

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
26th June 1861.*

No. 218. Read the following Extract from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Financial Department, dated 3rd June 1861, No. 6,678.

Read the following :—

From the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India (Separate Revenue), to His Excellency the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, No. 17, dated London, 16th April 1861.

MY LORD,

With reference to my Despatch of the 23rd March last (No. 16), I have to acquaint you that, with a view of reducing the first cost (which includes the preparation of the plates) the number of stamps applied for in your letter of the 14th January last (No. 1), has been doubled, and the quantities to be despatched to you will be as enumerated in the margin. The additional number may be applied in reduction of future indents.

3 Annas...	200,000
6 Annas...	200,000
12 Annas...	200,000
1 Rupee 8 Annas...	200,000
3 Rupees...	200,000

No. 1,297, Home Department, Fort William, the 21st May 1861.

Transferred to the Financial Department, in continuation of Extract, No. 1,116, dated the 30th ultimo.

Financial Department, Fort William, the 3rd June 1861.

ORDER.

Ordered, that copies of the above Despatch, together with copies of the Separate Revenue Despatch from the Government of India, in the Home Department, to the Secretary of State, No. 1 of 1861, dated 14th January, be sent to the Governments of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, for information.

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

N. B.—The last letter in this Department was No. 39, dated the 28th December 1860.

SEPARATE REVENUE.

No. 1 of 1861, January the 14th.

To the Right Honorable Sir CHARLES WOOD, Bart., G.C.B., Secretary of State for India.

SIR,

1. We have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Despatches, Nos. 31 and 32 of 1860, dated the 21st of November, regarding a supply of adhesive Bill Stamps of the values noted in the margin.

2. In compliance with the request contained in the latter Despatch, we forward a copy of the Advocate General's opinion of August last, relative to the manner in which more than one adhesive Stamp may be used upon a Foreign Bill of Exchange in order to make up the value of the stamp required to be impressed upon it, and we also forward a copy of a further opinion on the same point, dated the 4th instant. As neither of the courses suggested in Mr. Ritchie's first opinion is practicable, we have been obliged to determine that the Stamp Act cannot be brought into operation as regards Foreign Bills drawn out of India until the several values of stamps indented for in our letter of the 28th June are received.

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
26th June 1861.*

3. On examining the Indents for adhesive Stamps, which we have already submitted, we find that some of the values required for *single* Foreign Bills have been omitted. Such Bills are made use of for private remittances, and provision must therefore be made for them. We have accordingly to request that stamps of the following additional values may be sent out in the proportions already indicated, viz., two-fourths to Calcutta and one-fourth to Madras and Bombay :—

3 Annas...	1,00,000 labels.
6 Annas ...	1,00,000 „
12 Annas...	1,00,000 „
1 Rupee 8 Annas ...	1,00,000 „
3 Rupees ...	1,00,000 „

We have the honor to be,

FORT WILLIAM,
The 11th January 1861.

Sir,
Your most obedient humble servants,
(Signed) H. B. E. FRERE.
(„) CECIL BEADON.
(„) S. LAING.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) C. HUGH LUSHINGTON,
Secretary to the Government of India.

No. 249. ORDER THEREON, 26th June 1861, No. 1,250.

Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue and Superintendent of Stamps, for information.

(Signed) J. D. SIM,
Secretary to Government.

No. 6678
*EXTRACT from the Proceedings of the Government of India, in the Financial
Department, d. 3rd June 1861.*

READ the following:—

From the Right Hon'ble the Secretary of State for India, to His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General of India in Council, No. 17, d., London, 16th April 1861.

MY LORD,

Separate Revenue. WITH reference to my despatch of the 23rd March last (No. 16), I have to acquaint you that, with a view of reducing the first cost (which includes the preparation of the plates) the number of stamps applied for in your letter of the 14th January last (No. 1), has been doubled, and the quantities to be despatched to you will be as enumerated in the margin. The additional number may be applied in reduction of future indents.

3 Annas	200,000
6 Annas	200,000
12 Annas	200,000
1 Rupee 8 Annas	200,000
3 Rupees	200,000

No. 1297, HOME DEPARTMENT, FORT WILLIAM, THE 21ST MAY 1861.

TRANSFERRED to the Financial Department, in continuation of extract, No. 1116, dated the 30th ultimo.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT, FORT WILLIAM, THE 3RD JUNE 1861.

Order.

ORDERED, that copies of the above despatch, together with copies of the Separate Revenue Despatch from the Government of India, in the Home Department, to the Secretary of State, No. 1 of 1861, dated 14th January, be sent to the Governments of Bengal, Madras, and Bombay, for information.

(A true Extract)

[Signature]
Secretary to the Government of India.

[Exd. E. C. Doss.]

1861 and 1862
from 1863
to 1866.

Richard Johnson Esq.
 Secy of the Army
 War Office
 Whitehall
 London
 1861
 Dec 21st
 Sir
 In reply to your letter of the 19th inst. I beg to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

The preceding copy of this
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Richard D. D.
 26th June 1867

W. Jones to the Ed. of the N. York
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