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Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

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Fort Saint George, Marine Consultation, 1st September 1857.

No. 8. From W. E. UNDERWOOD, Esq., Collector Sea Customs, Madras; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 26th August 1857, No. 291.

SIR,

Para: 1. I have the honor to submit an Application* from Messrs. Barrie and Co. requesting permission to pass from the Custom House, a case containing 2 Revolvers for their own use and to recommend that their request may be complied with.

* Enclosure No. 1, dated 26th August 1857.

2. Also letter† from Mr. Fox, who mentions the parties in his letter to whom they are to be sold.

† Enclosure No. 2, dated 26th August 1857.

3. Messrs. D'Souza, Cammeade and Co. have applied‡ to pass for sale.

‡ Enclosure No. 3, dated 26th August 1857.

6 Inch Revolvers	12,	80 Rupees each.
Army do.	6,	110 " "
Cartridges.....	4,000,	
Navy Revolvers	12,	90 " "
Navy Cartridges	1,000.	

4. I have to solicit the instructions of Government as to whether the Revolvers are to be permitted to pass, Imported by these several Parties.

(Signed) W. E. UNDERWOOD,
Collector Sea Customs.

From Messrs. BARRIE AND CO.; to W. E. UNDERWOOD, Esq., Collector of Sea Customs, dated Madras, 26th August 1857.

SIR,

We have the honor to request you will be pleased to obtain the sanction of Government to allow us to clear from the Custom House. Two six Barrel Colts Revolvers landed from the Steamer "Hindustan." These are for our private use and not for sale.

(Signed) BARRIE AND CO.

From H. FOX, Esq.; to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, dated 26th August 1857.

SIR,

In forwarding the accompanying Application to clear a case of 13 Colt's Pistols, &c., I beg to say that one is for Col. C. Hewetson, 1 for his Son, 49th N. I., 1 for Ensign and Adjutant Garland, 43rd Foot, 1 for Messrs. Griffiths and Co., 1 for Col. J. C. Boulderson, 1 for Ensign G. Ross, Ceylon Rifles, doing duty with Volunteer Guards, 1 for Mr. B. Ross, 1 for Mr. R. Ross, both of the Volunteer Mounted Guards, 1 for Lawyer W. Waddell, 1 for Mr. W. Maltby, Cook at the Club House, 1 for Mr. Franck at the Bank, 1 for Mr. John Fonceca, 1 for Mr. W. Oakes, of Oakes and Co.

Most of these parties expected their Pistols by the last Steamer and as you are not at liberty to pass the present case; please beg of Government to give Authority for their clearance with as little delay as possible. Please be kind enough to let Government know for whom they are registered, also that the few Cartridges and Caps are to supply my known Customers into whose hands they will only be delivered for their own and public protection.

(Signed) HENRY FOX.

*W. Underwood
to Mr. Maltby
of the Custom House
at Fort St. George* } *Disptd 27th*
Disptd 9th Sept 1857 } *205/6* *JH*

Fort Saint George, Marine Consultation, 1st September 1857.

From Messrs. F. D'SOUZA, CAMMEADE AND Co.; to the Collector of Sea Customs, Madras, dated 26th August 1857.

SIR,

We beg you will obtain the sanction of Government for the Importation of 2 Cases marked W. A. 1/2, containing Colt's Revolvers landed from the Steamer "Hindustan," to our Consignment and intended for sale.

(Signed) F. D'SOUZA, CAMMEADE AND Co.

No. 9.

ORDER THEREON, No. 335; dated 27th August 1857.

Under the explanation given regarding the purchasers of the Revolvers, the Collector is authorized to comply with the Applications of Messrs. Barrie and Co., and Mr. H. Fox.

The Pistols, &c., imported by Messrs. D'Souza, Cammeade and Co. are not to be passed, and the opinion of the Inspector General of Ordnance is to be obtained as to whether it is advisable to purchase them for Government at the price at which they have been entered for duty.

Exd. J. A. Willson.

Marine Department

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
(Dated 27th August 1857)

Read letter from Coll.
of Sea Customs dated
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To the Coll of S. Customs
" Insp Gen of Ordn & Mags
with copy of the letter & papers } Dated 27th
" Accountant Gen. } Dated 9th Sep

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