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COMMISSARIAT NOTICES.

No. 23.

VALUATION STATEMENT of Stores in Godowns at Kurrachee, Hyderabad, and Sukkur on the 1st January 1861.

Probable Annual Consumption.	Names of Articles.	Quantity.	Rate.	Per	Total.
	<i>Kurrachee.</i>				
		Gals. drs.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
12,000 galls.	Arrack, proof	12,926 25 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 2 10	Gallon.	28,142 5 8
8,900 "	Rum, do.	7,185 14	2 2 10	"	15,643 1 8
42 No.	Beer in hogsheads	45 No.	80 8 0	Hhd.	3,622 8 0
850 dozen.	Do. in quart bottles	250 doz.	4 6 10	Dozen.	1,106 12 4
650 "	Do. in pint do.	178 8	2 12 0	"	491 5 4
3,280 No.	Porter in hogsheads	2,381 No.	39 0 0	Hhd.	92,859 0 0
500 dozen.	Do. in quart bottles	70 10	3 4 0	Dozen.	230 3 4
380 "	Do. in pint do.	169 2	2 4 0	"	380 10 0
26,900 lbs.	Biscuit	6,118 lbs. 8 oz.	11 12 10	100 lbs.	722 1 9
40 tierces.	Beef, salted	14 tierces.	83 13 10	Tierce.	1,174 1 8
"	Do. broached	263 lbs. 8 oz.	83 13 10	336 lbs.	65 12 3
6,000 lbs.	Coffee	13 oz.	6 12 7	28 "	0 3 2
5,000 "	Gram, parched	2,140 lbs.	0 15 4	20 "	102 8 8
35 tierces.	Pork, salted	19 tierces.	84 14 11	Tierce.	1,613 11 5
"	Do. broached	367 lbs. 8 oz.	84 14 11	318 lbs.	98 2 5
300 lbs.	Pepper, black	35 " 12 "	0 15 1	5 "	7 0 0
3,75,000 "	Rice, 1st sort	330 lbs.	0 12 3	14 "	18 0 9
1,75,000 "	Sugar, 2nd sort	2,906 14	3 11 2	28 "	383 14 6
30,000 "	Ten, black, 1st sort	999 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 11 10	lb.	739 1 5
5,000 "	Do. do. 2nd do.	0 7 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 8 11	"	0 4 5
15,000 "	Do. green, 1st do.	656 5 $\frac{1}{2}$	0 14 1	"	577 11 9
800 "	Arrowroot	9 8	0 10 10	4 lbs.	1 9 8
"	Beef, boiled, in 1 lb. tin	61 No.	0 7 0	lb.	26 11 0
"	Concentrated gravy in $\frac{1}{2}$ pint tin	417 "	0 3 0	Tin.	78 3 0
80 lbs.	Ginger, dry	5 lbs. 2 oz.	0 15 8	8 lbs.	0 10 0
"	Mutton, boiled, in 1 lb. tin	26 No.	0 7 8	lb.	12 7 4
290 dozen.	Port-wine	dozens. bottles. 211 10	16 8 0	Dozen.	3,495 4 0
"	Preserved milk in $\frac{1}{2}$ pint tin ..	34 No.	0 10 0	Tin.	21 4 0
65 dozen.	Sherry-wine	dozens. bottles. 76 2	15 8 0	Dozen.	1,180 9 4
"	Soup and bouillie	618 lbs.	0 12 0	lb.	463 8 0
	<i>Hyderabad.</i>				
		Gals. drs.			
2,740 galls.	Arrack, proof	3,760 14 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 2 10	Gallon.	8,186 10 4
498 No.	Porter, in hogsheads	413 No.	39 0 0	Hhd.	16,107 0 0
60 dozen.	Do. in quart bottles	25 8	3 4 0	Dozen.	83 6 8
80 "	Do. in pint do.	28 2	2 4 0	"	63 6 0
"	Beer in hogsheads	1 No.	80 8 0	Hhd.	80 8 0
60 "	Do. in quart bottles	dozens. bottles. 254 7	4 6 10	Dozen.	1,127 1 0
80 "	Do. in pint do.	232 2	2 3 5	"	513 14 7
"	Gin, Holland, in quart bottles ..	1 8	10 8 0	"	17 8 0
50 dozens.	Port-wine do.	94 4	17 0 0	"	1,603 10 8
12 "	Sherry-wine do.	50 11	17 0 0	"	865 9 4
12 tierces.	Beef, salt	12 tierces.	77 7 8	Tierce.	929 12 0
"	Do. broached	316 $\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.	77 7 8	336 lbs.	72 15 9
"	Pork, salt	9 tierces.	83 11 8	Tierce.	753 9 0
"	Do. broached	8 lbs.	83 11 8	318 lbs.	2 1 8
	<i>Sukkur.</i>				
		Gals. drs.			
278 galls.	Arrack, proof	187 33	2 2 10	Gallon.	408 14 7
40 lbs.	Arrowroot	19 lbs. 8 oz.	3 6 6	28 lbs.	2 6 0
400 dozen.	Beer in quart bottles	298 10	5 6 9	Dozen.	1,620 3 9
100 "	Do. in pint do.	50 0	3 2 3	"	157 0 6
24 "	Port-wine in quart bottles	15 3	19 8 10	"	298 2 8
1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	Sherry-wine do. do.	12 5	19 8 10	"	242 12 4
Total. Rs.					1,86,395 3 8

