Revenue Department.

Minutes of Consultation

20th July 1858

Book No 7374

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No. 73. Read the following letter from J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue; to W. H. BAYLEY, Esq., Acting Secretary to Government, Revenue Department; dated Fort Saint George, 12th July 1858, No. 2585.

Dated 10th, in Cons. 12th July 1858.

SIR,

I am directed by the Board of Revenue to forward for transmission to the Honorable Court of Directors, the accompanying Report, with 52 Statements, received from the Reporter of External Commerce, of the Trade of the Madras Presidency, for the official year 1857-58.

2. The Board recommend that the Reporter may be authorized to print the usual number of copies.

3. The preparation of these voluminous returns in little more than two months after the close of the official year, is highly satisfactory.

From W. E. UNDERWOOD, Esq., Reporter of External Commerce; to J. D. SIM, Esq., Secretary to the Board of Revenue; Fort St. George, dated Madras 10th July 1858.

SIR,

* 13	*Detailed Statements of*	*Imports.*	Para. 1st. I have the honor to forward the Trade Statements* of this Presidency for the Official year 1857-58, for transmission to the Honorable Court of Directors and respectfully to recommend that they be transmitted in the same manner as suggested by me last year, viz. through the Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation Company's Parcel Department.
13	*Do.*	*do. Exports.*	
9	*Do.*	*do. Re-Exports.*	
13	*Do.*	*do. Tonnage.*	
1	*General Statement of*	*Imports.*	
1	*Do.*	*do. Exports.*	
1	*Do.*	*do. Re-Exports.*	
1	*Do.*	*do. Tonnage.*	
52	*Statements.*		

2. The subjoined statement exhibits the result of the trade for 1857-58, compared with that for 1856-57.

		1856–57.	1857–58.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Imports	Merchandize	235,25,244	246,85,453	11,60,209	.....
	Treasure	170,38,582	186,23,162	15,84,580	.....
	Total	405,63,826	433,08,615	27,44,789	.....
Exports	Merchandize	367,26,978	403,65,161	36,38,183	.....
	Treasure	33,33,678	117,00,866	83,67,188	.....
	Total	400,60,656	520,66,027	120,05,371	.....
Re-Exports	Merchandize	7,78,134	9,10,155	1,32,021	.....
Grand Total	Merchandize	610,30,356	659,60,769	49,30,413	.....
	Treasure	203,72,260	303,24,028	99,51,768	.....
	Total	814,0,2616	962,84,797	148,82,181	.....

3. I trust the Board of Revenue and Government, will consider that the trade returns, now forwarded, have on this occasion, as on others, been prepared with the despatch desired. The several Maritime Collectors have cordially co-operated with me, and enabled me to despatch the statements so soon after the close of the official year. It will afford me great pleasure to be enabled to forward to them a recognition, by superior authority of their services, as also to communicate to the Department the appreciation of their services. The servants have for some period worked late at nights at their duty.

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செப்பனிடுபவர் பெயர் ஸ்ரீ. சிவசாமி அவர்

செப்பனிடுவதற்காக எடுக்கப்பட்ட நாள் 8/08 — 11/08

8/11/08	11/11/08	12/11/08
சரிபார்க்கும்	சரிபார்க்கும்	ஆராய்ச்சி
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4. It will be my endeavour to forward the trade statements of subsequent years at an earlier date than this year, for the reason stated in para. 4 of my letter to the Board of Revenue dated 15th June 1858.

5. I have respectfully to solicit that sanction may be obtained for 200 copies of the statements, now sent, being printed, and disposed of as heretofore.

No. 74. ORDER THEREON, No. 998; dated 20th July 1858.

The letter from the Board of Revenue above recorded, gives cover to a letter from the Reporter of External Commerce forwarding the Trade Returns for 1857-58.

2. The following table exhibits the result of the year as compared with the preceding one.

		1856-57.	1857-58.	Increase.	Decrease.
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Imports.....	Merchandize.....	235,25,244	246,85,453	11,60,209	.....
	Treasure.....	170,38,582	186,23,162	15,84,580	.....
	Total.....	405,63,826	433,08,615	27,44,789	.....
Exports.....	Merchandize.....	367,26,978	403,65,161	36,38,183	.....
	Treasure.....	33,33,678	117,00,866	83,67,188	.....
	Total.....	400,60,656	520,66,027	120,05,371	.....
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	Treasure.....	203,72,260	303,24,028	99,51,768	.....
	Total.....	814,02,616	962,84,797	148,82,181	.....

	Rs.
Imports, ...	27,44,789
Exports, ...	120,05,371
Re-Exports, ...	1,32,021
Total...	148,82,181

The result of the year is highly favorable. There has been an increase under every head* amounting in the aggregate to Rupees 148,82,181.

3. The preparation of these Returns in little more than two months after the close of the official year under the supervision of the Reporter is highly satisfactory.

4. As requested in para. 5 of Mr. Underwood's letter, the Government authorize him to print 200 copies of the Returns as usual.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Revenue Departt

No 998 7/906

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation
under date the 20th July 1858.

Read the following
letter from the Secretary
to the Board
of Revenue

Recorded under B/ dated 20th July 58
No 2585

The letter from
the Board of Revenue
above recorded gives
cover to a letter from
the Reporter of Exter-
nal Commerce, for-
warding the Trade
Returns for 1857/58.

The following
table exhibits the
results of the year
as

compared with the preceding one.

		Rs	As	Ps	
Exports	Merchandize				
	Treasure				
	Total				
Imports	Merchandize				
	Treasure				
	Total				
Re Exports Merchandize					
Grand Total	Merchandize				
	Treasure				
	Total				

The result of the year is highly favourable. There has been an increase under every

Imports	27,44,759		
Exports	1,20,05,371		
Re Exports	1,32,021		
Total	1,48,52,151		

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been increasing on the aggregate to Rs. 1,46,52,151. 1998

The preparation of these returns in little more than two months after the close of the official year under the Supervision of the Reporter is highly creditable to all concerned

As requested in para 5 of the Under Secretary's letter the Govt. authorize him to print 200 copies of the Returns as usual

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Copy in a letter from Sec.ty
of 20 July 1857 No 314
Com.rs 22 July 57 No 58 & 67

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Com.rs 20th July

No 998
Extract Mins. of Com.rs
D/ 20th July/58.

Further Com.rs 22d July/59
No 58 & 693.

Considering the result of the
year 1857-58 in the hands of the
Presidency to be highly favourable
and authorizing the Board
of External Commerce to print
200 copies of Trade Returns.

No 993 & 994.