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~~No 22~~ Government Central Museum

Madras 25 April 1881

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Surgeon Major George Smith M.D.

Superintendent Govt Central

Museum

To

The Chief Secretary to Government  
Public Department

Cataniarum.

Sir,

With reference to the notices Nos 68  
and 69 of 5<sup>th</sup> April 1881 in the Fort Saint  
George Gazette regarding Treasure Trove I  
have the honour to request, that if practicable  
a few typical specimens of each of the several  
varieties of fanams found in Coimbatore and  
Malicut may be sent to the Museum for exami-  
-nation.

2/ Most of these coins were struck by petty states  
that sprang up after the ruin of Vijayanuggur  
and are of great interest. At the same time  
they are getting scarcer day by day and it is  
of much importance that the whole series  
should

should be represented and preserved in the Museum

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most Obedient Servant.

Edw. Esq. Surgeon Major

Superintendent Government Hospital

Bombay

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Order 27 April 1881

The collector of  
Malabar & Coimbatore  
will arrange for  
despatching to  
specimens at  
the same to  
the office.

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Public (1881) Department  
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From 27 April 81

(2) The Superintendent  
Govt Geol. Museum

No. 225

Dated 22nd 3 April 1881  
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At

Subject

Requesting to forward to the  
Museum for examination of  
typical specimens of each of the  
several varieties of *Forams* found  
in Coimbatore and Belur

To the Insp. Genl. of  
Museum  
at the  
Collector, Malabar

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With order