Kurrachee, Commissariat Office,
1st January 1861.A. W. LUCAS, Major,
Acting Assistant Commissary General, S. D.

GENERAL STATEMENT of Victualling and Hospital Stores in Godowns at Kurrachee, Hyderabad, and Sukkur on the 1st January 1861.

STATIONS.	Arrack, proof.		Rum, proof.		Porter in hlds.	Beer in hlds.	Beer in quarts.		Beer in pints.	Porter in quarts.		Porter in pints.	Biscuits.		Beef, salted.		Coffee.		Gram, parched.		Pork, salted.		Pepper, black.	
	Gals.	Drs.	Gals.	Drs.	No.	No.	Dozs.	Btles.	Dozs.	Btles.	Dozs.	Btles.	lbs.	oz.	Tierces	lbs.	lbs.	oz.	lbs.	oz.	Tierces	lbs.	lbs.	oz.
KURRACHEE	12,926	25 ⁸ ₁₇	7,185	14	2,381	45	250	0	178	8	70	10	6,118	8	14	263 ¹ ₂	0	13	2,140	0	19	367 ¹ ₂	35	12
HYDRABAD	3,760	14 ²⁴ ₂₄	..	..	413	1	254	7	232	12	25	8	..	..	12	316 ¹ ₂	..	..	..	..	9	8	..	..
SUKKUR	187	33 ¹⁴ ₂₄	..	..	..	..	298	10	50	0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total....	16,874	33 ⁷ ₃₅	7,185	14	2,794	46	803	5	460	10	96	6	6,118	8	26	580	0	13	2,140	0	28	375 ¹ ₂	35	12

STATIONS.	Rice, 1st sort.		Sugar, 2nd sort.		Tea, black, 1st sort.		Tea, black, 2nd sort.		Tea, green, 1st sort.		Arrowroot.		Beef, boiled, in 1 lb. tins.		Concentrated gravy in 4 pint tins.		Ginger, dry.		Mutton, boiled, in 1 lb. tins.		Port-wine.		Preserved milk, in 4 pint tins.		Sherry-wine.		Soap and Bonilli.		Gin, Holland.	
	lbs.	oz.	lbs.	oz.	lbs.	oz.	lbs.	oz.	lbs.	oz.	lbs.	oz.	No.	No.	No.	No.	lbs.	oz.	No.	Dozs.	Btles.	No.	Dozs.	Btles.	lbs.	Dozs.	Btles.	lbs.	Dozs.	Btles.
KURRACHEE	330	0	2,906	14	999	5 ⁷ ₂₁	0	7 ¹⁸ ₂₁	656	5 ¹⁸ ₂₁	9	8	61	417	..	5	2	26	211	10	34	76	2	618	..	1	..	..	..	..
HYDRABAD	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	94	4	..	50	11	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
SUKKUR	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	19	8	..	..	..	..	..	..	55	3	..	12	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total....	330	0	2,906	14	999	5 ⁷ ₂₁	0	7 ¹⁸ ₂₁	656	5 ¹⁸ ₂₁	29	0	61	417	..	5	2	26	321	5	34	139	6	618	1	8	..	..	..	..

A. W. LUCAS, Major,
Acting Assistant Commissary General, S. D.

Kurrachee, Commissariat Office, 1st January 1861.

No. 260 of 1860.

STATEMENT of the Rates at which the undermentioned Articles were obtained by Contract or Purchase, during the Month of November 1860.

