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No. 43. Read the following Circular of the Government of India in the Financial Department, dated Fort William, 29th December 1870, No. 3921:—

Accounts.

Under Financial Resolution, No. 1035, dated 7th June 1870, which prescribes rules for the recovery and adjustment of charges for work done by a Government Factory for any Public Department, the Heads of Departments are required to make provision in their Budget Estimates for printing work to be done in the Government Press. This course would lead to a double charge for printing,—first, in the grant for the Government Press, and, secondly, under the several offices concerned; while the object desired, as regards printing, was simply to limit the annual cost of the orders upon the Superintendent of Government Printing for work to be executed by him for Heads of Departments. His Excellency in Council is accordingly pleased to direct that the figures for the Budget be taken from the Estimate of the Superintendent of Government Printing, and that the estimates of the several Departments for work to be done by the Superintendent be excluded from their budget estimates of the rest of their expenditure, and be detailed in an Appendix to the Budget Estimate of the Superintendent of Government Printing.

2. The Comptroller-General and the Superintendent of Government Printing will be responsible for seeing that the requisitions of Heads of Departments during the year do not exceed the amounts which may be passed for them in the Appendix to the estimate of the Superintendent of Government Printing, and the former officer, in giving effect to the 1st and 2nd Rules in the Financial Notification, No. 1035, dated 7th June 1870, will take care that proper departmental audit is obtained for the expenditure which may be incurred against the estimates, as mere provision for it in the Appendix to the estimate of the Superintendent of Government Printing will not exempt Heads of Departments from the obligation of obtaining competent sanction for any special printing expenditure. For example, the sanction of the Government of India in the Foreign, Home, Military, or Public Works Department would be necessary for adjusting the cost of any book which might be printed by the Head of a Department subordinate to any of those Departments.

3. These instructions will apply equally to the work done by the Government Press at Allahabad, or the like Press Establishment for other Departments or Governments; the local Accountant-General being charged in such case with the responsibility which, in the foregoing orders, attaches to the Comptroller-General in respect of the Press of the Government of India.

R. B. CHAPMAN,
Offg. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

To the several Departments of the Government of India.
,, Local Governments and Administrations.
,, Comptroller-General.
,, Accountants-General and Deputy Accountants-General in independent charge.
,, Mint Masters.
,, Superintendent of Government Printing.
,, Director-General of the Post Office in India.

(Signed) R. H. HOLLINGBERY,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Financial Department,
20th January 1871.

No. 44. ORDER THEREON, 20th January 1871, No. 33.

Ordered that a copy of the foregoing Circular be furnished to the Supervisor of the Government Press.

2. Ordered, also, that the Circular be published in the *Fort Saint George Gazette* for general information.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Supervisor of the Government Press.

Ed. J. H. Burns.

20 January 1871 No 33.

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To

THE SUPERVISOR, GOVERNMENT PRESS

Dated January, 20th.

Recd. *Read.*

G. O., 20th January 1871, No. 33.

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Furnishing copy of a Circular from the Government of India issuing instructions in regard to provision being made in Budget Estimates for printing work to be done in the Government Press, and directing that the Circular be published in the *Gazette* for general information.

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The Superintendent Govt Press.

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