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Revenue Department

Minutes of Consultations

30th June 1857

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Order No 645 dated 25th June 1857

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Fort Saint George, Revenue Consultation of 30th June 1857.

No. 18. Read the following letter from Surgeon EDWARD BALFOUR, Madras Army ; to E. MALTBY, Esq., Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George ; dated Madras 8th June 1857.

SIR,

It would be of use to me, for a work which I have in hand, could I have the benefit of the corrections of the errors that are alluded to in Extract Minutes of Consultation No. 532 of the 2d Instant, as existing in the Export and Import Tables submitted in my letter of the 2d of March last ; and I beg the favor of copy of the Revenue Board's letter of the 19th Ultimo, No. 1712, in which they are pointed out. I did not suppose these Tables to be free from errors, and I ask this favor in order, chiefly, to have the advantage of the Board's corrections for the cyclopædia which I am now issuing, as it was for additions thereto that I had these abstract Tables prepared ; these having been framed by one person, in, I think, a shorter time than it has taken the Board to examine them, I have not been surprised to discover errata as well in computation as in typography.

As I observe orders issued directing the Reporter of External commerce to prepare abstracts of the Trade of this Presidency, it is only proper for me to mention I secured the copy right of the Tables published by me, and attach a value thereto for further editions.

No. 19. ORDER THEREON, No. 645; dated 25th June 1857.

The Government observe that from the Board's letter of the 19th May 1857, it does not appear that the printed Abstract of Exports and Imports prepared by Doctor Balfour, has been thoroughly examined by them, as that Gentleman seems to suppose. The Board clearly say that the figures in the Statement have not been verified, but point out one or two inaccuracies which they happened to meet with when perusing the document. Doctor Balfour will, however, be furnished with a copy of the Board's letter above referred to agreeably to his request.

(Signed) H. FORBES,

Acting Secretary to Government.

8 June

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Madras
8th June 1857.

From,

Surgeon Edward Balfour
Madras Army

To,

C. Malleby Esquire
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Fort Saint George

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I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedt Servant

Madras
8th June 1

Revenue Department
Dated 15th August 1848.
No. 54.

From Lieutenant Colonel Cullen
Secretary.

To
The Honble the Governor &c &c &c.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith a Copy of a Letter from the Reporter of External Commerce, dated 8th June last, with its enclosures, and to request that you will be pleased to lay the same before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council.

I have &c
(Signed) J. Cullen
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Extract from the Minutes of Consultation

Under date the 25th June 1857.

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Dublin Castle 5th June 1857

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