

Revenue (1899) Department.

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G.O., No. 1798

DATED 18th May 99

[Despatch Abstract.]

communicating to the Heads of Departments with
remark of C. Financial Dept. passing order on certain
proposals of the Supdt. of Stationery for the disposal of
the surplus stock of Stationery articles on hand to the Govt.
Value of about Rs 29,000 and addressing the Govt. of India
regarding the sale of a portion of them by public auction.

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G.O. No. 563, 2nd May 1899.

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Communicated to
the Head of Depts under the
Revenue Secretariat.

2 The attention of
the Supt, Madras Survey, will
be specially drawn to para 4
of the letter from the ac. Supt
of Stationery, Dis no 920 of 18th May '99.

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Stationery. To the Head of Depts under
the Revenue Secretariat.

Passing orders on certain proposals of the Superintendent of Stationery for the disposal of
the surplus stock of — articles on hand to the book value of about Rs 29,000, and addressing the
Government of India regarding the sale of a portion of them by public auction.

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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

READ—again the following papers :—

G.O., No. 130, Financial, dated 12th February 1898.

ABSTRACT.—Communicating, with remarks, to the Superintendent of Stationery resolution of the Government of India reviewing the reports on the administration of the Stationery departments in Madras, Bombay and Bengal for the year 1896-97.

G.O., Nos. 892—897, Financial, dated 18th October 1898.

ABSTRACT.—Reviewing the Administration Report of the Stationery department for 1897-1898; and forwarding copies of the proceedings to the Governments of Bombay and India, to the Superintendents of Stationery of Bombay and Calcutta, to the Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Bengal.

G.O., Nos. 972, 973, Financial, dated 31st October 1898.

ABSTRACT.—Passing orders on the report from the Superintendent of Stationery on the measures taken by him for reducing the large stock of stationery stores on hand. Copy to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department.

G.O., Nos. 1203, 1204, Financial, dated 10th December 1898.

ABSTRACT.—Recording, pending the receipt of a further report, letter from the Superintendent of Stationery regarding the steps taken by him for reducing the large stock of stationery stores on hand. Copy to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department.

READ—also the following papers :—

From H. BRADLEY, Esq., I.C.S., Acting Superintendent of Stationery, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 15th March 1899, No. 1561.

In continuation of previous correspondence on the subject, and with reference to paragraph 3 of my letter, No. 3595, dated

The Agent, South Indian Railway Company.
President, District Board, Madura.
Superintendent, Reformatory School, Chingleput.
Superintendent, Presidency Training School for Mistresses, Madras.
Superintendent of Stationery, Madras.
Head Master, Government Training School, Kurnool.
Head Master, Government Training School, Rayachoti.
President, District Board, Calicut.
Chairman, Municipal Council, Ootacamund.

1st December 1898, I have the honour to report that indents for the supply of surplus articles and books have been received from the marginally-noted officers only. They have been duly complied with. Most of the officials and private parties to whom lists of the surplus articles were forwarded have replied that they do not require any of them. As I do not see any other way of disposing of the balance on hand, I request that Government will be pleased to permit me to send them before

the end of the current official year to the Government Auctioneer for disposal. Quills are not included—separate action is being taken in regard to them.

2. I would solicit early orders to enable me to relieve my books of the stores before the 31st instant.

Telephonic message from the Chief Secretary to Government, to the Superintendent of Stationery, Madras, dated 16th March 1899.

Reference your letter, No. 1561, dated 15th instant. Please state the book value of the articles you propose to sell by auction.

Telephonic message from the Superintendent of Stationery, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 18th March 1899.

Your telephonic message of 17th. The book value of articles proposed to be sold by auction amounts to about Rs. 29,000.

Telegram from the Chief Secretary to Government of Madras, to the Secretary to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, dated 20th March 1899.

146. Reference correspondence ending my endorsement 1204, Financial, 10th December last. Superintendent, Stationery, has reduced surplus stock as far as possible but most officials and private parties to whom lists sent have intimated they do not require articles. Book value articles on hand is about Rupees twenty-nine thousand. Do you see any objection to sale articles by public auction. Quills not included this proposal.

