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(True Extract.)

C. A. GALTON,
Ag. Chief Secretary.

To H. H. Risley, Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.
„ B. Sewell, Esq., I.C.S.
„ F. S. Mullaly, Esq.
„ the Financial Department.
„ the Revenue Department.
„ all Collectors.
„ the Inspector-General of Police,
through the Judicial Department.

N^o 6 A.

*Copy to the Government of India,
Home Department, in continuation of this department's
letter N^o 221 of the 1st April 1892.*

*Signed/ C. A. Galton
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" " 1st April 1892, No. 220.

READ—also the following paper:—

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" the Financial Department.
" the Revenue Department.
" all Collectors.
" the Inspector-General of Police,
" through the Judicial Department.

No. 6A

*Copy to the Government of India, Home Department,
in continuation of this department letter No. 221
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JDB.
for C.S.
23/1/93

ETHNOGRAPHICAL
RESEARCH.

Resubmitted to

Hon. Sir H. E. Stokes, K.C.S.I.

and

Hon. Mr. Garstin, C.S.I.

with refce to the former's note within, with the information that Mr. Sawcett has been granted an extension of leave and is not due till the 10th July next.

JDB.
9/11.

My mll.

MS.

12/11/93

H.H. Risley Esq., I.C.S.
R. Sewell Esq., I.C.S.
F.S. Mullaly Esq. (with copies of G.O. 9/1)
Finl. Department.
Rev. Department.
all collectors. 7/1/93
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Sept 19-1-93

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- South Arcot, Cuddalore. P
- Bellary. P
- South Canara, Mangalore. A
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- Ganjam, Chatrapur. P
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- Nellore. P
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Read again *in the morning*

A - G.O. d/ 24th November /93, No. 989.

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Read also the following letter from H.H.

s/ Rifley Esq., I.C.S. Secretary to the Govt. of Bengal, to the Private Secretary to H.E. the Governor, dated 31st Oct. 1892.

(Here print the letter as marked)

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10/11
I agree with Mr. W. G. Foster in thinking that Mr. Fawcett would be a better man than Mr. Mullaly for the purpose. If H.E. will accept the substitution of his name I should be glad. I thought of him before but was under the impression that he had gone on long leave. I find however that he will return about immediately

W.G.
4/11

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DEPARTMENT.

From C. J. Macartie Esq.

No.

Dated 30 Nov 1852

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SUBJECT.

Returning the Ridley Correspondence
& requesting to be the res-
- cessary orders & communication
with Mr Ridley.

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FORT ST.

26 Jan

My dear Macartie

Herewith the
original G.O. containing
Ridley's letter and
Members' notes.

Yours sincerely

C. J. Macartie

Read by P. S.

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CONFIDENTIAL
30 NOV 92
CONFIDENTIAL

My dear Paul

Re: the Rialto

Correspondence - Please issue

the necessary orders + com.

municate with Rialto

Yours

Chas. C. Carter

30. X. 92



Fort St George.

29 Novemb 1892

My dear Mac Cartie,

I return herewith Risley's letter and
His Excellency's Note which accompanies
yours of the 7th instant. Honble
Members have written their remarks
on His Excellency's Note.

Yours sincerely,
Fredrick H. H. H.

L. F. MacCartie Esq.

a small annual grant?

Wenlock

Nov. 7. 1892

I have no objection to Mr. Muckley's
being appointed as prov. lecturer to
conduct times & attendance with the society
on the understanding that he is to have no
official power to require district officers
to furnish him with his notes.

also I would allow the society 500 Rs. a year
for a couple of years, the continuance of it to
be contingent on what we think of the work
they turn out for Madras.

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MCS
17 Nov

Don't object to Muckley - he's
like Mr. Everett & probably
a better man - I'd not give
a rupee to the Socy.

20/11/92

I think we could well give the two
grants of 500 Rs. for each of the
two first years conditionally as
proposed by the hon. Sir S. Stokes.

W
30 Nov.

of ethnography."

I believe that the police have a better and more intimate knowledge of the different castes & tribes than the officers of any other department. And Mr. Mallaby, especially, has made this a special subject.

He has not an overburdening pressure of work, and any further

researches he might make for Mr. Risley would not take him outside the sphere of his own work. - It might on the contrary very probably extend it. I do not know that it would be necessary to make an "appointment" as proposed by Mr. Risley - i.e. a gazetted appointment.

Does any other name occur to my hon. colleagues? There would in my opinion, be no objection to making

are also about to contribute.

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Yours sincerely

H. H. Risley
Secretary Govt
of Bengal

DO 495/92

GOVERNMENT HOUSE,
OOTACAMUND.

The subject brought forward by Mr. Risley is no doubt of great interest, and the Local Govts. might well afford such assistance as they saw fit to Mr. Risley. In this Presidency it is out of the question to throw further duties on to the district officers. but it occurs to me that we could at all events suggest the name of Mr. Moulton as "Honorary Provincial Director

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