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Bi-Monthly Return of Stores under provision by the Director-General of Stores for India up to 28th February 1873, for the Revenue Department.

Referred to in Financial Despatch to Madras, No. 1, *of* 9*th January* 1864.

INDIA OFFICE,

LONDON,

28*th March* 1873.

Henry W. Bedford
for Director-General of Stores.

N.B.—This Return includes all Stores under provision in England. Stores reported in this Return to be shipped will not be inserted in future Returns.

Date of Indent or other Authority.	No.	Sanctioned by Secretary of State.	Description of Articles.	Quantity.	Date of Contract.	Name of Supplier.	Probable Date of Despatch from England.	Remarks, *i.e.*, Causes of Delay, Names of Vessels engaged, when known, &c., &c.
		1871.			1871.			
— [3/25.]	—	10th Feb.	Thermometers sent home for repair	No. 11				
1871.	Rev. Survey Letter.							
18th Jan. [3/41.]	—	15th April	Steel, French, Ribbon, for making Pens.	Yards 3	-	-	-	A further description of these articles is requested as they do not appear to be made for sale in this country.
			Scissors, Curved, for Cutting and Shaping Steel Pens	No. 6				
			„ Fine, for Slitting Steel Pens	„ 6				
			For Blasting Operations in the Cauvery River.					
	Rev. Letter.	1872.						
25th April [3/44.]	3	1st June	Gun-cotton - - -	Cwt. 2	9th Aug.	Patent Safety Gun-cotton Co.	Uncertain.	
1872.	Rev. Letter.				1872.			
7th Mar. [3/65.]	1	6th April	Hydrometers, Beaumes - -	No. 88	1st May	L. Casella	July 1872 -	Shipped per *St. Lawrence*.
	Stamp Indt.		*For Courts of Justice.*					
26th Mar. [3/71.]	450	6th June	Stamps, Adhesive, 1 Anna - -	No. 1,200,000	25th June	De la Rue & Co.	By Dec. 1872	1,212,000 shipped per *S.S. Agra* (Sept. 1872) and *S.S. Agra* (Dec. 1872), and not per *Nourmahal*, as stated in last return.
			„ 8 „ - -	„ 2,000,000				2,064,000
			For Revenue Survey Department.					
9th April [3/79.]	Rev. Survey Indt.	18th July	Carmine - - - -	Cakes 12	4th Dec.	J. & H. Reeves	Feb. 1873 -	Shipped per *S.S. Dahlia*.
			Lake - - - -	„ 20				
			Paris Black - - -	lbs. 3				
			Beds, Elastic, 63 × 36 - -	No. 3	6th Nov.	Hughes & Kimber		
			„ „ 45 × 30 - -	„ 6				
			„ „ 33 × 24 - -	„ 3				
			Permanent White - - -	lbs. 5	4th Dec.	J. & H. Reeves		
			Burnt Sienna - -	„ 2				
			Indian Yellow - - -	„ 2				
			Levigator - - -	No. 1	6th Nov.	Hughes & Kimber		
			Gum Arabic - - -	lbs. 40	4th Dec.	J. & H. Reeves	Feb. 1873 -	Shipped per *S.S. Dahlia*.
			Shellac, Refined - - -	„ 9				
			Mastic „ - - -	„ 9				
			Oil, Linseed, Raw - - -	Gals. 9				
			Soap, Curd, Hard (Litho.) -	lbs. 15				
			Millboards, Glazed, Double Royal -	No. 50	6th Nov.	Hughes & Kimber		
			Cloth Mounting - - -	Yards 100				
			„ Long - - -	„ 600				
1872.	India P.O. Letter.				1873.			
5th Jan. [3/75.]	1	12th Sept.	Stamps, Bi-color Non-judicial, 1 Anna	No. 350,000	28th Feb.	De la Rue & Co.	May 1873.	
			„ „ „ 2 „	„ 1,660,000				
			„ „ „ 4 „	„ 1,150,000				
			„ „ „ 8 „	„ 1,000,000				
			„ „ „ 1 Rupee	„ 410,000				
			„ „ „ 2 „	„ 152,500	1872.			
			„ „ „ 4 „	„ 32,000	16th Sep.	De la Rue & Co.	May 1873.	
			„ „ „ 5 „	„ 18,000				
			„ „ „ 6 „	„ 8,000				
			„ „ „ 8 „	„ 13,000				
			„ „ „ 10 „	„ 8,000				
			„ „ „ 15 „	„ 4,000				
			„ „ „ 20 „	„ 2,250				
			„ „ „ *1,000* „	„ *30*	-	-	-	Vide India Financial Despatch No. 16 of 13th December 1872.
	Stamp Indt.							
22nd Aug. [3/86.]	222	21st Nov.	Stamps, Postage, ½ Anna - -	Sheets 40,000	26th Nov.	De la Rue & Co.	By instalments Feb. to April 1873.	30,000 shipped per *S.S. India* and *S.S. Yorkshire*.
			„ „ 4 „ - -	„ 2,000				2,000
			„ „ 8 „ - -	„ 600				600 shipped per *S.S. Dahlia*.

The dates of sailing of the vessels mentioned in this return are as follows:—

S.S. Agra - - 1st Sept. 1872.
S.S. Agra - - 7th Dec. 1872.
S.S. Dahlia - - 30th Feb. 1873.
S.S. Yorkshire - 30th May 1873.

Viâ Suez Canal.

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