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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation under date the 1st September 1857.

Read the following letter from W. E. UNDERWOOD, Esq., Collector Sea Customs; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 27th August 1857, No. 292.

SIR,

I have the honor to submit an Application* from Messrs. Oakes and Co., to pass a case of Eley's Cartridges containing 12 Gross valued at 60 Rupees and to solicit instructions for passing the same.

If Government see no objection to these passing for Sale, I apprehend it will not be requisite to trouble Government with applications to pass them in future as they are not classed under the head of "Munitions of War."

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

From Messrs. OAKES, AND CO.; to the Collector of Sea Customs, dated Madras, 25th August 1857.

SIR,

We have the honor to request that you will be pleased to allow us to clear from the Custom House, [T.] 1 Case of Cartridges into our Godowns, landed per "Queen of the Wave."

(Signed.) OAKES, AND CO.

Government authorise Eley's Patent Cartridges being passed by the Collector of Sea Customs on the condition that the Importers keep a Register of the parties to whom they are sold.

(True Extract and Copies.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Collector of Sea Customs.

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