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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

12th February 1881, No. 267.

Stationery.

Read the following paper :—

No. 24-A. From J. G. FERRAND, Esq., Superintendent of Stationery, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 9th February 1881, No. 1632.

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No. 24-B. ORDER THEREON, 12th February 1881, No. 267.

	Quantity.	Last Rate and Cost.		Recommended.	
		Reams.	RS. A. P.	RS.	RS. A. P.
Printing Paper, Double-Double	7,200		7-18-6.	56,475	9-2-0. 65,700
Pott, thick.					
Double Foolscap, 28 lbs.	4,800		4-11-6.	22,650	5-9-0. 26,700

(True Extract.)

The Government resolve to accept the Superintendent's recommendations as regards tenders, but reasons should be assigned for the recommendations noted in margin.

Chief Secretary.

To the Superintendent of Stationery, with papers.

Exd. J. Wright.

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Gobt. of (1881) Madras.

FINANCIAL.

To
THE SUPERINTENDENT OF
STATIONERY.

Dated February, 12th.

Issued

Recd.

Encl.

G.O., 12th February 1881, No. 267.

FEBRUARY.
Nos. 24A-24B.

Stationery.—The Superintendent's recommendations as regards tenders received for the supply of articles of Europe stationery required for use in 1882-83, accepted; but that officer directed to assign reasons for certain recommendations.

MEMORANDUM.

IN the following Advertisement the dates for opening the Tenders for the supply of Papers, drawing, section, writing, and marble, and for Printing papers, Inks, Pencils, &c., have been altered from Wednesday, 26th January 1881, and Friday, 28th January 1881, to Wednesday, 2nd February 1881, and Friday, 4th February 1881, respectively.

J. G. FERRAND,

Superintendent of Stationery.

Stationery Office, Madras,
11th December 1880.

PAPER, INK, PENCILS, &c.

SEALED Tenders, for the supply of the undermentioned Articles for one year, will be received by the Superintendent of Stationery on the following days up to 1 P.M., at which hour they will be opened.

2. The Tenders should specify the rates in Indian currency at which the articles will be delivered at the Stationery Office, Madras.

On Wednesday, 2nd February 1881.

Article.	Probable Quantity that will be required, more or less.	Rate per	When to be supplied.	Invoice Price of last Receipts (exclusive of freight and packing Charges).
Paper, a				£ s. d.
Do. drawing, double elephant reams	63	Ream.		Per Ream. 10 8 0
Do. do. single do.	2	"		" " 5 7 1
Do. do. various, mounted on cloth, 54 inches. yds.	120	Yard.		" Yard. 0 3 6
Do. do. do. do. do. 30 " " "	20	"		" " 0 3 0
Do. section, royal, qrs.	21	Quire		" Quire. 0 18 0
Do. do. do. 1/20 " " "	16	"		" " 0 18 0
Do. writing, imperial, hand-made reams	11	Ream.		" Ream. 4 5 0
Do. do. do. machine-made	10	"		" " 3 14 10
Do. do. royal, hand-made	200	"		" " 3 2 3
Do. do. do. machine-made	150	"		" " 2 5 6
Do. do. medium, hand-made	100	"		" " 2 5 9
Do. do. do. machine-made	300	"		" " 1 15 3
Do. do. demy, hand-made	400	"		" " 1 9 6
Do. do. do. machine-made	500	"		" " 1 4 6
Do. do. cream laid, do. 24 lb.	15	"		" " 1 4 11
Do. do. foolscap, hand-made	2,100	"	In January 1882.	" " 1 9 6
Do. do. do. machine-made	1,800	"		Camcoing. 0 0 3
Do. do. do. white wove	540	"		Per Ream. 0 6 3
Do. do. do. cream laid, white	2,000	"		Camcoing. 0 0 2
Do. do. do. cream wove, double M.M., 30 lb.	110	"		Per Ream. 0 3 2
Do. do. do. tough lean	4	"		Camcoing. 0 0 2
Do. do. quarto post, hand-made	200	"		Per Ream. 0 12 6
Do. do. do. do. machine-made	250	"		Camcoing. 0 0 2
Do. do. octavo do. hand-made	150	"		Per Ream. 0 5 11
Do. do. do. do. machine-made	125	"		Camcoing. 0 0 2
Do. marble, royal, 25 lb.	10	"		Per Ream. 0 19 6
Do. do. medium, 20 lb.	15	"		" " 0 15 6
Do. do. demy, 15 "	20	"		" " 0 12 4
Do. do. foolscap, 12 "	10	"		" " 0 9 3

On Friday, 4th February 1881.

