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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 17*th March* 1857.

Read the following Papers.

No. 12. *From C. BEADON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort William the 26th Feb.* 1857.

SIR,

Home Department, Septe. Revenue.

I am directed to request that with the permission of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council, you will procure and furnish as soon as practicable, for the information of the Government of India, Statements of Collections on Imports into and Exports from all the Ports in the Madras Presidency for three years from 1853-54 to 1855-56, prepared according to the enclosed forms Nos. 1 and 2.

No. 1.

Statement of Collections on Imports into all the Ports in the Madras Presidency for three years from 1853-54 to 1855-56.

Articles.	Rate of duty.	1853-54.	1854-55.	1855-56.	Average of three years.
Rice and Paddy, ...	2 annas per bag not exceeding 2 maunds of 80 tolas to the seer, or if imported otherwise than in bags 1 anna per maund.				
Foreign books, ...	3 per cent.				
Marine Stores, the produce or manufacture of the United Kingdom or of any British Possession, ...	5 ,,				
Marine Store, the produce or manufacture of any other place or country, ...	10 ,,				
Metals, wrought or unwrought the produce or manufacture of the United Kingdom or of any British Possession, ...	5 ,,				
Metals, wrought or unwrought the produce or manufacture of any other place, ...	10 ,,				
Tin the produce of any other place than the United Kingdom or any British Possession, ...	10 ,,				
Woollens, the produce or manufacture of the United Kingdom or of any British Possession, ...	5 ,,				
Woollens, the produce of any other place or country, ...	10 ,,				
Cotton wool not covered by certificate of the payment of export duty at any other port of Fort Saint George,...	9 annas per maund of 80 tolas to the seer.				
Cotton and silk piece goods, and all manufactures of cotton or silk except thread, twist and yarn, or of cotton or silk mixed with any other material, the produce of the United Kingdom or of any British Possession, ...	5 per cent.				
Cotton and silk piece goods, the produce of any other place, ...	10 per cent.				
Cotton thread, twist and yarn the produce of the United Kingdom or of any British Possession, ...	3½ ,,				
Cotton thread, twist and yarn of any other place, ...	7 ,,				
Opium, ...	24 Rupees per seer of 80 tolas.				
Salt, ...	3 Rupees per maund of 80 tolas to the seer.				
Alum, ...	10 per cent.				
Betel nut raw, ...	5 ,,				
Betel nut boiled, ...	10 ,,				
Campher, ...	10 ,,				
Cassia, ...	10 ,,				
Cloves, ...	10 ,,				
Coffee, ...	7½ ,,				
Coral, ...	10 ,,				
Nutmegs and mace, ...	10 ,,				
Pepper, ...	10 ,,				
Ratans, ...	7½ ,,				
Tea, ...	10 ,,				
Vermillion, ...	10 ,,				
Porter, Ale, Beer, Cyder and other similar fermented Liquors,	5 ,,				
Wines and Liquors, ...	1 Rupee per Imperial Gallon.				
Spirits, ...	1 Rupee 8 annas per Imperial Gallon.				
Tobacco.	10 per cent.				
All manufactured articles not included in the above enumeration,	5 ,,				
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	Total...				

No. 2.

Statement of Collections on Exports from all the Ports in the Madras Presidency for three years from 1853-54 to 1855-56.

Articles.	Rate of Duty.	1853-54.	1854-55.	1855-56.	Average of three years.
Cotton Wool, exported to places other than Europe, the United States of America or any British Possession in America, ...	9 annas per Maund of 80 tolas to the seer.				
Sugar and Rum exported to any other place than the United Kingdom, including any British Possession or Settlements on the Continent of India, including Bombay,	3 per cent.				
Grain and Pulse of all sorts other than Rice and Paddy, ...	1 anna per bag not exceeding 2 Maunds of 80 tolas to the seer, or if exported otherwise than in bags $\frac{1}{2}$ anna per Maund.				
Rice and Paddy, ...	2 annas per bag as above or 1 anna per Maund.				
Indigo, ...	3 Rupees per Maund of 80 tolas to the seer.				
Tobacco, ...	10 per cent.				
All articles not included in the above enumeration, ...	3 „				
	Total...				

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 13. *Telegraph Message from C. BEADON, Esq., Secretary to the Government of India; to the Secretary to the Government of Fort St. George; dated Calcutta 10th March 1857.*

"The Customs Returns called for on the twenty sixth February are urgently wanted."

No. 14. ORDER THEREON, *No. 248; dated 11th March 1857.*

Ordered that the above letter and enclosures as well as the Telegraph Message subsequently received be communicated to the Board of Revenue, with a request that they will use all expedition in furnishing the information required by the Government of India. The Government hope that the Board will be able to supply the information required from their own office, if however they should be unable to do so, they will be so good as to communicate the fact to Government, in order that a reply may be sent to the Telegraphic Message received from the Government of India.

(Signed) H. FORBES,
Acting Secretary to Government.

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From

C. BEADON, Esquire,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To

H. D. Bouvillon Esqre
Secy to the Govt of Fort St George

Dated the 26th February 1857.

Home Department,
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I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Fort William,
The 26th February 1857.

Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Revenue 185[illegible] Dept.
Dº to Cons 17th March.

No 244

From the Secretary to
the Govt of India -

Dated 26th February 185[illegible]
Rec'd 10th March "
Ans. 11 March No 148
2 Enclosures No 288

Requesting to be furnished with Statements of Collections and Charges under distinct heads and Charges for Establishments in the Provinces under the Madras Presidency for three years from 1853-54 to 1855-56 inclusive, according to the Form enclosed.

Copy with Public Dº
Bd of Rev
11 March 57

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REGISTERED No. 40

HON'BLE EAST INDIA COMPANY'S ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH

MESSAGES, (not exceeding 10 words,) can be sent any distance not exceeding 400 Miles, at a charge of 1 R
Ditto .. .. ..

Revenue 1857 Departt.
Dto Cons 17 March.
No 245 165

~~From the~~ Telegraph
Message from Calcutta
Dated 11th
Recd " } March 1857
L.E. 11 March P. 248

Stating that the
Customs Returns called
for on the twenty-six
February are urgently
wanted.

Copy to the Bd of Rev.
11 March 57.

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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
Under date the 11th March 1857.

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Telegraph Message from do
(Received 11th March 1857)

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subsequently received
be communicated to
the Board of Revenue
with a request that
they will use — able
expedition in furnishing
the information now required
by the Government of
India

India at an early
date. The Government
hope that the Board
will be able to
~~can~~ supply the information
required
from a perusal of their
own Offices. If they
~~cannot they will be~~
~~used to say so. They~~
should be unable
to do so, they will be
so good as to com-
municate the facts
to you in order that
a reply may be sent
to the letter which
has been received
from the Govt. of
India

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To be forwarded
with the last letter

3 Copies to the Rd of Rev. Dirs. H.
with Mr. S. of the Forms.

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No 248.

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