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Public DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	242	Press ~~Mis.~~
Dated	7-3-	1867

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
7th March 1867.*

No. 39. Read the following letter from G. MACLEOD, Esq., Auditor of Government Press Accounts for 1865-66, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George ; dated Madras, 22nd February 1867.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of the Orders of Government, No. 152, dated 13th instant, passed on my Report on the Accounts of the Government Press for 1865-66.

2. With reference to the desire conveyed in the 8th paragraph of those orders, I beg to explain that, in remarking that it was likely that the sum of Rupees 27,794-2-2, written off the Press accounts, did not represent the full value of type and other material condemned from time to time since September 1861, I only considered it *possible* that, in calculating the original cost of so large a quantity of material, the accumulations of upwards of $4\frac{1}{2}$ years, some portion of it had been under or over-valued, or left out of account through oversight, or other cause. I had no grounds, however, for believing that the calculation *was* wrong, but assuming the possibility of error, I advocated the testing of the balance standing at debit of "Plant," by a fresh examination of the existing stock. I trust this explanation will be considered satisfactory.

No. 40. ORDER THEREON, 7th March 1867, No. 242.

To be recorded.

(True Extract).

A. J. ARBUTHNOT,
Chief Secretary.

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Yours Obedient & humble servant

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The undersigned, the Secretary of the Association,
 do hereby certify that the above is a true and
 correct copy of the original as the same
 appears in the records of the Association.
 In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set
 my hand and the seal of the Association
 at New York, this 10th day of June, 1864.
 Secretary of the Association.

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Letter No 7

from
Nov 7 1857

Mr G. Macleod
Audit of 1857
Account for
1857

22 Feb 1857

Dec 24

Submits certain
Explanations in
connection with the
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