

Gobt. of 1882 Madras.

FINANCIAL.

Order thereon 24 March 82

No. 790 W

Comd to the Officers
of the P.W. Dept.

/Sd/ A. T. L. 1882

As: under Secy
to Hosp W

Order, dated 17th February 1882, No. 239.

B. 790 W. 24 March 1882

Comd J.
Comd for P.W.
Ex to W. A. C. C.
a P.W. - a
L. C. C.
C. A. to Hosp
Supt. M. A. W.
Gen Supt. P.W. Dept.

Stationery. — Communicating, for information and guidance, Resolution of Government of India, issuing instructions regarding the supply of ink of local manufacture.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

Read—the following Proceedings of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce (Stores), dated Calcutta, 6th February 1882, No. 724 :—

READ—the undermentioned papers regarding the supply of writing ink required for use in the Government offices in India :—

Letter from the Government of Madras, to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 6, dated the 31st May 1881.

Letter from the Government of Madras, to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No. 11, dated the 26th August 1881.

Letter to the Government of Madras, No. 1334, dated the 25th June 1881.

“ from the “ of Bombay, No. 4102, “ “ 15th July “

“ “ “ of Madras, No. 1452, “ “ 3rd August “

“ “ “ of Bengal, No. 1462-P., “ “ 22nd “ “

“ to the Superintendent of Stationery, No. 3134, dated the 20th September 1881.

“ “ “ No. 3201, “ “ 26th “ “

“ “ Government of Madras, No. 3202, dated the 26th September 1881. “

“ from the “ “ No. 1947, “ “ 12th October 1881.

“ “ Superintendent of Stationery, No. 4806, dated the 16th January 1882.

RESOLUTION.—The Governor-General observes that black writing ink of Indian manufacture, and of good quality as regards colour and durability, is procurable at a price much cheaper than that paid for the imported article.

2. In pursuance of the policy of the Government of India to substitute articles of Indian manufacture for European stores, His Excellency in Council directs that the use of Morrell's black registration ink shall be discontinued, and that Stephen's blue-black ink and black ink shall be issued in small quantities, sufficient only for the use of the few high functionaries who may prefer it to Indian-made ink.

3. Red registration ink apparently must still be imported, as a permanent and useful red ink has not yet been prepared in the country.

ORDERED that the foregoing Resolution be communicated to all Local Governments and Administrations, as well as to the Superintendent of Stationery, Calcutta, and the several Departments of the Government of India for information and guidance.

2. And, also, that the Resolution and the letter from the Superintendent of Stationery, No. 4806, of 16th January 1882, be published in the *Gazette of India*.

(Signed) J. E. O'CONOR,
Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

17TH FEBRUARY 1882, No. 239, FINANCIAL.

Order—dated 17th February 1882, No. 239, Financial.

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(True Extract.)

R. DAVIDSON,
Chief Secretary.

To the Superintendent of Stationery.
„ all Heads of Departments.
„ the Departments of the Secretariat.

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No. 791 W 24th March 82

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Public Works Dept.
for information and
guidance.

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Recd. 13. Mar. 82

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Ex P. W. A. V.
Ex R. V. A. V.
S. E. V.
C. A. to Govt.
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Supt. S. P. W. Stores

Desptd 24-3-82-

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/Sd/ A. J. L. Jolly Esq.

As: under Secy
to Govt. P.W.D.

C. Engr. J.
Comd for P.W.
Ex to W. Reels
" P.W. - "
L. Engr.
C.A. to Govt.
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—the following letter from J. G. FERRAND, Esq., Superintendent of Stationery, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 9th February 1882, No. 1308 :—

With reference to G.O., 8th October 1881, No. 1924,* I beg to report that in 1880 samples of Bally Mills papers were obtained and tried here, and in the following year, with the sanction of Government,† a purchase was made of that paper to the extent of Rs. 1,416-10-8, to be used for envelopes. I have now, as suggested by the Government of India, communicated with the Superintendent of Stationery in Calcutta and obtained fresh samples‡ of the Bally Mills papers, which are herewith forwarded with copy of the letter from the Calcutta Superintendent, 9th November 1881, No. 3768. The half bleached papers (Royal, Demy, and Double Foolscap) appear to be superior to those previously obtained. I think that the Badami Royal paper, 25 lb., may be advantageously used in this Presidency as in Bengal for printed forms as well as for envelopes. The forms referred to are some of those employed in public offices generally and especially the forms employed in the Collectorates and the Mofussil Courts. If Government approve of the proposed use, I would suggest that an order be issued for the substitution of Bally Mills Badami Royal paper, 25 lb. (Rs. 4-6-10 per ream), for English Printing Royal paper, 28 lb. (Rs. 4-8-0 per ream) in the Stationery Indents on this office as regards all printed forms and other purposes for which the substitution may properly be made. A sample sheet of the English Printing paper is also forwarded.

2. The difference in price between the Bally Mills papers and English papers for which they are substituted in Bengal, as these papers are delivered at Madras, is shown below :—

Bally Mills Papers.		Price.	English Papers.		Last Invoice Price with addition of 25 per cent. for Exchange and Freight.
	WEIGHT.	RS. A. P.		WEIGHT.	RS. A. P.
Badami Royal	25 lb.	4 6 10	Printing Royal	28 lb.	4 8 0
Do. Royal	20 "	3 8 8	Do. Royal	18 "	3 6 0
Do. Demy	18 "	3 3 0	Do. Demy	17 "	2 13 0
Do. Double Foolscap ..	24 "	4 4 0	Do. Double Foolscap ..	25 "	4 0 0
Do. do.	20 "	3 8 8	Do. do.	21 "	3 6 0
Do. Yellow Royal	20 "	5 0 0	Do. Yellow Royal	25 "	7 12 0
Do. do. Demy	15 "	3 12 0			
White Blotting Paper ..	32 "	8 0 0	Pink Blotting Paper ..	23 "	7 3 10
Brown Cartridge Flat ..	60 "	9 6 0	Packing Imperial Cap ..	70 "	6 6 8
Do. do. Super Royal ..	50 "	7 13 0	Do. do.	50 "	4 13 0
Do. do. do.	30 "	4 11 0			

3. English Printing Yellow Royal paper, at Rs. 7-12-0 per ream, is now supplied to the Accountant-General. He states that the Bally Mills paper, at Rs. 5 per ream, seems in every way suitable for his purpose. This will accordingly be hereafter provided instead when a fresh supply is required.

4. White Blotting Paper being required for the Government Secretariat, eighteen reams for the year 1882-83 will be procured from the Bally Mills, at Rs. 8 per ream.

5. The price of the Bally Mills Brown Cartridge paper is dearer than the English as shown above, and so are the Madras prices of other papers in comparison with the Madras prices of English papers for which the Bally papers are substituted in Bengal. There will be no advantage in substituting the Bally Mills for the English papers in these cases.

6. As regards the Bombay Mills, the Superintendent of Stationery in Bombay has informed me that the Manager of the Girgaum Paper Mills there tendered for Brown paper at rates somewhat higher than those at which this article can be obtained through the India Office.

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The Superintendent's proposals are approved. His letter will be communicated to all Heads of Departments.

2. The Government believe that there is much room for economy in regard to stationery, and they desire that all officers will scrutinize their indents and consult with the Superintendent of Stationery as to how their demands can be reduced. Certain expensive kinds of paper, such as Hand-made Foolscaps, should be used in few offices, and there very sparingly.

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(True Extract.)

R. Hudson
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By R. S. Thompson J.M.B.

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Edw. Ross Thompson L.M.B.

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