Paper, printing, double royal, thin, 35 lb. reams	200	Ream.		Per Ream. £ s. d.
Do. do. royal, thick, 25 "	670	"		" " 0 8 11
Do. do. do. thin, 15 "	100	"		" " 0 7 0 1/2
Do. do. medium, thin, 14 "	70	"		" " 0 5 5
Do. do. German, 20 "	17	"		" " 0 5 6
Do. do. double demy, 34 "	140	"		" " 0 5 0
Do. do. demy, superior, 25 "	50	"		" " 0 6 5 1/2
Do. do. do. common, 17 "	150	"		" " 0 4 7
Do. do. do. green chellam, 10 "	15	"		" " 0 6 0
Do. do. double-double pott, thick, 46 "	7,200	"	In January 1882.	" " 0 11 5
Do. do. double-double pott, thin, 28 "	800	"		" " 0 8 8

On Friday, 15th February 1881—(Continued).

Article.	Probable Quantity that will be required, more or less.	Rate per	When to be supplied.	Invoice Price of last Receipts (exclusive of freight and packing charges).
Paper, printing, double foolscap, 25 lb.	reams	1,800	Ream.	Per Ream.
Do. do. do. do. 25	reams	300	"	"
Do. do. do. do. 12 lb.	reams	220	"	"
Do. Europe cartridge, 35	"	20	"	"
Do. white, do. royal, 40 lb.	"	50	"	"
Ink powder, black	dozs.	3,700	Dozen.	Per Gross.
Do. printing, black, best quality	lb.	1,207	Lb.	"
Do. do. do. in portable tins of 6 lb. each.	"	200	"	"
Do. do. red, best quality	"	70	"	"
Do. do. 1 lb. tins	"	5	"	"
Do. do. Underwood's concentrated ruling blue	quarts	80	Quart.	"
Do. do. do. red	"	80	"	"
Do. do. Morell's Registration	bottles	1,500	Bottle.	"
Ink bottles, glass, for ebony and wooden inkstands	dozs.	130	Dozen.	"
Do. do. delf	"	14	"	"
Pencils, black lead, Cohen's (India Office)	"	1,500	"	"
Do. do. do. Faber's do.	"	1,000	"	"
Do. red lead	"	830	"	"
Do. blue lead	"	400	"	"
Do. drawing, of sorts	"	200	"	"
Pen-knives, desk	"	100	"	"
Quills	thousands	770	1,000	"
Rubber, India, 1 oz. pieces	pieces	6,000	Lb.	"
Vulcanized ink erasers	No.	240	No.	"
Ink erasers, Faber's	"	150	"	"
Steel erasers	"	10	"	"
Pen-holders for steel pens, Hinks, Wells, and Co., No. 024	grosses	90	Gross.	"
Steel pens, Hinks, Wells, and Co., No. 024, broad	"	270	"	"
Do. do. do. do. medium	"	740	"	"
Do. do. do. do. fine	"	1,060	"	"
Do. do. Perry's lithographic	"	2	"	"
Do. do. nibs, Perry's, No. 7942, for inserting details in maps	"	10	"	"
Do. do. Mitchell's imperial lithographic, No. 0370	"	6	"	"
Do. do. etching	dozs.	12	Dozen.	"
Pen-holders for magnifying glass	No.	200	No.	"
Wafers, Office	boxes	12	Box.	"
Pencils for pentagraphs	dozs.	20	Dozen.	"

On Monday, 31st January 1881.