Telegram from the Secretary to the Government of India, Finance and Commerce Department, to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras, dated Calcutta, 28th March 1899.

Your telegram 146, 20th instant. Cannot surplus stationery stock be disposed of by reducing annual indents on England?

From H. BRADLEY, Esq., I.C.S., Acting Superintendent of Stationery, to the Chief Secretary to Government, dated Madras, 18th April 1899, Dis. No. 920.

In returning herewith the papers referred to me under No. 909, dated 29th ultimo, for remarks, I have the honour to submit three statements marked A, B and C showing the descriptions, quantities and values of surplus articles now available in store.

2. Statement A includes school books and materials of the book value of Rupees 5,367-7-7. They have become obsolete and are not required for issue to the British Army schools in this Presidency. I see no prospect of ever being able to utilise them.

3. Statement B includes articles which have become quite unfit for issue through age. Their book value is Rs. 2,144-5-10. They can never be utilised and it only remains to dispose of them by auction for what they will fetch.

4. List C includes articles which are fit for issue, valued at Rs. 29,163-8-5. These were treated as "Surplus" as they are in excess of requirements for issue to officers, owing to the falling off in the demands for them. None of them has been included in the home indent for the past five years. They are mostly used by the Public Works and Survey Departments. As the value of these articles is considerable I think they might be kept for a year or two for issue to such officers as may indent for them or for similar articles. I would ask that the two departments named may be instructed to make use of the articles whenever possible.

5. I have included in list C, 500 reams of Paper Writing Demy, M.M.B. Ltd., $20 \times 15\frac{1}{4}$, 24 lb., valued at Rs. 9,664, which was not recommended for sale on account of the Government watermark on it. This paper has become surplus stock owing to the country-made demy azure laid, and yellow wove papers having taken its place. It may therefore be issued to officers in lieu of the latter papers until the stock is exhausted. I will arrange for this to be done.

ENCLOSURES.

A.

LIST of School books, &c., which are surplus in stock or for which there are no demands.

