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Communicating to the Board of Revenue and to the Accountant-General letter from the Government of India directing Local Governments to submit special reports on — discovered within their respective provinces, with the request that arrangements may be made for cases which may occur in this Presidency being promptly reported to Government.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following paper :—

G.O., No. 166, Financial, dated 1st February 1899.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating to the departments of the Secretariat and to the Secretary and Treasurer, Bank of Madras, resolution of the Government of India prescribing certain rules for the guidance of officers empowered to cut coin under the Indian Coinage Act, 1870.

READ—also the following paper :—

From H. H. RISLEY, Esq., Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Calcutta, the 11th February 1899, No. 681-A.

In continuation of the resolution in this department, No. 217 A., dated the 17th January 1899, prescribing rules for the treatment of counterfeit coins, I am directed to address you as follows.

2. His Excellency the Governor-General in Council considers it desirable that Local Governments and Administrations should submit special reports to the Government of India on any cases of counterfeiting coin discovered within their respective provinces which present special features owing to the scale on which illicit manufacture has been conducted or to the excellence of the workmanship or the fineness of the material used. I am accordingly to request that, with the permission of His Excellency the Governor in Council, arrangements may be made for the prompt submission of such reports to this department. The reports should particularly notice the occurrence of any counterfeit coins which appear to have been struck between dies, instead of being cast in moulds, and of such as are proved by the assay of specimens to contain a high proportion of silver.

3. I am especially to request that as these matters at present possess a peculiar interest, the report to the Government of India may not be delayed merely because the judicial proceedings are incomplete.

ORDER—No. 334, Financial, dated 7th March 1899.

The foregoing letter from the Government of India will be communicated to the Board of Revenue and to the Accountant-General with the request that arrangements may be made for the prompt submission to Government of reports on any cases of counterfeiting coin which may occur in the Presidency.

(True Extract.)

A. Edington
for Chief Secretary.

To the Board of Revenue. (Land Revenue).
„ Accountant-General.
Copy to all Departments of the Secretariat. (A. & P. & C.)