Sable hair pencils and brushes of sizes	No.	200	No.	Per No.	0 0 11
Cards, large, 5 1/2" x 3 1/2"	packs	50	Pack.	"	0 0 7
Do. small, 4 1/2" x 3	"	40	"	"	0 0 3
Cloth, tracing	yards	5,000	Yard.	"	0 0 5
Indian ink, large, 1/2 oz.	cases	30	Case.	"	0 0 8
Do. small, 1/4 oz.	"	320	"	"	0 0 5
Color boxes, small, (of common wood) brass bound, with 11 colors	No.	20	No.	"	0 13 0
Books, penny, patent, with pencils, large	"	300	"	"	0 1 8
Do. do. do. small	"	160	"	"	0 1 2
Mill boards, 40" x 28"	dozs.	280	"	"	0 0 4
Pasteboard, Europe	No.	10	Gross.	"	0 10 0
Draw-boards	No.	7	No.	"	0 4 0
Hones	dozs.	16	Dozen.	"	0 18 0
Parchment, impure	skins	110	Skin.	"	0 2 1
Do. demy size	"	200	"	"	0 0 5
Sponge, 12 to a lb.	pieces	30	Lb.	"	3 11 0
Strops	dozs.	13	Dozen.	"	0 10 0
Scissors, large	"	32	"	"	0 18 6
Do. small	"	31	"	"	0 10 6
Tape, red, hanks	"	20	"	"	0 1 1 1/2
Vellum	skins	160	Skin.	"	0 4 0
Envelopes, brown cartridge paper, 11" x 5"	No.	49,800	1,000	"	0 10 10 1/2
Do. linen, lined, 10 x 6	"	3,800	"	"	0 13 0
Do. official foolscap size, 8 1/2 x 3 1/2	"	69,200	"	"	0 0 5
Do. do. small 5 1/2 x 3 1/2	"	64,400	"	"	0 5 11
Spare brushes for guna bottles	No.	50	No.	"	0 1 0
Envelopes, foolscap, English, 8 1/2 x 3 1/2	"	5,000	100	"	0 0 6
Do. note, 5 x 8	"	1,000	"	"	0 0 4
Do. light brown, English glazed cartridge, open at one of the ends and not sides, 15 1/2 x 6 1/2	"	2,000	"	"	Not previously received.
Do. grey, English cartridge, open at one of the ends and not sides, 14 x 5	"	5,000	"	"	

Samples of the articles required can be seen, and forms of Tender and all particulars regarding Security, Payment, &c. can be obtained at the Stationery Office between 11 A.M. and 4 P.M. on any day, except Sundays and Government holidays.

Stationery Office, Madras,
26th November 1880.

J. G. FERRAND,
Superintendent of Stationery.

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Madras 9 February 1881

From, The Superintendent of Stationery
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To, The Chief Secretary to Government
Financial Department
Fort Saint George

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I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most Obedt. Servant
J. G. Perrand
Superintendent of Stationery

Mail 1887 Sept.
From (Stationary)
The Superintendent
of Stationary
Trade.

To The Chief Secretary
to Government
Financial Dept.
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supply of Europe articles for
the year 1882-83; and
making proposals on
the subject.

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No. I
(Part I)
Register of
Tenders for
Europe Articles.

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Per Rap Per Rap Per Rap Per Rap Per Rap Per Rap
Beam 143 6 2 Beam 73 12 9 yard 2 6 7 yard 2 10 Line 12 6 7 Line 12 6 7

Accept Tender 2	Accept Tender 2	Accept Tender 4	Accept Tender 4	Accept Tender 2	Accept Tender 2
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Paper writing Peters Post Machine made	Paper handles Royal 25 lbs	No. Be Medium 20 lbs	No. Be Heavy 15 lbs	No. Be Hoodlump 12 lbs	Total value of the articles	Deposit @ 5 per Cent
Reams 125	Reams 10	Reams 15	Reams 20	Reams 10		
Per Rap	Per Rap	Per Rap	Per Rap	Per Rap		
Ream 3 1/4 4	Ream 13 7	Ream 10 10 8	Ream 8 8 2	Ream 6 5 9		
					Rap	Rap
					No deposit received	
1 9 10 Comp. 2 2						
3 3 6	13 1 10	10 8 1	8 7 9	6	131825 3 4	6600 --
1 4 3	16 11 4	14 3 4	11 10	7 11	120206 11 9	7000 --
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1 2 8 Comp. 1 9					123358 8	6200 --

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Stationary Office
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J. G. Ferrand
Superintendent of Stationery
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Tenders for
Europe Articles

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Mr. A. W. Faber has
not permitted the
prescribed deposit.

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Total Deposit
value of Rs 5 per
the articles Cent

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No deposit received

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No deposit received

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Madras

Stationary Office

9th February 1881

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Superintendent of Stationery

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(Part III)

Register of
Lenders for
Europe Articles.

