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*Mr. H. F. Joyce's
request for old re-
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of the English with
the King of Burma
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From

Mr. W. F. Noyce
Rangoon

No.

Dated 16th }
Received 25th } February 1891
Enclosures

SUBJECT.

Asking for earlier
records relating to Burma.

Mr. Noyce will be informed that printed records do not exist in Madras previous to 1856 and that the earliest manuscript records bear date 1670. The accompanying statement contains in a tabular form brief abstracts of the earlier records in which allusions are made to the subjects mentioned by Mr. Noyce. Some of the papers may be of interest to him and copies can be supplied on payment of the usual copying charges.

2. With reference to the concluding portion of his letter Mr. Noyce will be informed that Talbot's wheelers Handbook of the Madras Records published in 1861 is probably procurable from Messrs Higginbotham & Co the publishers.

W. F. Noyce Esq.
Rangoon
with Mr. Noyce

If Mr. Noyce asks for any papers that are confidential it is impossible to judge of the entire contents of the whole they will be withheld.

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Mr Noyce

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Rangoon 16 Feb 1891

To

The Chief Secretary

to Mr. G. J. G. G. G.

Sir,

I am collecting materials
for the compilation of the history
of Burma, and I find that so
far back as the XVIth century
the English had factories at
Syriam, Pegu & Awa and
that owing to the exactions of
the Burmese the factories were
withdrawn, but the withdrawal
of the English from Burma, G. J. G.
G. J. G. in 1679-80 sent one
Joan de Perera de Sava from
to Pegu, to trade with Burma, but
with no result is not known

Yr

If any printed record exist
regarding the transactions of
the Bryan with the King of
Aurora and Pope. I shall be
obliged if a copy can be
granted me.

~~But~~ they may be
found with some Selections on
Extracts from the Records of the
Govt of the State and I
shall be much obliged if
any book bearing on the
subject can be furnished
me on payment.

I understand that
Mr Talbot under make and
explorer of the old records or with
some similar work, besides
the "Early Records of Illinois and"

Mr. Talbot work I have got
but any other book showing
some story would be account
of Aurora, will be interesting
recently.

I have the honour to be
Sir

Your most obedient servant

H. F. Noyce

Same as above

W. F. Noyce

N 20 State Street

Ramsey,

Year of Journal for	Date.	Subjects.	Page.
1680.	Monday, 23 rd February.	About settling a factory in Pegue and the Commission granted <i>Sent Joan de Tava</i> .	- 15 & 24.
- do -	Monday, 1 st March.	About the Company's grounds at Syriam, Pegue and Aca, and a note given to the <i>Sent Joan de Tava</i> .	- 28-29.
1681.	Monday, 24 th January.	A Ship from Pegue with rubies, merchants and rubies.	4.
1683	Thursday, 3 rd May	A Parcel of Pegue must brought.	- 48.
- do.	Saturday 9 th June	<i>Acumapourna</i> a ship sailed for Acheen and Pegue.	58.
1684	Tuesday 29 th January.	A Ship from Pegue.	- 7.
- do.	Sunday 9 th March.	A Sloop from Pegue.	- 28.
- do.	Saturday 6 th September	Instructions to Peter <i>God</i> bound for Pegue.	- 147-148.
1685	Wednesday 4 th February.	Peter <i>God</i> arrived from Pegue.	- 7.
- do.	Thursday 19 th March.	Peter <i>God</i> bound for Pegue, submits his account and his bill paid.	- 46.
1686.	Friday 1 st February	Ship <i>Providence</i> from Pegue with Master <i>P. God</i> and a letter from Aca.	- 5.
- do.	Wednesday 31 st March	Ship <i>Tapra</i> of natives arrived from Pegue.	- 22.
- do.	Sunday 4 th April	Ship <i>Chindatry</i> arrived from Pegue.	- 24.
- do.	Thursday 15 th April	Pegue merchants' Complaints Considered.	- 36.
- do.	Wednesday 15 th September	Sloop <i>Alpin</i> sailed from Pegue.	- 112.
- do.	Thursday, 16 th September	Portuguese Ship for Pegue.	- 113.
- do.	Tuesday 28 th September	Ship <i>Guillott</i> sailed for Pegue.	- 119.
1687	Tuesday 6 th March.	Ship <i>James</i> , Henry <i>Winsten</i> , Master, arrived from Pegue intimating that the English may settle there now, bringing also letters from the Chief Minister and the Governor of Syriam to the President Governor.	21.
- do.	Thursday, 8 th March.	A Settlement offered by the Governor at Pegue.	28.
- do.	Monday 2 nd April	Ship <i>St. Rose</i> arrived from Pegue.	- 47.
- do.	Friday, 7 th September	Pegue merchants sailed for Pegue carrying <i>St. James</i> .	200.
1690	March 10 th	Pass to Ship <i>Jerusalem</i> belonging to <i>Sent Joan de Tava</i> bound for Pegue.	- 55.
- do.	March 13 th	Another ship set sail for Pegue.	57.
- do.	March 26 th	Pass given to ship <i>Santa Rosa</i> sailing for Pegue.	57.
1692.	Wednesday 14 th September	Ship <i>Santa Rosa</i> sailed for Pegue.	
1707.	Monday 28 th June.	Embassadors from the King of Pegue to the French arrived.	- 73.
1713.		Pegue joint stock.	- 37, 42, 45.
- do.		Pegue <i>Centenados</i> .	- 124.
1715.		Pegue ships.	- 66, 68, 69, 71.
1721.		An account of our voyage to Pegue.	- 80, 81.

A search has been made for papers of the nature asked for by Mr. Noyes connected with British transactions with Burma, the result of which is drawn up in a tabular form. Most of the information obtained is about ships sailing to & from Pegue in the shape of short diary notes. That in three or more instances, lengthy accounts are given as in the case of settling a factory in Pegue, of the Commission granted to Joan de Tava & of the voyage to Pegue. In these cases only a brief abstract of each is given in the tabular form herewith submitted.

A copy of *Saltrope's* Wheeler's hand-book to the Indian Ocean referred to by Mr. Noyes is also put up in which, however, there appears to be but a single allusion to the English at Syriam in Pegue in 1721. This is included in the list under the title 'An account of our voyage in Pegue'.