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From

R. Hill Esq.

No.

Dated 19. vii -93

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SUBJECT.

Requesting that his
Application for increase
of salary sent officially
maybe favourably
considered.

India was pleased to re-engage me and granted the increased pay which was confirmed by the Secretary of State. On the 20th August 1884^(c), I addressed Government again soliciting a second re-engagement which was agreed to. On Mrs. E. Keys, Superintendent, taking leave in March 1886, previous to retirement, the Govt. was pleased to appoint me as Superintendent^(d)

(c) G.O., 28th August 1884, No. 1894 Public.

(d) G.O., 23rd October 1886, No. 2245 Public.

3. The following are the grounds upon which I solicit an addition to my salary: (1) the extra work consequent upon the increased establishment I have to superintend; (2) the saving effected to Government by the steady development of ~~the~~ type foundry during the past six years; (3) the assistance given to the Stationery Office in arranging contracts for papers, &c. which, I believe, has tended to simplify the work of the Stationery Office besides effecting some saving to Government; (4) my salary is lower than any of the Superintendents of Govt. Printing in charge of establishments similar to the Govt. Press.

4. The following figures show the strength of the establishment under supervision on the 31st March 1875, 1880, 1886 and 1893:—

	1875*		1880		1886†		1893	
	Govt. Press	Penitentiary Branch Press	Govt. Press	Penitentiary Branch Press	Govt. Press	Penitentiary Branch Press	Govt. Press	Penitentiary Branch Press
Deputy Superintendent	1	-	1	-	1	-	1	-
Asst.	-	-	-	-	1*	-	1	-
Account Dept.	5	-	5	-	6	-	11	X
Store	5	1	5	1	5	1	4	1
Composing Depts.	320	11	334	20	388	19	498	X 3
Examining Dept.	39	1	50	1	70	1	77	1
Press & Machine Depts.	115	2	115	2	124	2	125	5
Binding Dept.	54	30	57	17	86	33	110	X 5
Type foundry	10	-	13	-	12	-	47	X
Peons and Servants	26	-	27	1	27	1	30	.3
	575	45	607	42	720	57	904	18
	620		649		777		922	
Penitentiary Beh. Press - Average daily number of prisoners }	96		130		155		169	
Total	716		779		932		1091	

* Six months after I joined the press.

† When I was appointed Superintendent.

‡ appointed in 1882 (Vide G.O., 28th Novr 1882, No. 1808 Financial).

From the above figures it will be seen that the number of employees has increased by 375 persons since I joined in October 1874, and has increased by 159 persons during the seven years I have been Superintendent.