

Revenue (189) Department

MISCELLANEOUS SERIES.

G.O., No. 80

DATED 7-Jan^y 98

[Despatch Abstract.]

Ratifying the acceptance of the offers Nos. 2, 3
4 made by Messrs. Dinny & Company for the purchase of
the Cloths...

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CURRENT No. 1117

Amended B.P. 1117
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From

The Board of Revenue
(Rev: Lett. L. R. & Agri)
Madras.



No. 10160 Mis

Dated 24th December 1897.

Received 20/12/97

Registered 28/12/97

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SUBJECT.

Accepting with remarks
certain offers for the
purchase of famine
cloths made by
Messrs Binny & Co.

For Orders

memos
The papers are now in circ.

2. The ~~proposed~~ suggestion in these
papers was that Govt should accept
prices not ~~less~~ ^{more} than 2 annas in the
rupee less than the retail rates. The
~~retail~~ prices now offered ~~at~~ for
items 1 to 4 are less than the retail
rates by $2\frac{2}{3}$ as, $2\frac{2}{7}$ as, $4\frac{4}{5}$ as and
 $3\frac{5}{7}$ as in the rupee. The Famine Comm
has accepted the offers.

RS
28-12-97

H. L.

Apparently the
action of the F. Comm. must
be ratified. Memo Binny & Co.
may now however refuse
to accept the general terms
which the Fd proposes in the
this current now with the F. C.

I don't remember this
28/12/97

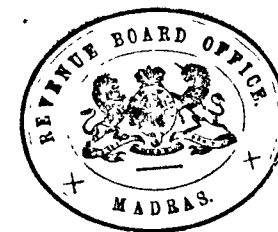
to dishonest persons

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture.)

Dated 24 December 1897.

No. 10160 Miscellaneous

W. J. H. Le Franc Esquire
(Revenue Commissioner)

the following:—

1. Letter from Messrs Binny and Co. dated 16th December 1897.

We have the honor to hand you the following offer received from our travelling agent and will be obliged if you will let us know whether price can be accepted or not. Price as usual less 5%

450 pieces 20" 6 yards putties at Rs 7 ea:

To be delivered to our agent, Bellary Railway Station.

Cost of above to be paid into collector's treasury at Bellary.

2. Letter from Messrs Binny & Co. dated

dated 17th December 1897.

We have the honor to hand you the following offers received from our up country agents and will be obliged if you will let us know whether the prices can be accepted. Prices as usual less 5%.

420 pieces 19' x 9' 6" pattaies @ Annas 10 each.

goods at Tadpatri to be delivered to our agent there. Cost less 5% will be paid into Tadpatri Collector's treasury.

This is all the stock of this quality in the depot there.

Our agent informs us that through the fall in the prices of yarn he considers this a good offer.

Ind G. 7 1B 500 pieces Turbans 6 cubits 9' x 9' @ Rs 12 per piece
" G. 8 1B 500 " " " " @ Rs 12 " "
" G. 9 1B 500 " " " " @ Rs 12 " "
" G. 11 1B 500 " " " " @ Rs 12 " "
" G. 12 1B 500 " " " " @ Rs 12 " "
" G. 14 1B 500 " " " " @ Rs 12 " "
" G. 13 1B 500 " " 5 cubits 8' x 8' @ Rs 7 " "
to be delivered to our agent at Bellary depot.

depot. Cost less 5% to be paid by our agent into Bellary or Tadpatri Collector's Treasury.

If you are prepared to accept the prices please send us delivery orders.

3. Letter from Messrs Binny & Co dated 20th December 1897:—

We have the honor to hand you the following offer received from our up country agent.

Ind G. 10 2 Packages each 500 { 500 Pcs of 4 shorts 9' x 3 1/2"
500 " of 4 " 9' x 3 1/2"

from Nandyal depot? } @ Rs 1-11.6 per piece. To
from Tadpatri } be delivered to our agents at Nandyal and Tadpatri. Cost less 5% to be paid into Collector's Treasuries at Nandyal & Tadpatri. We have deducted 6 pice from price we receive from dealer to cover rail charges as the goods are for Bellary. If you are prepared to accept please send us delivery orders.

