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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

No. 332.

FROM

THE HON. W. HUDLESTON,
Officiating Chief Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George,

To

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

SIR,

With reference to your Assistant's letter, dated the 17th November last, No. 4929 (Accounts), I am directed to transmit an abstract of the replies received from Treasury Officers, from which it will be seen that one officer possesses scales, but has no weights; that five officers have scales only, and that seventeen officers have neither scales nor weights, for ascertaining whether coins tendered to them have lost more than the prescribed allowance in weight.

2. The abstract also shows when the scales were received, and how.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

FORT ST. GEORGE,
19*th March* 1872.

Officiating Chief Secretary.

ABSTRACT of replies received from Treasury Officers with reference to G. O., Financial Department, No. 753, dated 6th December 1871.

Names of the Treasury Officers.	Whether they possess properly adjusted balances and minimum weights for ascertaining whether coins tendered have lost more than the prescribed allowance in weights.	When the scales and weights were received, and how.
Collector of Kistna	Possesses scales but not adjusted weights.	In October 1867, supplied by the late Mint.
Do. North Arcot	Scales only are available ...	In 1870, from the Government Workshop.
Do. South Arcot	Do. ...	In 1869, from the Public Workshop.
Commissioner of Neilgherries ...	Do. ...	In 1866.
Collector of Salem	Has a pair of scales for the use of the Huzur Treasury.	In November 1870, supplied by P. W. Workshop.
Resident in Travancore	Has scales only	Purchased in 1864.
Collector of Ganjam	None.	
Do. Vizagapatam		
Do. Godavery		
Do. Nellore		
Do. Madras		
Do. Chingleput		
Do. Tanjore		
Do. Trichinopoly		
Do. Madura		
Do. Tinnevelly		
Do. Malabar		
Do. South Canara		
Do. Coimbatore		
Do. Cuddapah		
Do. Bellary		
Do. Kurnool		
Treasury Officer, Bangalore ...		

MADRAS,
15*th March* 1872.

(Signed) R. W. LODWICK,
Ag. Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

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FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

From

The Offg. Chief Secretary to Govt.,
Fort St. George.

To

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

Dated 19th March 1872.

Recd.

No. 332.

Enclosure.

Furnishing an abstract of the replies received from Treasury Officers relating to the scales and weights possessed by them for ascertaining whether coins tendered to them have lost more than the prescribed allowance in weight.

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Resource Department.

No. 737

Fort Saint George,
Accountant General's Office,
15th March 1872.

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From

The Accountant General, Madras,

To

The Offg. Chief Secretary to Government
Fort St. George

Sir,

With reference to G.O. Financial Department No. 753, dated 6th December last, and to your endorsement dated 13th Instant, I have the honor to forward an abstract of the Reports received from Treasury Officers and to state that the despatch of the statement was delayed pending reply from the Collector of Coimbatore to the letter addressed by me, copy of which is herein enclosed.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your obedient Servant

Accountant General.

Treasury.

Resource Department.

No. 5163 Dated 5th March 1872.

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Fr. Fuel 523/72

From

The Accountant General,
to the Government of Madras,

To

The Collector of Coimbatore.

Vide { your / this } Office Letter No. 72 dated 15th January 1872

The undersigned has the honor to state observe that when he inspected your Treasury he saw more than one English Safe apparently perfectly new. It is therefore not understood what your Treasury Officer meant when he stated that there are no properly adjusted balances.

Sd/ W. Ledwich
Actg: Accountt: Genl

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Asst to the Accountt General

Fuel 1872 Department

Acctt. Genl's Office, Madras.

No. 737.

From

The Accountant General, Madras.

To

The Chief Secretary
to Government
Madras

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Papers rtd.

Dated 15th
Recd. 16
Answd. 16

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March 1872

No. 523

(Subject.)

Forwarding the abstract of the Safe Receipt, from the Treasury Officer, with the letter dated 5th instant, and the Cancelled Safe Receipt, for necessary action.

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DEPARTMENT.

ACCTT. GENL.'S OFFICE, MADRAS.

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FROM

THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL,

Fort St. George,

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No. 332. Financial Depart.

To The Secretary to the
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Financial Depart.

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and how.

I have &c.

Fort St. George
19th March 1872.

The abstract to follow

1872.

Financial DEPARTMENT

From
The Chief Secretary to Government,
Fort Saint George,

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

Dated March 19. 1872.

Recd.

No. 332.
Enclosure.

Nos. 158-160

Furnishing an Abstract of the replies, recd. from Treasury officers relative to the Scales and weights professed by them & ascertaining whether Coins tendered to them have lost more than the prescribed allowance in weight.