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MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

C.O. No	1697	Press
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Dated	11-12-19	1869

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
11th December 1869.*

No. 46. Read the following letter from the Assistant Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Fort William, 20th November 1869, No. 2624.

In reply to your letter, No. 1151, dated 16th August 1869, asking for the restoration of Rupees 16,000, retrenched from the Madras Budget Estimate for 1869-70, under "Stationery and Printing," I am directed to state that the Governor-General in Council is unable to sanction the application. The steady increase of charge for country purchases of stationery since 1865-66 calls for immediate reduction, and you are accordingly requested to call upon the several Departments to reduce their consumption *bonâ fide*, that is, without having recourse to local markets independently of the Superintendent of Stationery.

No. 47. ORDER THEREON, 11th December 1869, No. 1697.

Resolved that copies of the foregoing letter, together with copies of the letter therein referred to, be furnished to the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines, and to the Accountant-General.

2. It is observed that in Order, dated the 12th October last, No. 477, the Heads of all Departments were called upon to limit their expenditure of stationery.

3. It is also observed that it has been pointed out to the Government of India in paragraph 4 of letter, dated the 16th August last, No. 1151, that it will not be possible for this Government to effect so large a reduction as Rupees 16,000 in the expenditure on account of stationery during the current year.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines.
,, Accountant-General.

Exd. J. Wright.

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To The Chief Secretary to the Government
of Fort St. George -

Financial Dept. Sir,

In reply to your letter No 1157 dated 16th
August, 1869. asking for the restoration of
Rupees 16000 retrenched from the Madras
Budget Estimate for 1869/70 under "Stationery
and Printing" I am directed to state that the
Governor General in Council is unable to sanction
the Application. The steady increase of charge
for Country purchases of Stationery since 1855/60
calls for immediate reduction and you are
accordingly requested to call upon the several
Departments to reduce their consumption -
bona-fide, that is, without having recourse to
local markets independently of the Superintendent
of Stationery -

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your Most Obedient Servant

For William,
The 20th November 1869

W. M. M. M.
Asst Secy to the Govt of India

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To

THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF
ORDNANCE AND MAGAZINES,
No. No. No.

Dated December, 11th.

Recd.

Encl.

G. O. 11th December 1869, No. 1697.

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NOV. 23-69.

Passing orders on a letter from the Financial
Department of the Government of India, relating
to reduce the sum of Rupees 16,000, retrenched
from the Madras Budget Estimate for 1869/70,
under "Stationery and Printing."

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Public Department.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read the following letter from the Under Secy. to the Govt. of India, Financial Department (Here under 20th Nov. 1889. No. 2624)

der thereon 11th December 1889. No. 1697.

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To
The Inspector General of
Ordnance & Magazines }
— Accountant General. }

Boat of 1863 20 mms.

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7th No. 24 of 1870
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J. H. Smith of New
Hampshire

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Being also on a letter
from the said 24th of the
Boat of 1863, before
to make the sum of
\$1,000, returned
from the said 24th of the
Boat of 1863 under the name
of "Smithing."

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