Resolution

Resolution.

In the above letters, Messrs Binny & Co offer to purchase the following kinds of famine cloths:-

1. 420 pieces of Pattis (19' x 9' 6") at Rs 10 each, to be delivered at Tadpatri from Tadpatri depot.
2. 3000 pieces of Turbans (9' x 9') at Rs 12 each, to be delivered at Bellary from Tadpatri depot.
3. 500 pieces of Turbans (8' x 8') at Rs 7 each, to be delivered at Bellary from Tadpatri depot.
4. 500 pieces of 4 Shobies each (9' x 3' 6") at Rs 1.11.6 each piece to be delivered at Nandyal from Nandyal depot.
5. 500 pieces of 4 Shobies each (9' 7" x 3' 4 1/2") at Rs 1.11.6 each piece to be delivered at Tadpatri from Tadpatri depot.
6. 450 pieces of putties (20" x 6 1/2") at Rs 7 each.

The rates offered compare as below with the current retail prices quoted by the collectors:-

No.	Messrs Binny & Co's rates	Retail rates
	Rs a P	Rs a P
1	0 - 10 - 0	0 - 12 - 0
2	0 - 12 - 0	0 - 14 - 0
3	0 - 7 - 0	0 - 10 - 0
4	1 - 11 - 6	2 - 4 - 0

The price offered for the cloths of the last description is Rs 1-12-0 a piece but the firm deducts 8 pices to cover rail charges, as the offer is from Bellary. As regards items 5 & 6 the dimension quoted by Messrs Binny & Co do not agree with those given by the collectors and further enquiries will be made in respect of them. It must be observed that Messrs Binny & Co's rates are wholesale prices. In the case of item no 4. the Government recently accepted Messrs

Messrs Binny & Co's offer at
Rs. 1-14-0 and the retail rate
given is the one since reported
by the collector. The Famine
Commissioner considers that
Messrs Binny & Co's offers in
respect of items 1 to 4 are, in
view of the fall in the price
of yarn, as good as the Government
is likely to get, and therefore
accepts them. A copy of these
proceedings will be submitted
marked very urgent, to Government,
so that Government may have
an opportunity of expressing
its disapproval if necessary.
In that case it is requested
that it may be communicated
direct to Messrs Binny and Co
by telephone. The Famine
Commissioner, would, however,
urge the desirability of getting
these cloths off ~~the~~ hands of
Government

Government with the least possible
delay. The first loss will be the
last loss.

2. The collectors of Anantapur
and Kurnool will be requested
to arrange for the delivery of the
cloths to Messrs Binny and Co's
agents at the stations mentioned
above. The turbans of the
Tadpatri depot should be sent
to the Bellary depot to be delivered
there.

3. The following letter will
be despatched to Messrs Binny
and Co.

x x x x
/ True copies & extracts /

27/11/14
Famine Secretary.
To The Secretary to Government
Revenue Dept.

27/11/14
Copy to the collector of Bellary
" Accountant General.
with copies of delivery orders

To be substituted for Proceedings of the same No. & Date, Very Urgent

Revenue (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 11107

From

The Boardy Revenue
(Rev. Sett., L.R. & Agri.)
Madras.



No. 10160 Mis.

Order

Dated 24th December 1897.

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SUBJECT.

Accepting with remarks certain
offers for the purchase of
Lamin cloths made by
Messrs. Binny & Co.

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Proceedings of the Board of Revenue
(Revenue Settlement, Land Records and Agriculture),
Dated 24th December 1897.
No. 10160 miscellaneous.

READ. Letter from Messrs. Binny & Co., Madras,
intimating certain offers received from
the upcountry agent for the purchase
of famine cloths.

Resolution

In the above letters, Messrs.
Binny & Co. offer to purchase the
following kinds of famine cloths:-

1. 420 pieces of Pattais (19' x 9' 6") at as. 10 each
to be delivered at Taspatri from
Taspatri Depot.
2. 3000 pieces of Furbans (9' x 9') at as. 12
each to be delivered at Bellary from
Taspatri Depot.