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Hones

Parachut

Imperial

Size

Do

Many size

Orange

12 to a lb

Shop

Scissors

Large

Dozens 16 Skins 110 skins 200 Pieces 30 Dozens 13 Dozens 32

Per Rat Per Rat Per Rat Per Rat Per Rat Per Rat
Doz 12 6 7 skin 1 7 - skin - 59 lb 48 14 7 Doz 6 13 11 Doz 12 12 14

1 0 6 0 59

12 4 3 1 3 5 6 11 lb 48 27 7 8 3 13 5

10 15 1 6 2 10 6 21 8 4 13 11 10 8

1 3 6

but labels provided
at the 21 8
instead of 4 13

Accept Tender 14 Accept Tender 3 Accept Tender 3 Accept Tender 3 Accept Tender 4 Accept Tender 4

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K2P

Do

Small

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red line

Will

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Dozens 31 Dozens 20 Skin 160 Per 14,9800 Per 7,800 Per 6,9200

Per Rat Per Rat Per Rat Per Rat Per Rat Per Rat
Doz 7 3 8 Doz 12 9 skin 3 13 14 7 8 2 3 4 1 1 2 6 9

9 4 2 2 6 5 4 1 5 4 1 3 2 10

7 2 12 6 3 3 8 2 6 11 8 2 6

3 15 11 8 3 15 6 9 5 7 4

9 4 3 2 1

8 4 5 6 12 6
K2P sample 2 5 10 10 10 10
finished

Accept Tender 14 Accept Tender 4 Accept Tender 3 Accept Tender 4 Accept Tender 4 Accept Tender 4

Things of his kind
handmade with
Cord. L. L. L.

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Envelopes
 Official blank
 5 1/2 x 3 1/4
 Spare bundles
 for gun
 bottles
 Envelopes
 for
 English
 8 1/2 x 3 3/4
 Envelopes
 for 5 x 3
 Dr - light
 brown English
 glazed cartridge
 paper at one of the
 ends and not
 at the other
 Dr grey English
 cartridge paper
 at one of the
 ends and not
 at the other

Rs 14,400 Rs 50 Rs 6000 Rs 1000 Rs 2000 Rs 8,000

Per R a P Per R a P Per R a P Per R a P Per R a P Per R a P
 4.18 Rs 0.108 % 0.59 % 0.33 % 0.59 % 0.59

211 43 Thousand 1019 Thousand 992
 48 10 511 39
 338 7 315 31 % 183 % 1113
 3148*
 * as per sample
 furnished

Accept Tender 14 Accept Tender 14 Accept Tender 3 Accept Tender 3
 Indent on England

Total Deposit
 value of Rs 5 per
 the articles Cent

R a P R a P
 1666 108 Rs deposit
 returned
 6423 32 400
 7936 33 400
 3999 139 200

Madras
 Stationery Office
 9th February 1881

J. G. Merrand
 Superintendent of Stationery
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Statement showing the probable cost of the acceptances of the tenders recommended in comparison with the last prices of similar articles received from the India Office.

