

La Plume 18<sup>th</sup> April 1858.

Dear Sir

Along with this you will receive an official Letter on the Subject of Damaged Stores - Should the Governor think proper to order them to be destroyed, Special Warrants for the Goods belonging to each Province (see B.D.) will be required.

I have received your Letter containing a General Statement, of Indian Goods in the Possession of Mr. Jacques at Zubu on the 24<sup>th</sup> March 1858. - In comparing the same with an Account Mr. Jacques gave, on the 21<sup>st</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup> find in it, the Deficiencies mentioned on the other side. - There may no doubt have been made between those Quits, but an Account of them, should have been transmitted with the above Statement, to enable me to account for the Difference made to exist. - The 24<sup>th</sup> of last Month was the time Mr. J. should have made up his Quarters Accounts of Goods if there were any.

I am not sure but the General may decline giving any Directions respecting Mr. Jacques. Sir John however says, that he has the whole of the Department under his Direction & consequently I have made the above application to him, instead of Gov<sup>r</sup> Genl. - I am with great regard  
Yours most obed<sup>t</sup>  
servant  
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