

5TH MAY 1883, No. 921, PUBLIC.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following paper :—

Despatch from the Right Honorable the EARL OF KIMBERLEY, Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Most Honorable the Governor-General of India in Council, dated India Office, London, 8th March 1883, No. 40 (Statistics and Commerce).

I transmit, herewith, a copy of a letter from the Principal Librarian of the British Museum, dated 17th ultimo, expressing the thanks of the Trustees for a donation of certain official report sent to them direct from India.

2. I have to call your attention to the inconvenience which arises from the practice of forwarding such reports direct to institutions in this country; a copy of the two last publications mentioned in the enclosed letter would, in the ordinary course, have been sent to the British Museum from the supply in this office, as arranged by your Resolution, No. 1641, dated 12th September 1878.

ENCLOSURE.

From E. A. BOND, Esq., Principal Librarian, British Museum, to the Secretary of State for India, dated 17th February 1883, No. 397.

I have had the honor to lay before the Trustees of the British Museum the present made to them by the Government of India of the publications mentioned below :—

The Trustees direct me to request that Your Lordship will be pleased to cause the expression of their best thanks to be conveyed to the Indian Government for this donation.

No. 1229. Report by Pandit Kashi Nath Kunte on the compilation of the Catalogue of Sanscrit Manuscripts, 1881-82, fol.
No. 1691. Report on Sanscrit Manuscripts, July 1880, June 1881.

Forwarded by the Punjab Government, Civil Department, under cover of letter, dated 15th December 1882.

A Manual of the Land Revenue Systems and Land Tenures of British India,—By B. H. Baden-Powell, &c., Calcutta, 1882-83.
Suggestions regarding the Demarcation and Management of the Forests in Kulu,—By W. Schlich, &c., Calcutta, 1882, fol.

No. 18—562.

Endorsement on the above.

Copy forwarded to the Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance.

(By order of the Governor-General of India in Council.)

HOME DEPT. (PUBLIC),
SIMLA, 23rd April 1883.

(Signed) G. S. FORBES,
Offg. Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To the Secretary to the Government of Madras.

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Communicated to the Departments of the Secretariat.

(True Extract.)

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for Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
„ Military Department.
„ Public Works Department.
„ Director of Public Instruction.
„ Superintendent, Government Central Museum.

Exd. A. F. Aaron.

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Official Reports.

Communicating to the Departments of the Secretariat letter from the Government of India regarding the inconvenience caused to the India Office by—being sent direct from India to institutions in England.

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