Articles	Quantity	Exchange at 10 7/2 with 12 per cent for charges &c		Rates in tenders recommended for acceptance		
		Rate	Value	Rate	Value	
Paper Drawing Double Elephant	Reams 66	Rs 2 p 100	Rs 2 p 100	Rs 2 p 100	Rs 2 p 100	
do Single do	" 2	73 12 9	147 9 6	71 9	142 1 6	
do continuous mounted on cloth 54 inches	4 yards 120	2 6 7 1/2	289 6	1 15 4 1/2	235	
do do 30	" 20	2 10	11 8	1 2	22 8	
Paper Section Royal 1/10	Reams 21	12 6 7 1/2	262 10 3	11 8 3 1/2	241 13 3	
do do 1/20	" 16	12 6 7	198 9 4	12 5	192 6 8	
Paper Writing Imperial Hand Made	Reams 11	58 9	646 3	57 11 10	635 2 2	
do do Machine Made	" 10	51 9 5	518 14 2	41 1 2	410 11 8	
do Royal Hand Made	" 900	42 14 9	3862 9 11	38 1 10	3430 2	
do do Machine Made	" 150	31 6 2	4707 13	24 6 11	3664 13 6	
do Medium Hand Made	" 100	31 8 7	3153 10 4	29 13 3	2982 13	
do do Machine Made	" 300	24 4 11	7272 3	18 14 9	5676 9	
do Demij Hand Made	" 400	20 4 11	8122 14 8	20 7	8044 9 4	
do do Machine Made	" 590	16 13 11	9953 2 10	13 7 5	7943 7 10	
do do Cream laid Machine Made 20 lbs	" 15	17 2 10	257 10 6	13 12 8	206 14	
do Foolscap Hand Made	" 2100	14 2 6	29728 2	13 9 2	28503 2	
do do White Wove	" 540	4 1 8	2216 4	4 3	2261 4	
do do Cream laid white	" 2000	2 3 3	4406 4	2 4	4500	
do do Cream wove double Machine Made 20 lbs	" 110	8 9 10	947 9 8	8 4 11	909 12 8	
do do Tough loan	" 4	25 7	98 12	23 1 5	92 5 8	
do Quarto Post Hand Made	" 200	16 3 3	3206 10	10 7 4	2091 10 8	
do do Machine Made	" 250	3 15 2	965 15 8	2 6 3	597 10 6	
do Octavo Post Hand Made	" 150	4 1 8	655 10	4 9	684 6	
do do Machine Made	" 125	3 14 4	486 15 8	1 4 5	159 8 1	
Paper Marble Royal 25 lbs	" 10	13 7	136 6	13 1 10	131 2 4	
do Medium 20 lbs	" 15	10 10 8	160	10 8 1	157 9 3	
do Demij 15 lbs	" 20	8 8 2	170 3 4	8 7 9	169 11	
do Foolscap 12 lbs	" 10	6 5 9	63 9 6	6	60	
		Total Rs 126978 3 1		114300 9 7		

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Statement showing the probable cost of the acceptance of the Tenders recommended in comparison with the last prices of similar articles received from the India Office.

Articles	Quantity		Exchange at 1/6.72d with 12 per cent for charges &c.				Rates in Tenders recommended for acceptance				
			Rate		Value		Rate		Value		
			Rs	a p Per	Rs	a p	Rs	a p Per	Rs	a p	
Paper Printing Royal thick 28 lbs	Reams	670	4	13	6	Rs 3245 5	5	9	Rs 3726 14		
do do thin 18 lbs	"	100	3	11	11	374 7 8	4	3	420 13 4		
do Medium thin 16 lbs	"	70	3	12	9	265 12 6	3	12	262 8		
do Lperman 20 lbs	"	17	4	2	6	70 8 6	4	11	79 11		
do Double Heavy 34 lbs	"	140	6	8	2	911 7 4	6	15	974 2 8		
do Heavy Common 17 lbs	"	150	3	2	10	476 9	3	13	571 14		
do Heavy Green Chatham 10 lbs	"	15	4	2	6	62 5 6	3	10	55		
do Double Double Post thin 28 lbs	"	800	5	15	2	4758 5 4	5	9	4450		
do do thick 46 lbs	"	7200	7	13	6	56475	9	2	65700		
do Double Foolscap 28 lbs	"	4800	4	11	6	22650	5	9	26700		
do do 25 lbs	"	300	4	6	2	1315 10	4	11	1478 2		
do Foolscap 12 lbs	"	250	2	6	3	524 12 8	2	6	525 15		
Ink printing black best quality	lbs	1200	"	12	4	925	"	9	4	700	
do black best in portable tins of 6 lbs each	"	200	"	12	4	154 2 8	"	9	4	116 10 8	
do Underwoods Concentrated Indigo blue	Quarts	80	1	6	2	110 13 4	1	6	8	113 5 4	
do do Red	"	80	1	6	2	110 13 4	1	12	"	140	
Ink bottles glass for Blong & wooden inkstands	Dozens	130	2	4	11	297 15 2	2	14	8	379 2 8	
Pencils Red lead	"	630	1	6	2	872 13	1	"	11	666 1 6	
do Blue lead	"	490	1	3	8	602 4 8	"	15	1	461 14 10	
do Drawing of sorts	"	200	"	8	2	102 1 4	"	6	9	84 6	
Pentamies Wash	"	100	4	7	5	446 5 8	4	2	6	415 10	
Quills	Thousands	770	15	5	4	11806 10 8	13	14	10	10723 13 8	
Steel Erasers	Rs	10	"	5	9	3 9 6	"	5	8	3 8 8	

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Total Rs. 23549 15 11 ✓

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Statement showing the probable cost of the acceptance of the Tenders recommended in comparison with the last prices of similar articles received from the India Office.

