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Revenue DEPARTMENT

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,  
16th June 1875.*

No. 123. Read the following Endorsement of the Officiating Chief Secretary to Government, dated 4th June 1875:—

Read the following letter from R. W. LODWICK, Esq., Accountant-General, Madras, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Fort St. George, 31st May 1875, No. 153.

With reference to G. O., No. 738, dated 17th May 1875, Revenue, I have the honor respectfully to submit that the purchases of Chubb's padlocks, &c., made in this country for treasuries in the mofussil cannot be considered small transactions, and that, therefore, the second exception of clause I., paragraph 11, of the Resolution of the Government of India, dated 23rd May 1871, No. 402, does not seem to apply to them.

2. Under these circumstances, I beg that the order of Government may be reconsidered.

TRANSFERRED to the Revenue Department for disposal.

(Signed) D. F. CARMICHAEL,

*Officiating Chief Secretary.*

No. 124.

ORDER THEREON, 16th June 1875, No. 918.

Miscellaneous

The Accountant-General has overlooked the fact that the provision of the locks in question was a measure of pressing urgency for the security of State treasuries, and that the Resolution of the Government of India permits the purchase of articles of European manufacture in the local markets under such circumstances.

2. The Board of Revenue have already been instructed to arrange for the future supply of these articles from England. No further orders are, therefore, necessary nor any application to the Government of India, as desired by the Accountant-General.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) A. MACGREGOR,

*Acting Secretary to Government*

To the Accountant-General

„ the Board of Revenue.

Edw. F. B. Bentham

1. DEPARTMENT.

No. 153

Fort Saint George,  
Accountant General's Office,

31<sup>st</sup> May 1875.

FROM THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL.

TO THE GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS,  
To The Chief Secretary

to Government

SIR,

With reference to G.O. No. 1738 dated  
17<sup>th</sup> May 1875, Revenue, I have the honor  
respectfully to submit that the purchases  
of (Mabul) padlocks for made in this country  
for treasuries in the proposed cannot be con-  
sidered small transactions, and that therefore  
the second exception of clause 3 para. II of the  
Resolution of the Government of India dated  
23<sup>rd</sup> May 1871 & para. I cannot be ap-  
plied to them.

Under these circumstances I beg that  
the order of Government might be reconsidered.

I have the honor to be

Yours obedient servant  
W. H. O. S. S. S.  
Accountant General

W. H. O. S. S. S.

15 June 1875.

Read letter from Mr.  
Accountant General. of  
21<sup>st</sup> May 1875 No 153.

The Accountant General  
has overlooked his part in  
the possession of his books in

operation was a measure  
for the benefit of the business  
of persons interested with  
the Resolution of the Gov. of  
India permits the purchase  
of articles of European manu-  
facture in the local market  
under such circumstances.

The Board of Revenue  
already have authorized  
to arrange for the purchase  
supply of some articles from  
England. No further action  
are therefore necessary  
nor any application to the  
Govt of India is required by  
the Accountant General.

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