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No. 46. Read the following letter from Colonel A. STEWART, R.A., Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, to the Hon. D. F. CARMICHAEL, Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Fort St. George, 29th April 1874, No. 17-S :—

Stationery Department.

With reference to Order* of Government, I have the honour to forward copy of the explanation given by the Superintendent of Stationery, regarding the balance of steel pens and crow quills due on his previous indents :—

* No. 581, dated 13th April 1874.

"I have the honour to report that 1,883 gross steel pens and 80 dozen crow quills remain as balances of my previous indents. These are shown in the last bi-monthly statement received from England to have been shipped per *W. W. Smith*, which left England on the 25th January last.

"The quantities shown in my indent to be due had reference to the description of article, rather than to the manufacturer. Heretofore, 'Gillott's' pens were supplied, and the name of Hinkswells was inserted agreeably to G.O., No. 821, of 12th June 1873."

No. 47. ORDER THEREON, 4th May 1874, No. 772.

Ordered that copy of this letter be forwarded to the Secretary of State for India for information.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines.

Exd. J. H. Burns.

Stationery Department.

ORDNANCE OFFICE:
Fort Saint George,
29th April 1874.

No. 17.

From,

Colonel A. Stewart R. A.,

Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir

(a) W. 581 dated 13th April/74

(a) With reference to order of Government, I have the honor to forward copy of the explanation given by the Superintendent of Stationery, regarding the balance of steel pens and Crow Quills due on his previous Indents.-

"I have the honor to report that 1883 Gross steel pens "and 80 dozen Crow quills remain as balances of my previous Indents.- "These are shown in the last Bi-monthly Statement received "from England, to have been shipped per "W. W. Smith", which left "England on the 25th January last."-

"The quantities shown in my Indent to be due, had "reference to the description of article, rather than to the manufac- "turer; heretofore "Gillotts" pens were supplied, and the name of "Hinks Wells was inserted, agreeably to Government Order W. 521, of "12th June 1873."-

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most Obedient Servant,
A. Stewart Colonel, R. A.,
off. Dy. Insp. Genl. of Ord. & Mags.

Ex. Inst.

Govt. of {1874} Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To

THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF ORDNANCE AND MAGAZINES.

Dated May, 4th.

Recd.

G.O., 4th May 1874, No. 772.

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Nos. 46-47.

Stationery Stores.—Letter from the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, forwarding the explanation of the Superintendent of Stationery regarding the balance of steel pens and crow quills due on his previous indents, ordered to be forwarded to the Secretary of State for information.

Ootacamund 4th May 1874 No 772.

Ordered that a copy of this letter be forwarded to the Secretary of State for India for information.

To the Inspector General of Ordnance & Magazines dated 18/5

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Ootacamund 4th May 1874
From
The Assistant Secretary to Government
of Madras Ordnance & Magazine Department
To
The Chief Secretary to Government.

Dated 23rd April 1874.
No. 203

Sir,

Forwarded explanation by the Administrator of Cuddapah regarding the loading of Cannon & Shot powder on the Steamer Sir Robert Peel.

I have &c.

Post Captain.

Fwd. to Secy. of State 22nd May 1874 No. 20
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