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READ—the following papers :—

I

G.O., No. 43, Educational, dated 25th January 1910.

ABSTRACT.—Informing the Director of Public Instruction that the Government of India have sanctioned the payment to Major J. W. Cornwall, I.M.S., of an honorarium of Rs. 1,000 for revising McNally's Sanitary Hand Book for India and directing the Superintendent, Government Press, to print 1,000 copies of the revised edition.

II

Office-note—from T. FISHER, Esq., Superintendent, Government Press.
To—the Secretary to Government, Educational Department.
Dated—Madras, 11th February 1911.
No.—2654.

With reference to G.O., No. 43, Educational, dated 25th January 1910, the Superintendent, Government Press, solicits instructions as to sale price to be fixed for the revised edition of McNally's "Sanitary Hand Book." The cost of production, including the honorarium but excluding commission to agents, amounts to Rs. 2-6-0 per copy; so that if the price is fixed at Rs. 4 per copy as in 1899 and 1894, there will be a profit of Rs. 1-10-0 per copy to be paid to Mrs. McNally. On the last editions of 1,300 copies Rs. 1,362 was paid to her agents, or a little more than one rupee per copy. To secure the same profit the book can be sold at Rs. 3-8-0. The selling price of the last edition was Rs. 2-8-0 as no honorarium had to be paid. Under G.O., No. 82, Financial, dated 2nd November 1903, the book has not been placed on commission sale by agents, but if this is done now the selling price must be raised to Rs. 6-8-0 to yield a profit of Rs. 15 per volume to be paid to Mrs. McNally.

Order—No. 142, Educational, dated 9th March 1911.

The Superintendent, Government Press, will be informed that the selling price of the revised edition of McNally's Sanitary Hand Book should be fixed at Rs. 2-8-0 per copy and that the profit, if any, accruing from the sale of the book should in future be credited to Government and not be handed over to Mrs. McNally as the book is practically a new work.

(True Extract.)

L. DAVIDSON,
Ag. Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent, Government Press.
.. Director of Public Instruction.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTES CONNECTED WITH G.O., No. 142, EDUCATIONAL, DATED
9TH MARCH 1911.

[SUBJECT.—Sale price of the revised edition of McNally's Sanitary Hand-book.]

Previous papers:

G.O., No. 363, Educational, dated 25th May 1894.
" " 82, Financial " 2nd Nov. 1903.
" " 721, Educational " 30th Oct. 1907.
" " 43 " " 25th Jan. 1910.

From the Superintendent, Government Press, dated 11th February 1911,
No. 2654.

In G.O., No. 43, Educational, dated 25th January 1910, the Superintendent, Government Press, was instructed to print 1,000 copies of McNally's Sanitary Hand-book, as revised by Major Cornwall. The printing of the book appears to have been completed and the Superintendent, Government Press, now reports that the cost of the book, including the honorarium of Rs. 1,000 paid to Major Cornwall, but excluding commission to agents, amounts to Rs. 2-6-0 per copy and solicits instructions as to the sale-price to be fixed.

2. For an account of how the copyright in McNally's Hand-book came to be vested in Government, a reference is requested to the late Mr. Pringle's note on pages 6 to 8 of the notes with G.O., No. 82, Financial, dated 2nd November 1903. Under G.O., No. 363, Educational, dated 25th May 1894, any profits that remain after meeting the cost of publication are to be made over to Mrs. McNally.

3. The book was sold originally at Rs. 4 per copy, but the price was reduced in 1903 to Rs. 2-8-0. It does not seem advisable to raise the price now, as the book is chiefly intended for the use of sub-assistant surgeon students. If the book is sold at Rs. 2-8-0, there will still be a profit of 2 annas per copy to be paid to Mrs. McNally. For the last two editions of the book Mrs. McNally received a sum of Rs. 4,245-7-0 and if she gets only Rs. 125 for this edition because of the honorarium of Rs. 1,000 paid to Major Cornwall for revising the book having to be deducted from the profits, she will get not less than Rs. 1,125 for the next edition presuming the edition consists of the same number of copies and they are all sold. It may also be noted that the book is now altogether a new book and that Mrs. McNally can scarcely be said to have any right to the profits resulting from its sale.

T. KANAKASUNDARAM PILLAI—2-3-11.

Please see the remarks of the Hon'ble Mr. (now Sir George) Forbes and of the Hon'ble Sir Murray Hammick (then Chief Secretary) on page 9 of the Notes to G.O., No. 82, Financial (Books Branch), dated 2nd November 1903, from which it will be seen that it was recognized so far back as 1903 that Mrs. McNally had no claim as a matter of right to the profits accruing from later editions of the book. The book may therefore be priced Rs. 2-8-0, as in the case of the previous edition.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—3-3-11.

The price may be fixed at Rs. 2-8-0.

2. It is for orders whether Mrs. McNally should get any profits out of the book at all now it has been twice thoroughly revised. In 1903 the Honourable Member (as Chief Secretary) definitely stated: "Next issue we will give* no profits to anybody."

* Page 9 of notes to G.O., No. 82, Financial, dated 2nd November 1903.

G. F. PADDISON—4-3-11.

The book may be priced at Rs. 2-8-0. No profits need be handed over to Mrs. McNally in future.

M. H[AMMICK]—7-3-11.

Draft submitted for approval.

T.K.—8-3-11.

K. RANGASWAMI AIYANGAR—8-3-11.

Issue.

G. F. PADDISON—9-3-11.

[G.O., No. 142, Educational, dated 9th March 1911.]

READ AGAIN G.O., No. 43 Edl, dated 25-1- 1910

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READ ALSO:—

C. No. 337, From the Suppl. Govt. Press, No. 2654, dated 11-2-1911

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To The S.G.P. ✓ } Dr
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G.O., No. 142, dated 9-3-1901 ..

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Docket. Books and publications

Directing that the price of the revised edition of McNally's sanitary hand book be fixed at Rs 2-8-0 per copy.

Number (c) of copies required when struck off (not including copies for volumes and editors' table which are returned in the Press).

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