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[Despatch Abstract.]

*Approval of pro.
posal of the Collector
of Asst. to hand
over certain ^{one} ~~one~~ ^{one} ~~one~~ to
the printer*

List

No	Description of Idols.	Approximate value
1	Varadaraja Perumal (வரதராஜ பெருமாளார்)	130.
1	Sree Devi (சுரீ தேவி)	75
1	Bhu Devi (பூ தேவி)	75
1	Thani Kovil Nachiar (தனி கோவில் நாதியார்)	50
1	Vishvak Senar (விசுவக சேனார்)	10
1	Thirukkachi Kambi Alwar (திருக்காச்சி கம்பி ஆலார்)	10
1	Kummalwar (கும்மலர்)	8
1	Thirumangai Alwar (திருமங்கை ஆலார்)	8
1	Odayavar (உடையார்)	8
1	Manavilamamuni (மணவிலம்மா முனி)	7
1	Garudalwar (கருட ஆலார்)	8
11		389

Cuddalore
3rd February 1891

W. H. Cole
for ag Collector

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South Arcot

Ct 361. Collector's office
Cuddalore
4th February 1891

Ref No. 4081
Sup.

From

G. F. T. Power Esquire
as Collector of South Arcot.

To

J. F. Price Esquire
Chief Secretary to Government
Public Department
Madras.

Sir.

With reference to Rule 5 of the rules
under the Indian Treasure Trove Act
VI of 1878 printed in Government order
dated 7th September 1878 no 1350, I have
the honor to submit the following case
for the orders of Government.

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2. On 18th April 1889 eleven stone idols
specified in the accompanying list were
found by one Kamasivaya Pillai of
Chidambaram as he was sinking a
well in his vacant house site.

3. The usual notice was duly pub-
lished in the Gazettees and enquiry—
was held by me on the 2nd. instant.

I have under

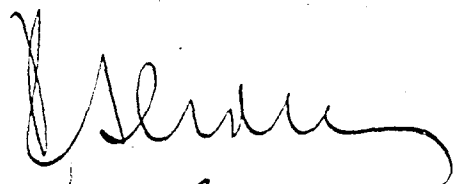
declared the idols in question to be ownerless.

4. I have seen the idols. They are roughly carved and do not appear to be of any archaeological interest.

5. The finder requests that the images may be given to him as he proposes to place them inside the temple which is under construction in the adjoining street. I request that I may be informed whether it is the wish of Government that I should take action under section 16 to acquire ^{the} images. I do not recommend this, as they, as has been already said, are roughly carved and of no value from either an artistic or an archaeological point of view. I think therefore that they may be given to the finder Namasivaya Pillai.

I have the honor to be
Sir

your most obedient servant



For ag Collector

C No 361.
1891

From
The Collector of
South Arcot

To
The Chief Secretary to
Government
Public Department
Madras.

Dated 4th } February 1891
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Enclosure 1
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Submitting for orders as
to the disposal of certain
Stone idols found under
ground in Chidambaram
Taluk.

Item.

For Orders.

The value of the ^{idols} is said to be
Rs 389 but the Collector reports
that they possess archaeological
or artistic value.

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The idols are numerous I suppose as
they have some value. They may be
given to the finder.

M.S.
17 Feb

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The Collector's proposal to
hand over the treasure to the
finder is approved.

(From Orders)

2 Feb

Collector South Arcot. (P.O.)

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