

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

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Not to be folded or roughly handled

Fort Saint George, Marine Consultation, 8th September 1857.

CIRCULAR TO THE COLLECTORS OF THE MARITIME DISTRICTS.

No. 17. To THE COLLECTOR OF dated 4th September 1857, No. 353.

SIR,

I have the honor to inform you that until further orders you are not to allow the importation of Arms and Ammunition including Percussion Caps. Articles of this description are to be detained by you in safe Custody, instead of being allowed to pass through the Custom House, and each attempt at importation is to be reported, with all particulars, to Government for orders.

2. Fowling Pieces, &c., and small parcels of Gunpowder and Percussion Caps when intended for the personal use of European Gentlemen are not affected by this order.

(Signed) E. MALTBY,
Acting Chief Secretary.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

No 353

To The Collector of Maritime District

Sir,

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I have the honor to inform you that until further orders you are not to allow the importation of ^{including peruvian caps} ~~any~~ articles of this description are to be detained at by you in safe custody, instead of being allowed to pass through the Custom House, and each attempt at importation is to be reported, with all particulars, to Govt for orders.

2 - Fowling pieces & such small pieces of ~~small~~ gun powder & peruvian caps when ~~not~~ intended for the personal use of European gentlemen are not excepted by this order.

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4 Sept-57

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Collector Sea Customs - Madras } Disp'd 4/6
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