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Government of Madras.

DEPARTMENT.

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29th November 1871.

No. 116. Read the following letter from the Acting Commissioner of Paper Currency, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 15th November 1871, No. 688:—

I have the honour to submit, for the consideration of His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor in Council, a proposition to establish Currency Agencies in this Presidency in conformity with the Resolution of the Government of India dated 20th January 1871, No. 416, Financial, *Gazette of India*, page 34.

2. The object to be attained by the establishment of Agencies and the manner in which business is transacted thereat are given in that section of the Annual Report for 1870-71 of the Currency Department submitted by the Head Commissioner to the Government of India allotted to that subject and in the accompanying Manual for the Currency Department.

3. It will be seen from the Head Commissioner's report that between January and the end of last August Agencies had been opened in the Bengal Provinces to the number of nineteen—ten in the Lower Provinces, five in the North-West Provinces, and four in the Punjab.

4. I would propose that, in the first instance, Agencies be opened in this Presidency at the following places as they are, in my opinion, the most suitable for the experiment:—

In the Madras Circle.

Cuddapah.

Bellary.

Bangalore.

In the Trichinopoly Circle.

Negapatam.

Tuticorin.

In the Calicut Circle.

Ootacamund.

Manantoddy.

In the Vizagapatam Circle.

Cocanada.

5. Should His Excellency in Council accede to this proposal, I request that the sanction of the Government of India may be obtained for the establishment of these Agencies at an early date, and I may, in conclusion, add that the Head Commissioner is greatly in favour of opening Currency Agencies in this Presidency.

No. 117. To the Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated Fort St. George, 29th November 1871, No. 724.

I am directed to submit, for the consideration and orders of the Governor-General in Council, copy of a letter* from the Acting

* Dated the 15th Nov. 1871, No. 688.

Commissioner of Paper Currency, Madras, containing a proposition to establish, experimentally, Currency Agencies in this Presidency in conformity with the Resolution of the Government of India dated the 20th January 1871, No. 416, Financial.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department.
29th November 1871.

2. The Acting Commissioner considers that the following stations are the most suitable for the experiment, viz. :—

In the Madras Circle.

Cuddapah,
Bellary, and
Bangalore.

In the Trichinopoly Circle.

Negapatam.
Tuticorin.

In the Calicut Circle.

Ootacamund.
Manantoddy.

In the Vizagapatam Circle.

Cocanada.

3. I am to add that this Government approve of the experiment being tried and of the selection of stations recommended by the Acting Commissioner.

(Signed) R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort St. George.

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated 25th November 1871.

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from the Acting Commissioner of Paper Currency,
Madras, containing a proposal for the establish-
ment of Currency Agencies in this Presi-
dency.

Fort St. George.
Accountants General's Office
Paper Currency Department
15th November 1871.

N^o 688.

From.

P. W. Lodwick Esq.
- Agt. Commissioner of Paper Currency.

To.
The Chief Secretary to Government.
Financial Department
Fort St. George.

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consideration of His Excellency The Right
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Gazette of India page 24.

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Cuddalore

Bellary

Bangalore.

In the Trichinopoly Circle

Nagapattam

Tuticorin

In the Calcutta Circle

Calcutta

Manamtoody

In the Vizagapatam Circle

Visakhapatnam

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Your most obedient servants

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Ag. Commissioner
of Paper Currency.

C.S.

Financial Department.

No. 724

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Financial Department

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Cuddalore
Bellary
Bangalore

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From

Mr. Commissioner
of Paper Currency

Chief Secretary
to Government

Financial Department
No. 816

Dated 15th November 1871
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- then a proposition to
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to the Government
to the Financial Department

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- Mavautoddy

In the Mezapatlan Circle
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Government approve the expe-
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~~the stations selected~~ for the
~~purpose~~ and of the relation
of stations recommended
by the act passed
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Fort St. George
29 Nov 71.

Wm. H. Miller
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To

The Secretary to the
Government of
Department

Dated

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT

From
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Port Saint George,

To
The Secretary to the Govt. of India,
Financial Department.

Dated 29. 12. 1874.

*Recd. 30. 12. 1874
J. P. 10/11/74*

No. 21
Enclosure

Notes.

For the purpose of consideration
of a letter from the
Government of India
relative to the
proposed issue of
Government currency notes
in this Province.