Articles	Quantity	Exchange at 1d 7½d with 12 per cent for change 7½		Rate in Tenders recommended for acceptance	
		Rate	Value	Rate	Value
Sable hair pencils & brushes of sizes	No. 200	Rs 10 6 ½	Rs 131 14	Rs 10 3 ½	Rs 128 2
Cards large 5½" x 3½"	Packs 50	7 11 ½	21 14	6 11 ½	21 9 10
do Small 4½" x 3"	" 40	2 8	6 10 8	2 9	6 14
Indian Ink large ½ oz.	Cakes 30	8 2 ½	15 5	7 11 ½	13 2
do Small ¼ oz.	" 320	4 11	98 5 4	3 6	70
Color boxes small of common wood (brass band with 12 colors)	No. 20	8 15 7 ½	179 7 8	9 5 2 ½	186 7 4
Books penny patent with pencils large	" 300	1 2 1	339 1	1 1 10	334 6
do do Small	" 160	13 4	133 5 4	13 1	130 13 4
Mill boards 40" x 28"	" 280	4 6	78 12	5	87 8
Paste boards Europe	No. 10	7 3 8 ½	6 5	9 3 2 ½	7 10 6
Drawing boards	No. 7	2 12 4 ½	19 6 4	3 2 11 ½	21 14
Hones	No. 16	12 6 7 ½	198 9 4	10 15 11 ½	175
Parchment Imperial size	Sheets 110	1 7 11 ½	158 2	1 3 5 11 ½	133 7 10
do Wemy size	" 200	5 9	71 14	6 11	86 7 4
Sponge 12 to a lb	Pieces 30	48 14 9 ½	122 4 11	48 2 7 ½	120 6 5
Strops	No. 13	6 13 11 10 ½	89 4 11	4 13 10 ½	62 9
Scissors large	" 32	12 12 4	408 10 8	11 10 8	373 5 4
do Small	" 31	7 3 8	224 1 8	3 15	122 1
Shape red hawks	" 20	12 9	15 15	11 8	14 9 4
Vellum	Sheets 160	3 1 3 11 ½	492 8	3 3 11 ½	482 8
Envelopes brown Cartridge paper 11" x 5"	No. 119800	7 8 2 100	374 4	6 9 100	326 13
do lined 19" x 6"	" 3800	8 4 1 100	313 11 2	7 100	266
do Official foolscap size 8½" x 3½"	" 69200	6 9 100	454 2	5 7 4 100	377 11 5
do do Small 5½" x 3½"	" 64400	4 1 8 100	264 4 11	3 3 8 100	207 15 11
do foolscap English 8½" x 3½"	" 6000	5 9 100	21 9	5 11 100	22 3
do Note 5" x 3"	" 1000	3 3 100	2 6	3 9 100	2 5 6
Spare brushes for gum bottle	" 50	10 8 ½	33 5 4	7 11 ½	21 14

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Grand Total Rs 237 16 15 5

Difference between the Total or probable saving Rs 9 13 1

Stationery Office
Madras
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J. Perrand
Superintendent of Stationery

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Statement showing the probable cost of the acceptance of the Tenders recommended in comparison with the last prices of similar articles received from the India Office.

In Financial 327/81

Finance Department.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter

from the Superintendent of Stationery Madras, 29th February/81, No. 1602

Order thereon 12th Feb/81, No 267

The Government resolve to accept the Superintendent's recommendations as regards tenders, but as much as possible be assigned for the recommended margins

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Printing paper
S.S. Pott. Thick

Statement
29/6/81

Quantity	Rate	Amount
1000	Rs. 7200	7200
1000	Rs. 12.6	12600
1000	Rs. 9.2	9200
1000	Rs. 65.00	65000
1000	Rs. 4800	48000
1000	Rs. 14.11.6	14116
1000	Rs. 26.700	26700

To The Supt. of Stationery
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7th Dec 1881

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G.O., 12 Feb 1881, No. 267

Nos. 24 A - 24 B

Stationery. The Sup^ts
recomm^d as regards tenders
received for the supply of
articles of Europe stationery
required for use in 1882/83,
accepted; but that Officer
directed to assign reasons
for certain recomm^dations.