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Charges of Indian fort.
on Ordnance Stores issued to Prot.

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Stores which are a final charge on Prot. funds, & does not
cover stores advanced to Prot. but ultimately charged to
H.M. or Admiralty votes.

lv. Bottomley.
lv. Read.

We had tried to safeguard
ourselves on this point, but,
as the Treasury observe, it
would be well to put the
matter somewhat more explicitly
& have made red ink alterations
in the draft letter to H.O.
on 35252/14 to suit the Treasury
letter. ? Send it off as
attached.

Spun 21/12/14
and send copy to Messrs L.F. with
ref. to this letter. CLOS 31.12.14

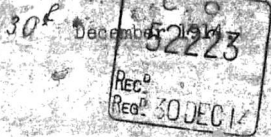
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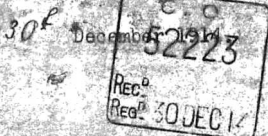
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