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of

1871
Financial Department
The 9th of August

Dated 4th
Recd 16th August 1871

No 2454
With Receipts.

S.O. no 366

No 396.

Forwarding copy of a letter
to the British India Calcutta,
asking for information by
which the amount of Gov^t
coinage in circulation may
be determined, and request-
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the Gov^t coinage in the
Presidencies of Travancore and Cochin,
as also
any estimate of the amount
of coinage of Native States
within the Madras Presidency -
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The Accountant General
- Resident in Travancore
& Cochin.

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To *The Assistant Surgeon.*

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