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Political **DEPARTMENT.**

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No. 34. From the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines; to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated 26th November 1857, No. 495.

SIR,

Fuzils Percussion with Bayonets new,	*No.*	30.
Cartridges Shotted Fuzil or M. B. Percussion, 4½ Drms.....	„	500
Caps Percussion Copper Country...	„	625
Swords Drill Infantry Old.....	„	30
Packing Materials		
Boxes Ammunition without Clamps Copper.....	„	1.
Cloth Waxed in Pieces old..... ...	*Yard*	1.
Chests Arm and Packing...	*No.*	2.
Cases Packing of Sorts.....	„	1.
Nails Iron of Sorts.....	*lbs.*	1½.
Oakum Europe.....	„	2.

The Ordnance Officer at Cannanore having reported that Arms and Ammunition, as specified in the margin, were issued in August last, under the Orders of the Brigadier Commanding Malabar and Canara, to the French Governor at Mahé, and of which I have only now been made acquainted, I have the honor to request you will be so good as to obtain the Orders of Government whether the issue is to be charged to the French Government or whether, as for the Pondicherry Supplies, the Articles are to be considered lent.

(Signed) G. BALFOUR, Lt.-Col.,

Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

No. 35. ORDER THEREON, No. 1026; dated 8th December 1857.

The subject of the foregoing reference will be considered on a reply being received to the letter addressed to the Governor of the French Establishments, under date the 11th September last, in regard to the Arms, &c., supplied for Pondicherry.

Exd. J. A. Wilson.

P.C. No 1130/1495.

Perhaps the Govt can arrive at a decision on this point just now - but until it can fully investigate the letter addressed to the French Governor on the subject 11th Feb. 1857. No 103. It cannot be said as yet that the supplies sent to Pondicherry were [illegible] as contracted by Colonel Ralfour when the present crisis is past the French Govt may return some of the Arms and pay for others - but an Order to the following effect be passed upon the present reference: "The

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Wm. Fort St George
8 December 1757

To the Board General of Ords Mag. Dispd 12th