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with copies of their ^{any} publications relating
to the soil, the industry & the ethnography
of India*

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper:—

[Translation.]

From the Secretary, Geographical Society, Lisbon, dated 25th November 1896.

Under the distinguished patronage and honorary presidentship of His Majesty the King of Portugal and of his Government, the Geographical Society of Lisbon is, at this moment, the most important and active association of studious research in our country and forms a centre of union and of scientific international exchange, incessantly devoted to the encouragement and development of intellectual and commercial relationship and intercommunication among various peoples and professions.

Our copious and rich library and our great universal museum, in which the ethnography of different nations occupies the principal place, are of considerable utility and are much frequented, not only by students, national and foreign, but also by individuals of the commercial and industrial classes and by emigrants.

Naturally, your country has been pointed out to us as one of those the worthy representation of which among our collections will do us great honour, and we shall be very happy to be able to do justice in this sense, not only to the interests of science, but also to the ancient relations and the cordial friendship which fortunately cements and links our two countries.

Unable with our own individual resources to follow up and satisfy fully our just ambitions, we appeal to the good graces and generous co-operation of illustrious men like you, to whom, we are sure, our modest work of (the spreading of) civilisation, of knowledge and of peace will be cordially acceptable.

It is for this reason that we persuade ourselves to solicit your honourable co-operation and also to ask you to condescend to bring to the knowledge of your illustrious Government our desire to see our collections honoured and enriched by copies of new works and documents relating to the soil, the industry and the ethnography of your noble country. Assuring you of the great pleasure we shall have in being able to manifest to you on some occasion our sincere gratitude and recognition.

We pray you, &c.

ORDER—No. 54, Financial, dated 21st January 1897.

A copy of the Madras Manual of Administration (3 volumes) will be forwarded to the Secretary to the Geographical Society of Lisbon, and his letter will be communicated to the departments of the Secretariat, which will be requested to accede, as far as possible, to the request made therein.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Public Department.
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Exd. A. Raitt.

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From H. A. Stuart Esq. J. L. S.

Private Secretary to
 H. E. the Governor.

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Letter

to

The Secy. to the
Geographical Society
Lisbon

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Adverting to your letter
of the 25th Nov. last, I
am directed to forward
advice of the receipt
of the Madras Manual
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and to state that your
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Lisbonne, Société de Géographie, le 25 nov. 96

Monsieur CURRENT NO.

Sous la haute protection et Présidence d'Honneur de Sa Majesté
le Roi du Portugal, et de son gouvernement, la Société de Géogra-
phie de Lisbonne est, aujourd'hui, la plus importante et active asso-
ciation d'étude de notre pays et constitue un centre de liaison et de
permutation scientifique internationale incessamment dévoué
à aider et à développer les relations et les connaissances intellectu-
elles et commerciales parmi les peuples et les États divers.

Notre nombreuse et riche Bibliothèque et notre grand Mu-
seum/universel où l'éthnographie des différents peuples occupe
la place principale, sont d'un avantage considérable, et très fréquen-
tés non seulement par les étudiants nationaux et étrangers, mais
aussi par les individus de la classe commerciale et industrielle et
par les émigrants.

Naturellement votre pays nous est indiqué comme un de ceux
dont la digne représentation dans nos collections nous ferait grand
honneur, et nous serions très heureux de pouvoir, correspondre dans
ce sens, non seulement aux intérêts de la science, mais aussi aux
anciennes relations et à la cordiale amitié que heureusement
rapproche et attache nos deux pays.

Ne pouvant par nos seules ressources accompagner et satisfai-
re pleinement à nos justes desirs, nous faisons appel à la gracieu-
sité et à la coopération généreuse des hommes illustres comme vous,
à qui, nous sommes sûrs, notre modeste œuvre de civilisation, de
science et de paix sera sympathique.

C'est par cette raison que nous nous permettons de solliciter
votre honorable adhésion et aussi de vous demander de daigner por-

ter à la connaissance de votre illustre Gouvernement nos desirs
de voir nos collections honorées et enrichies de nouveaux exemplai-
res et documents représentatifs du sol, de l'industrie et de l'ethno-
graphie de votre noble pays, en vous assurant du grand plaisir
que nous aurions de pouvoir, vous manifester, à quelque occasion,
notre sincère reconnaissance.

Nous vous prions, Monsieur, de vouloir bien accepter les
témoignages de notre considération la plus distinguée

Par la Direction

Le Secrétaire perpétuel

Vilain Cordier

Conseiller du Roi

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