

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,
20th May 1870.

No. 85. Read the following letter from the Acting Registrar of the High Court of Judicature at Madras, Appellate Side, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated Madras, 12th May 1870, No. 948:—

x Judicial. 6. I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter to the Chief Justice, dated 13th April 1870, forwarding copy of a Circular Memorandum addressed by the Supervisor of the Government Press to all Collectors and Judges, and requesting the High Court to order the discontinuance of the practice of having the printing work of the Civil Courts of Tranquebar executed at the Lutheran Mission Press.

2. In reply, I am instructed to state that the Order of Government, Judicial Department, dated 30th June 1858, No. 880, sanctioning the cost of certain printing executed for the Civil Court of Combaconum, was construed by the late Sudder Court as authorizing the Civil Judge of Tranquebar to have his printing work executed at the Lutheran Mission Press. He will now be ordered to discontinue that practice.

3. As regards the prevalence of similar arrangements elsewhere, I am to explain that certain forms, such as Calendars, Budget Estimates, and Quarterly Returns, are printed by Messrs. Graves, Cookson, and Co., and distributed to the Judges and Magistrates, and that other forms are, as a rule, printed at the several Collectorate Presses. A few instances have occurred in which the Collectorate Presses being unable to perform the work the printing has been executed at private presses, and the cost has been sanctioned by the High Court as a contingent charge. This, however, has always been an exceptional arrangement, and now that the Penitentiary Press is able to perform the work may be altogether discontinued.

4. The only item sanctioned by the High Court for printing executed at the Lutheran Mission Press for the Civil Judge of Tranquebar, during the past official year, amounts to Rupees 20-8-0; but it is possible that minor charges may have been incurred which did not require sanction.

No. 86. ORDER THEREON, 20th May 1870, No. 635.

To be recorded.

(True Extract.)

R. S. ELLIS,
Chief Secretary.

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From

W. Wigram, Esquire,
Acting Registrar of the
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at Madras.

To
The Honorable P. S. Ellis, C. B.,
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Acting Registrar,
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