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Government of Madras.

Public DEPARTMENT.

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2-1-37

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
14th June 1869.*

No. 70. Read the following letter from the Acting Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George; dated Fort Saint George, 9th June 1869, No. 70.

Ordnance Department:

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of Proceedings of Government, No. 642, dated 18th May 1869, communicating copy of a despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, No. 11, dated 15th April 1869, calling for information as to the necessity for the demand contained in Stationery Indent of this Presidency, No. 61, of 14th December 1868, for certain descriptions of printing-paper and millboards.

2. I append hereto copy of a letter from the Superintendent of Stationery, No. 158, dated 2nd June 1869, from which it will be observed—

1st.—With regard to the printing-papers, that they are required for the special use of the Revenue Survey Department for securing the durability of lithographs of valuable maps, which in a majority of cases are 6' x 4'.

2nd.—With regard to the millboards, it will be noted that the sample alluded to was taken from stock supplied by the Home Authorities, and that glazed millboards of the same thickness as the sample will be suitable.

From the Superintendent of Stationery, to the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, Fort Saint George; dated Fort Saint George, 2nd June 1869, No. 158.

With reference to Proceedings of Madras Government, No. 642, of 18th May 1869, and in obedience to your docket, No. 1094, of 27th idem, I have the honour to state that printing-papers of the description alluded to therein were included in my General Indent on the Home Government upon the requisition of the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, who is the Controlling Officer with regard to the demands for the Stationery of his department, and is, according to Proceedings of Madras Government, No. 1577, dated 28th November 1861, "directly responsible for the accuracy and propriety of the various items of" his Indent.

2. He has informed me that "the descriptions of printing-paper hitherto supplied for lithographing valuable Survey Maps* have been found flimsy for their size, and not of sufficient

* 6 by 4 feet in majority of cases.

"body, as they became creased and torn by the least handling. In order to ensure the durability of the maps, printing-paper of increased weight has been considered necessary and estimated for accordingly. The sample millboard which accompanied the estimate was procured from the Government Lithographic Press, Department of Public Works, supplied to them some years ago by the Home Government. Glazed millboards of equal thickness to the sample will answer the purpose for which they are required."

No. 71. ORDER THEREON, 14th June 1869, No. 801.

A copy of this letter will be forwarded to the Secretary of State for India, with reference to his despatch of the 15th April last, No. 11.

(True Extract).

Chief Secretary.

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<i>Dated June, 14th</i>	
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<i>G. O., 14th June 1869, No. 801.</i>	

JUNE.
Nos. 70-71.

Ordering that the letter from the Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines, reporting the cause of the demand for certain printing-paper and millboards, be forwarded to the Secretary of State.

No. 70.

From

Colonel A. J. Cadell

Acting Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

To

The Chief Secretary to Government.

Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of Proceedings of Government, No. 642, dated 18th May 1869, communicating copy of a Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, No. 11 dated 15th April 1869, calling for information as to the necessity for the demand contained in Stationery Endent of this Presidency, No. 61 of 14 December 1868, for certain descriptions of Printing Paper and Mill boards.

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2nd With regard to the Mill Boards, it will be

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stock supplied by the Home authorities, and that
Glazed Mill Boards of the same thickness as
the sample will be suitable.

I have the honor to be

Your most obedient servant.

M. G. Burtell Colonel

Acting Inspector General of Ordnance
and Magazines.

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To
The Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines.

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thickness to the sample will answer the purpose for
which they are required."

Stationery Office,
Fort St. George,
2nd June 1869.

I have, &c.

/Signed/ R. Cadell
Supt. of Stationery.

True Copy

M. G. Burtell Colonel

Acting Inspector General of Ordnance
and Magazines.

Compd.

Court of 1869 Madras.

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Date: *16 June*

Recd.

G. O. 16 June 1869, No. *801*.

Nos. *70 & 71*.

Ordering that the letter from
the Chief Secy of Madras
reporting the cause of the
demand for certain timber
to the Civil Board, be
forwarded to the Secy of
State