Names of school books and materials.		Rate.	Quantity on hand.	Total value.
		RS. A. P.		RS. A. P.
1.	Box of letters, No. 4 alphabet, double sets on cards Boxes.	3 2 6	15	47 5 6
2.	National Society's coloured prints of animals, 18 sheets on 9 boards Sets.	0 6 7	3	1 3 9
3.	McLeod's reading sheets 1 to 30 (15 boards)	7 3 3	4-5	31 3 5
4.	Unger's Short Cut to Reading, 1st lesson sheets, Part I-A	0 4 9	174	51 10 6
5.	Do. do. do. II-B	0 4 9	188	55 13 0
6.	Do. do. do. III-C	0 4 9	192	57 0 0
7.	Do. do. do. IV-D	0 4 9	193	57 4 9
8.	Do. do. do. V-E	0 4 9	180	53 7 0
9.	Ball frame 20" X 18"	3 7 7	9	34 4 3
10.	Simple Truths	0 3 11	113	27 10 9
11.	New Code Historical reading books, Standard 2, Part I	0 7 4	280	128 5 4
12.	Do. do. 3, II	0 9 9	289	176 1 9
13.	Do. do. 4, III	0 12 2	333	253 3 6
14.	Do. do. 5, IV	1 0 2	356	359 11 4
15.	Do. do. 6, V	1 0 2	354	357 11 0
16.	Supplemental reading books—A series of studies or pictures	1 3 6	393	478 15 6
17.	McLeod's Explanatory Grammar	0 7 4	188	86 2 8
18.	Girls' School Series, Whitehall, English Grammar and Repetition, standard 2	0 1 7	525	51 15 3
19.	Do. do. 3	0 2 5	508	76 11 8
20.	Do. do. 4	0 3 3	532	108 1 0
21.	Do. do. 5	0 3 3	585	118 13 3
22.	Do. do. 6 & 7	0 3 3	570	115 12 6
23.	Curtis' Manual of Analysis of Sentences	0 3 7	318	71 3 6
24.	Collins' School Series—The Formation of Words	0 1 7	561	55 8 3
25.	Cox's British Rule in India	0 14 5	493	444 3 5
26.	Nelson's Royal History of England	1 8 4	106	161 3 4
27.	Girls' Oxford and Cambridge Arithmetic with Answers	0 14 7	105	95 11 3
28.	Nelson's Royal Mental Arithmetic	0 9 9	193	117 9 9
29.	Currie's Principles of Infant school education	2 6 11	26	63 3 10
30.	Gladman's School Method	1 2 1	58	65 8 10
31.	Hallah's "Time and Time" in Elementary School	1 5 7	28	38 12 4
32.	Do. Exercises and Figures to the above, Part I	0 4 11	7	2 2 5
33.	Do. do. do. II	0 3 10	8	1 14 8
34.	Do. School song books, Part I	0 4 4	12	3 4 0
35.	Do. do. do. II	0 3 11	9	2 3 3
36.	Do. Infant school songs	0 5 1	14	4 7 2
37.	Dr. Calcott's Grammar of Music	1 5 7	26	35 1 2
38.	Church Catechism broken into short questions No. 70	0 0 9	100	4 11 0
39.	First Steps to the Catechism No. 430	0 0 4	120	2 8 0
40.	Broken or Short Catechism on Collet's No. 489	0 2 0	100	12 8 0
41.	Elementary Questions No. 594	0 0 6	70	2 3 0
42.	Miracles No. 290	0 0 5	69	1 12 9
43.	Parables No. 289	0 0 4	70	1 7 4
44.	Forbes' Hindustani Grammar	6 6 2	39	249 0 6
45.	Vere Foster's copy books No. 4, large and half te t	0 1 5	314	27 12 10
46.	Do. do. 11	0 1 5	274	24 4 2
47.	Do. Printing	0 4 10	37	11 2 10
48.	Do. Ornamental	0 4 10	38	11 7 8
49.	Conventional Signs and Terms used in Military Topography	0 2 2	110	14 14 4
50.	Clark's Specimens of copying manuscript	0 14 6	34	76 2 0
51.	Gale and Polden's Physical Training without arms made easy	0 10 2	28	19 1 0
52.	Paulbert's First Year of Scientific Knowledge	1 8 4	48	88 3 4
53.	Plain Knitting and mending	0 4 4	25	6 12 4
54.	Plain needle-work	0 4 4	24	6 8 0
55.	Singleton's Appropriate and Varied Occupations	11 13 2	66	780 5 0
56.	Wools and how to use them	0 8 8	42	22 12 0
57.	Scripture picture in oil, 18 sheets on 18 boards	1 15 5	16	31 6 8
58.	Elliot's Commentary "Acts of Apostles"	2 2 1	28	59 10 4
59.	Longman's memory maps	0 0 4	1,073	22 5 8
Total ..		..	..	5,367 7 7

B.—List of articles which have become quite unfit for issue through age.

