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G.O. No.

B.P. No.

Press

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Dated

9-11-1875

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Not to be folded or roughly handled

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
9th November 1875.

No. 119. Read the following despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Financial,
No. 113.

INDIA OFFICE, LONDON,
23rd September 1875.

Sir,—With reference to my Financial despatch, dated 22nd July 1875, No. 94, stating that the Indent forwarded with Revenue letter, dated 4th May 1875, No. 12, would be complied with, I have your attention to an apparent error in the estimated price of two Lithographic presses included in the requisition in question.

2. The price of each of these presses estimated in the Indent at Rupees (320) three hundred and twenty, say, pounds thirty-two, whereas the actual cost will be pounds (£57-4-4) fifty-seven for shillings and four pence each.

3. I would, at the same time, draw attention to the fact that this sum (£57-4-4) was the price paid for similar presses supplied to the Madras Revenue Department on Indent No. — of the 20th January 1875 and which were duly invoiced to that department at that rate.

4. As the amount, which would have been paid for the Lithographic Presses, is so much in excess of the estimate, I have inform you that their supply will be suspended, pending the receipt of an explanation on the subject from your Government.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) SALISBURY.

To His Excellency the Honorable
The Governor in Council, Port St. George.

No. 120. ORDER THEREON, 6th November 1875, No. 1,608.

Miscellaneous.

Communicated to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, with reference to G.O., 24th August 1875, No. 1,271, for explanation on the point noticed by the Secretary of State.

(True copy.)

(Signed) L. A. CAMPBELL,
Under-Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.

Exd. F. R. Bantleman.

1608/2 India Office, London.
23rd September 1875.

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No. 113.

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2. The price of each of these Presses is estimated in the Indent at three hundred and twenty Rupees (Rs. 320) (say - thirty two pounds (£32) whereas the actual cost will be fifty seven pounds four shillings and four pence (£57.4.4) each -

3. I would at the same time draw attention to the fact, that, this sum (£57.4.4) was the price paid for similar presses supplied to the

His Excellency
The Honorable,
The Governor in Council,
Fort St. George.

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NOVEMBER.
Nos. 119-120.
Lithography Presses forwarded to the Survey Department - Commencing to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey, for explanation despatch from the Secretary of State, pointing out an error in the estimated price of the Presses.

GOVT. OF 1875
REVENUE.
SUPERINTENDENT OF
REVENUE SURVEY
India, November 1875

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I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient
humble servant

L. S. S. S.

No 2.

Financial
23rd September 1875

The
Letter to Fort George

No 113.

No 1608

Communicated to
the Supdt of Revenue
Survy - with reference to
L.O. 24 August 1875 No 1271
for explanation on the
point noticed by the
Secy. of State.

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9th Nov^r 1875

13 To the Supdt of Rev Survey Des. 100 Nos

Stating that the price of the
two Lithographic Presses indented
for by the Madras Gov^t is estimated
at 32 £ each; whereas the actual
cost will be 57 £. 4. 4. each;
& intimating that their supply
will be deferred pending the
receipt of an explanation on
the subject.

No 1608. 9th November 1875 -

With order

Recd. 17 Oct. 1875