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Government of Madras.

Public **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,

22nd May 1871,

No. 88. Read the following letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department (Public), to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort St. George, dated Simla, 5th May 1871, No. 2191:—

I am directed to forward to you a copy of the papers noted on the margin, and to request that, under the orders of His Excellency the Governor in Council, the necessary instructions may be issued for the future supply of Stationery to the Officer in charge of the Central Provinces and Vizagapatam Topographical Survey Party from the Stationery Office at Madras.

From Finl. Dept., No. 1824, dated 27th March 1871.
From Surveyor-General, No. 635, dated 15th April 1871.

From the Officiating Under Secretary to the Government of Bengal, to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India, Financial Department, dated Fort William, the 28th February 1871, No. 802.

I am directed to forward the accompanying copy of a letter* from the Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue, containing a representation from the Superintendent of Stationery relative to the unnecessary expenditure of money which is incurred in the transit from Calcutta of articles of Stationery for the District Superintendent in charge, No. 3, Topographical Party, Central Provinces and Vizagapatam Agency Survey, Ootacamund, and for certain Officers of the Bombay Presidency; and suggesting that these Officers may be allowed to draw their supplies, in future, from the Stationery Stores at Madras and Bombay, respectively. I am to recommend that the course suggested may be approved, and that the necessary instructions be issued to the respective Governments.

* No. 67-C, dated the 13th instant.

From the Officiating Junior Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Lower Provinces, to the Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Revenue Department, dated Fort William, the 13th February 1871, No. 67-C.

The Superintendent of Stationery recently took objection to the Deputy Superintendent in charge, No. 3, Topographical Party, C.P. and V. A. Survey, Ootacamund, obtaining his supplies of Stationery from his Office, on the score of an unnecessary expenditure of money on account of transit charges, since the articles indented for had to be despatched from Calcutta by steamer to Madras, and thence to be conveyed by some carrying agency to Ootacamund.

2. Mr. Rees at the same time solicited the Board's instruction as to whether the Deputy Superintendent's Annual Indent which had been received in his office should, under the above circumstances, be complied with from his store; and suggested that the Deputy Superintendent should obtain his supplies from the Stationery Office at Madras.

3. In reply, the Board directed the Superintendent to refer the matter to the Deputy Superintendent at Ootacamund, pointing out to him that he was unnecessarily incurring a heavy expenditure annually in obtaining his supplies of Stationery from Calcutta; and inquiring whether he had any objection to the proposal now suggested.

4. The Superintendent of Stationery has now informed the Board that the Deputy Superintendent in charge of the Topographical Party has intimated that he has no objection to the proposal to obtain his future supplies of Stationery from Madras.

5. The Superintendent has further informed the Board that several Officers similarly situated in the Bombay Presidency were addressed by him on the subject, and that those marginally named have acknowledged the expediency of drawing their supplies of Stationery from Bombay.

Executive Engineer, Secunderabad Division, at Bolaram.
Superintending Engineer, Hyderabad, Public Works Department, Bolaram.
Executive Engineer, East Berar Division, Omrawattee.
Executive Engineer, West Berar, Akhola.
Executive Engineer, Berar Irrigation, Akhola.
Assistant General Superintendent of Thuggee and Dacoity Department, Hyderabad, Deccan.

6. Under these circumstances, I am directed to solicit that, if His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor has no objection to the Superintendent's proposal, that the officers above named should draw their supplies in future from the Stationery Stores at Madras and Bombay respectively, the Supreme Government may be moved to issue the necessary instructions to these Governments at an early date.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Department,

22nd May 1871.

No. 1826, dated Fort William, the 27th March 1871.

Endorsed by the Financial Department.

Copy forwarded to the Home and Public Works Departments, with a request that, unless there be any objection, the suggestion of the Government of Bengal be carried out.

No. 1904, dated Fort William, the 6th April 1871.

Endorsed by the Home Department.

Forwarded to the Surveyor-General of India, with a request for report if he has any objection to the suggestion of the Bengal Government being carried out. Original papers to be returned.

From the Surveyor-General of India, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home Department, dated Calcutta, the 15th April 1871, No. 635.

I have the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your office docket, No. 1904, dated the 6th instant, and enclosures, and, in reply, to inform you that I have no objection whatever to the Officer in charge of the Vizagapatam and Central Provinces, Topographical Party, obtaining his supplies of Stationery in future from the Stationery Stores at Madras.

2. I return the original enclosures of your docket, as requested.

No. 89. ORDER THEREON, 22nd May 1871, No. 683.

The Superintendent of Stationery will be instructed to supply Colonel Saxton, the Officer in charge of the Survey Party referred to in the foregoing letter, with the Stationery which he may require in future.

(True Extract.)

Acting Chief Secretary.

To the Inspector-General of Ordnance and Magazines.

To Colonel G. H. Saxton, in charge of Central Provinces and

Vizagapatam Topographical Survey Party.

MAY.
Nos. 88-89.

Dated May, 22nd.
Recd.
G. O., 22nd May 1871, No. 683.
Encl.

To
THE INSPECTOR-GENERAL OF
ORDNANCE AND MAGAZINES.
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No 2191.

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From

J. Gough, Esquire
Under Secy to the Govt of India

- To -

The Secretary to the Government
of Madras
Sindia 5th May 1871.

Home Department Sir,
Public

I am directed to forward to
you a copy of the papers noted on the
Home Secy's Ltr. No 1826 of 27 March 1871 & margin, and to request
Home Secy's Ltr. No 635 of 15 April 1871 that under the orders
of His Excellency the Governor in Council
the necessary instructions may be issued
for the future supply of Stationery to the
Officers in charge of the Cochin Provinces
and Vizagapatam Topographical Survey
Party from the Stationery Office at
Madras.

I have the honor to be
Sir

Yours most obedt Servant

Public 1871 Department

Hon^{ble} the Under Secretary
to the Govt of India
Home Cell Building

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Dated 5th May 1871
Recd 13th May 1871

Enclosures with L.H.
of each enclosure.

Forwarded copies
of two sets of papers &
request that the future
supply of Stationery to
the officer in charge of
the Central Prison &
Magistrate's Magistrate's
Jury party may be
issued from the Stationery
Office at Madras

With the Order

22nd May 1871 No 683-4

The Superintendent of
Stationery will be instructed to inform
Col. Dutton the Officer in charge of the
Jury Party referred to in the foregoing
letter, with the Stationery which
may require in future.

J.B.

"The Stationery Office"
a printed form?

To the Major Genl. of U. S. Magistrate's
" Col. G. H. Dutton, in charge
of Central Prison & Magistrate's
Magistrate's Jury Party.

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