B.—List of articles which have become quite un- der the name of the				Quantity.	Rate.	Value.
Description of articles.						
Paper, writing foolscap, M.M.B. Ld., 15lb.	..	..	..	4 17 23	Rs. A. P. 6 5 10	Rs. A. P. 31 2 9
" King's arm, H.M.	..	..	..	2 19 0	12 1 1	35 9 7
" " M.M.	..	..	..	1 14 12	3 13 1	6 9 4
" Quarto Post, H.M.	..	..	..	0 3 0	11 8 1	1 11 8
" " M.M.	..	..	..	2 15 12	4 0 0	11 1 7
Paper section, assorted ..	..	..	..	0 12 0	4 1 11	49 7 0
" Foolscap, 1/5" scale	..	..	..	3 14 15	per qr. 2 1 6	156 3 11
" Imperial, 1/24" scale lithograph	..	..	..	0 1 17	per qr. 14 1 9	24 1 7
" Medium, 1/5" "	..	..	..	0 0 14	per qr. 1 13 7	1 1 3
" " 1/10" "	..	..	..	1 11 7	per qr. 1 15 1	60 12 8
" " 1/20" "	..	..	..	2 5 17	per qr. 2 2 2	97 9 8
" " 1/20" for rise and fall of rivers	..	..	..	2 5 0	per qr. 2 15 11	134 12 3
Paper section, medium, 1/20" for rise and fall of rivers	..	..	..	0 0 9	per qr. 2 14 4	1 1 5
" " 1/50" scale	..	..	..	2 16 13	per qr. 1 12 7	101 0 2
" " 1/100" "	..	..	..	1 10 19	per qr. 1 15 11	61 6 9
" " 1/200" "	..	..	..	0 8 4	per qr. 13 12 6 1/2	112 9 3
" " 1/30" mounted on Brown Holland for rise and fall of rivers.	..	..	..	0 10 6	per qr. 2 12 7	28 9 0
" " Royal 1/4" scale	..	..	..	0 3 10	per qr. 2 6 7	8 3 10
" " 1/5" "	..	..	..	0 8 0	per qr. 6 0 2	48 1 4
" " 1/12" "	..	..	..	0 0 13	per qr. 6 12 2	3 10 7
" " 1/16" "	..	..	..	1 6 23	per qr. 2 14 7	78 7 10
Paper section, Royal, 1/20" scale	..	..	..	0 3 9	per qr. 7 2 5	24 2 3
" " 1/20" for rise and fall of rivers	..	..	..	0 2 0	per qr. 3 6 3	6 12 6
" " 1/200" "	..	..	..	4 17 8	per qr. 1 4 9	126 3 3
" Demy, 1/5" scale	..	..	..	0 13 0	per qr. 1 2 9	15 3 9
" " 1/10" "	..	..	..	2 3 3	per qr. 1 13 2	78 9 10
" " 1/20" "	..	..	..	0 1 5	per qr. 2 6 7	2 14 7
" " 1/100" scale	..	..	..	0 0 18	per qr. 3 4 5	2 7 4
" " 1/200" "	..	..	..	7 0 0	per qr. 7 15 6	55 12 6
Paper, blotting	..	..	..	17 19 22	1 15 0	34 13 10
Paper, badami foolscap, 12 lb.	..	..	..	7 lb.	5 1 2	35 8 2
Copyable printing ink, black	..	..	..	11 lb.	5 1 2	55 12 10
" " red	..	..	..	6 lb.	2 2 6	12 15 0
Ink, tinting transparent, in 1 lb. jars	..	..	..	6 lb.	2 10 2	15 13 0
Fine ink colours, bright green	..	..	..	6 lb.	0 15 4	5 12 0
" burnt sienna	..	..	..	6 lb.	1 1 10	6 11 0
" chrome yellow	..	..	..	2 lb.	23 0 6	46 1 0
" scarlet lake	..	..	..	6 lb.	3 1 11	18 11 6
" vermillion	..	..	..	22	0 7 8	10 8 8
Colour box, society of arts	..	..	..	No. 40	10 11 0	427 8 0
" in tin cases containing 12 moist colours and brushes	..	..	..	48—9	11 0 7	44 13 4
Perry's carbon slates, 7" X 4 1/2"	..	..	..	99	0 4 0	24 12 0
Army Form E	..	..	..	2 qrs. 1	1 0 1	1 0 1
Leather bound book, medium	..	..	..	77	0 7 11	38 1 7
Note books, small, for traversing	..	..	..			2,144 5 10
Total ..	..	..	..			

C.—List of surplus articles which are fit for issue.