3. 500 pieces of Turbans (8'x8') at Rs. 7 each to be delivered at Bellary from Tadpatri Depot.

4. 500 pieces of 4 Dhooties each (9'x3.5') at Rs 1-11.6 each piece to be delivered at Mandya from Mandya Depot.

5. 500 pieces of 4 Dhooties each (9'7"x3.4 1/2") at Rs 1.11.6 each piece to be delivered at Tadpatri from Tadpatri Depot.

6. 450 pieces of trousers (20"x6 yds) at Rs 7 each

The rates offered compare as below with the current retail prices quoted by the collector.

No.	Messrs Binny & Co's Rates	Retail Rates
	Rs. As. Ps.	Rs. As. Ps.
1	0 - 10 - 0	0 - 12 - 0
2	0 - 12 - 0	0 - 14 - 0
3	0 - 7 - 0	0 - 10 - 0
4	1 - 11 - 6	2 - 4 - 0

The price offered for the clothes of the last description is Rs 1.12.0 a piece but

but the Firm deducts six pice to cover rail charges, as the offer is from Bellary. As regards items 5 & 6, the dimensions quoted by Messrs Binny & Co. do not agree with those given by the collector and further inquiries will be made in respect of them. It must be observed

that Messrs Binny & Co's rates are wholesale prices. In the case of item No. 4, the Government recently accepted Messrs Binny & Co's offer at Rs 1.14.0 and the retail rate given is the one since reported by the collector. The Finance Commissioner considers that

Messrs Binny & Co's offers in respect
of items 2 & 4 are, in view of the
fall in the prices of yarn, as
good as the Government is likely
to get and therefore accept them.

What is the
idea 1? x
please
note there is a
better offer
RS
1,1-1-98
78 14

Orders will ^{issue} separately regarding
item no. 1. A copy of these Proceedings
will be submitted, marked very
urgent, to Government, so that
Government may have an opportunity
of expressing its disapproval
if necessary. In that case it is
requested that it may be
communicated direct to Messrs.
Binny & Co by telephone. The

Famine

Famine Commissioners would, however,
urge the desirability of getting these
cloths off the hands of Government
with the least possible delay. The
first loss will be the last loss.

2

The Collectors of Anantapur
and Ruvinal will be requested
to arrange for the delivery of the
cloths to Messrs Binny & Co's Agents
at the stations mentioned ^{above}. The
Aurbans of the Tadpatri depot
should be sent to the Bellary
depot to be delivered there.

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The following letter will
be

the despatches to Messrs. Binny & Co.

(True Extract)

Broken
3/14
Famine Secretary

To

The Secretary to Government (Rev. Secy)
Collectors of Arrah & Kurnool
with copies of delivery orders.
Copy to the Collector of Bellary
Accountant General

Ex. No.
20.12.97.

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PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read C. 82 11107.

C.O. min No 80 d/7th Jan^y 1898

the acceptance of the
offers nos 2, 3, and 4 list
ratified

[Signature]
6/1/98

rs
4-1-98

NOTE FOR THE Secretary

The St. M. has already
passed orders on the point.
Please see his first remark
opposite W.S.'s note on
the first copy of R.P. 10160
24-12-97

rs
7-1-98

all right

the Board (Sett.) } Dec^r
9/1/98.

In a separate nos^s under
issue we have asked the
Bd to consider report on
the ^{general} question of accepting
offers less than of prices
which are 2as in the
hufee less than the
retail rates.

The offers above may
however may mean that
be confirmed.

[Signature]

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READ AGAIN C.O., No. _____, DATED _____
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CURRENT No. 3

ENCLOSURES TO C. No.

ORDER OF GOVERNMENT

LETTER OF GOVERNMENT.

STATEMENT WITH DITTO.

PAPERS NOT FILLED UP, BEING WANT FOR DESTATCH
IN ORIGINAL.

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