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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
31st August 1871.

No. 132. 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, 15th August 1871, No. 2807:—

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 288, dated the 15th July 1871, transmitting, with other papers, copy of a notification published in the *Fort St. George Gazette* for the receipt and assay of bullion by the Chemical Examiner, and recommending that the system therein sketched may be tried for one year.

2. The Governor-General in Council is pleased to comply with the recommendation, but I am directed to state that all the bullion received and locally assayed should be sent to Calcutta or Bombay for the purpose of being re-assayed.

Copy of the correspondence forwarded to the Assay Master, Calcutta.

No. 133. ORDER THEREON, 31st August 1871, No. 410.

Communicated to the Chemical Examiner in charge of the Assay Department, and to the Chamber of Commerce, with reference to G. O., dated the 15th July 1871, No. 287.

2. The Chemical Examiner will observe the instructions contained in paragraph 2 of the foregoing letter.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Chemical Examiner.
,, Chamber of Commerce.
,, Acting Accountant-General, with copy of Proceedings, dated 15th July 1871, No. 287.

Exd. J. Wright.

Govt. of {1871} Madras.

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To

THE CHEMICAL EXAMINER,
&c., &c.,

Dated August, 31st.

Recd. Read.

G. O., 31st August 1871, No. 410.

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Communicating letter from Government of India directing that all bullion received and assayed here should be sent to Calcutta or Bombay to be re-assayed.

No. 2817

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To

The Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras

Financial Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 288 dated the 15. July 1871. transmitting with three papers copy of a Notification published in the Fort St. George Gazette for the receipt and assay of bullion by the Chemical Examiner and recommending that the system therein sketched may be tried for one year.

2. His Excellency the Governor General in Council is pleased to comply with the recommendation, but I am directed to state that all the bullion received and locally assayed should be sent to Calcutta or Bombay, for the purpose of being reassayed.

I have &c.

(Sd) R. A. Hutchinson
Offg. Secy to the Govt. of India

Simla - - }
the 15. August 1871. }

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From
The Accountant General
Fort St. George
Dated 1st. September 1871.

With an order dated
31st. Aug.t 1871. No. 410

No. 521.

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Official Memorandum.

The undersigned has the honor, by direction of the Acting Commissioner, to request that the Under Secretary to Government in charge of Financial Department, Fort St. George, will be good enough to furnish the Commissioner of Paper Currency with an attested copy of Proceedings of Government in the Financial Department dated 31st. August 1871. No. 410, together with its accompaniments.

Fort St. George
Acctt. Genls. Office
Paper Currency Dept.
9th September 1871.

W. Donald
Offg. Asstt. Accountant General
in charge of Paper Currency Dept.

To

The Under Secretary
to Government.
in charge of Financial Department
Fort St. George

Transcribed 12/5/11

No. 2807

To,

The Chief Secretary to the
Government of Madras.

Financial Deptt Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No. 288 dated the 15th July 1871. transmitting with other papers copy of a Notification published in the Fort St. George Gazette for the receipt and Assay of bullion by the Chemical Examiner and recommending that the system therein sketched may be tried for one year.

2 The Governor General in Council is pleased to comply with the recommendation, but I am directed to state, that all the bullion received and locally assayed should be sent to Calcutta or Bombay for the purpose of being reassayed.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Most Obedient Servant

Simla
The 15th August 1871.

W. S. Bellew

Asst Secy to the Govt of India

Copy of the Correspondence forwarded to the Assay Master Calcutta

Order 19/8

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Ostacamund. 31 Augt. 1871. No 1110

Communicated to the Chemical Examiner in charge of the Agency Department, and to the Chamber of Commerce with reference to H. O. dated the 15th July 1871. No 287.

The Chemical Examiner will observe the instructions contained in paragraph 2 of the foregoing letter.

By order &c
[illegible]
Secretary to Government.

To The Chemical Examiner
" - Chamber of Commerce -
" - Accountant General with copy of Proc. dated 15th July 1871. No 287.
" Comptroller of the Currency with No 287. dated 12/9

1871
Dated 15th August
Recd 25th September
No 1027

No 1027

Copy of report with the recommendations made by the Board to forward that the experiments detailed in the receipt & delivery of bullion by the Chemical Examiner may be tried for a year, the stamp duty that all the bullion received locally and sent to Madras by the Railway Company may be remitted, & that the Collector of Customs may be authorized to allow the Bullion imported by the Railway Company to be landed on Sundays & Holidays when necessary.

Govt. of {1871} Madras.

Financial

The Chancel Examiner.

per

Dated Augt. 31.
Recd. Encl.

G. O. 31 Augt. , 1871, No 410.

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Comng. letter from Govt. of India directing that all bullion rec'd and assayed here should be sent to Calcutta or Bombay to be re-assayed.