Description of articles.	Quantity.	Rate.	Value.
Paper, writing demy, M.M. blue laid, 20" × 15½" 24 lb.	500 14 20	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
" " cartridge 15 lb.	250 4 17	19 4 10	9,664 10 2
" Cyclostyle stencil paper, octavo	20 4 20	3 12 9	951 1 8
Stencil paper for typograph, foolscap	34 13 0	20 10 8	419 8 0
" " quarto	5 0 0	71 13 9	2,489 14 8
" " octavo	10 3 0	28 14 11	144 10 7
Paper, drawing cartridge, in rolls of 100 yards	10,464 0 0	16 8 6	167 12 8
" " columbian Rms.	0 0 18	51 14 9	5,433 2 2
" " country mounted on cloth 60" yards.	642 2 3	per roll.	
" " continuous paper	263 2 3	135 4 1	5 1 2
" " long elephant	5,843 0 0	58 2 5	1,082 11 8
" Albuminized	0 15 0	per roll of 100'	
" Revis plain or unalbuminized	2 10 0	63 0 10	160 15 11
Ferro prussiate paper Rolls.	114	per roll of 103 yds.	
" gallic paper	120½	1 14 0	912 15 6
Paper, white cartridge, 68 lb.	29 8 21	per roll of 12 yds.	
" coloured demy blue, 15 lb.	10 18 23	168 13 7	126 10 2
" " yellow, 15 lb.	285 19 22	61 15 8	154 15 2
" " pink, 15 lb.	0 18 23	7 5 5	836 9 6
" " yellow, 14 lb.	0 9 23	15 7 6	1,863 15 9
" " green, 15 lb.	30 0 0	13 13 0	406 10 10
" " imperial pink, 28 lb.	38 11 23	2 9 11	28 10 10
" " buff, 28 lb.	24 4 4	2 2 6	616 10 10
" medium pink, 14 lb.	9 10 17	3 4 8	3 2 0
" printing double royal, 30 lb.	45 10 23	5 6 8	2 11 2
Leads for pentagraph doz.	172-11	2 15 6	89 1 0
Press blanketing, blue yards.	74 0 6	5 9 1	214 14 5
Card board for printing scales doz.	19-4	4 1 4	134 12 7
" message, 7½" × 3½" in packs 50	136-47	5 5 0	38 14 11
" large, 5½" × 3½" in packs 50	907-49	5 5 0	241 15 7
" small, 4½" × 3" in packs 50	567-47	0 12 9	137 12 8
Knives, folding doz.	113-1	8 8 8	633 8 1
Spare colours, chrome yellow	221	0 2 2	2 8 9
" venetian red	4	per doz.	
Drawing pencils, metallic, bone handled doz.	102-3	17 9 10	24 1 11
Patent glass plates, 10½" × 8"	600	per 100 packs.	
Red sealing-wax, Europe lb.	509-1½	13 1 8	118 15 9
Colours, spare, orange pure	280	10 9 0	59 15 8
" " sepia warm	89	6 0 1	679 1 5
		0 10 8	147 5 4
		0 4 7	1 2 4
		0 15 10	101 2 11
		0 9 11	371 14 0
		1 2 6	588 9 11
		0 4 6	78 12 0
		0 4 9	26 6 9
Total			29,163 8 5

ORDER—No. 563, Financial, dated 2nd May 1899.

The Government of India will be requested to state whether there is any objection to the sale of the articles enumerated in statements A and B appended to the letter from the Superintendent of Stationery, Dis. No. 920, dated the 18th April 1899.

2. The Government approves of the proposal of the Superintendent of Stationery that the articles mentioned in list C may be kept for a year or two for issue to such officers as may indent for them or for similar articles. Further orders on paragraph 4 of the Superintendent's letter will issue in the Public Works and Revenue Departments.

3. The proposal in paragraph 5 of the Superintendent's letter is approved. Every endeavour should be made to substitute articles mentioned in list C for similar articles now issued.

[Here enter letter No. 564, Financial, dated 2nd May 1899.]

(True Extract.)

A. C. G. S. S.
for Chief Secretary.

To the Superintendent of Stationery.
" Public Works Department.
" Revenue Department. ✓

Exd. P. Seetharam.

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