Articles.	Number or Quantity.	Rate by Contract.	Rate by Purchase.	Per	Total Cost.
<i>Victualling Supplies.</i>					
	lbs. oz.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
Biscuit, 1st sort	260 0	0 11 2	....	4 lbs.	45 5 10
Bread, fine, 1st sort	67,526 8	0 13 11	....	8½ "	7,119 4 4
Beef, do.	43,254 4	0 14 9	....	10 "	3,997 1 5
Rice, cleaned, 1st sort	32,090 0	0 12 3	....	14 "	1,754 14 9
Salt, 2nd sort	5,432 6	0 12 3	....	220 "	12 15 11
Sugar, do.	10,339 4½	0 10 11	....	6 "	1,175 12 6
Tea, black, 1st sort	1,808 2½	0 10 11	....	lb.	1,233 11 3
Do. green do.	904 1½	1 0 4	....	"	922 14 10
Do. black, 2nd sort	89 9½	0 8 2	....	"	45 12 0
Do. green, do.	38 13½	0 10 11	....	"	26 8 2
Wood, fire	2,21,492 0	0 12 3	....	200 lbs.	847 14 4
Mutton, 1st sort	22,717 12	0 14 9	....	8 "	2,617 13 10
Potatoes, round	43,547 8	0 1 1	....	lb.	2,948 8 5
Vegetables, mixed	40,212 4	0 0 5	....	"	1,047 3 1
<i>Supplies to Hospital and Medical Department.</i>					
	lbs. oz.				
Arrowroot	119 12	0 10 10	....	4 lbs.	20 4 3
Barley, Europe, 1st sort	172 13	0 6 9	....	lb.	72 14 5
Beef, 1st sort	286 2	0 14 9	....	10 lbs.	26 6 0
Bread, fine, 1st sort	4,731 8	0 13 11	....	8½ "	498 13 5
Bajree	15 0	....	1 0 0	40 "	0 6 0
Butter, cow	169 4	0 15 8	....	2½ lbs.	66 4 7
Chickens, usual size	740 No.	0 2 11	....	Each.	134 14 4
Curry stuff, chillies, dried	7½ oz.	0 15 4	....	8 lbs.	0 0 11
Do. coriander seed	7½ "	0 15 4	....	20 "	0 0 4
Do. turmeric	7½ "	0 15 4	....	10 "	0 0 8
Do. cummin seed	3½ "	0 15 4	....	5 "	0 0 8
Do. garlic	3½ "	0 15 4	....	16 "	0 0 2
Eggs, hen	963 No.	0 15 8	....	32 No.	29 7 5
Firewood	23,152 lbs.	0 12 3	....	200 lbs.	88 10 0
Fowls	60 No.	0 5 11	....	Each.	22 3 0
	lbs. oz.				
Flour, wheaten, 2nd sort	344 11½	0 13 11	....	16 lbs.	18 11 11
Ghee, 1st sort	6 2	0 15 4	....	3 "	1 15 3
Ginger, green	20 5½	0 15 8	....	8 "	2 7 10
Do. dry	2 13 1½	0 15 8	....	8 "	0 5 6
Limes, usual size	326 No.	0 0 6	....	Each.	10 3 0
Milk, cow	3,615 lbs. 4 oz.	0 15 8	....	28 lbs.	126 6 9
Mutton, 1st sort	2,126 " 8 "	0 14 9	....	8 "	245 0 8
Dholl	1 " 8 "	0 15 4	....	24 "	0 0 11
	lbs. oz. drs.				
Nutmegs, 1st sort	4 13 5	1 15 4	....	lb.	9 7 4
Pepper, black	22 15 7	0 15 8	....	5 lbs.	4 7 11
	lbs. oz.				
Potatoes, round	1,811 8	0 1 1	....	lb.	122 10 5
Rice, cleaned, 1st sort	1,315 8	0 12 3	....	14 lbs.	71 15 0
Sago, 1st sort	124 10	0 10 10	....	6 "	14 1 0
	lbs. oz. drs.				
Salt, 2nd sort	183 10 8	0 12 3	....	320 "	0 7 0
Sheep's trotters	60 No.	0 1 5	....	Dozen.	0 7 1
Spices of sorts	3½ ozs.	0 15 8	....	lb.	0 3 5
Sugar, 1st sort	671 lbs. 8½ oz.	0 10 11	....	5½ lbs.	83 4 11
	lbs. oz. drs.				
Tea, black, 1st sort	157 13 8	0 10 11	....	lb.	107 11 1
Tapioca, Europe	1½ bottles.	....	1 8 0	Bottle.	1 8 0
Vegetables	229 lbs. 7 oz.	0 0 5	....	"	5 15 7
Axes, felling, Europe	2 No.	1 0 11	....	Each.	2 1 10
Books, foolscap, of 3 quires, full bound	2 "	2 15 6	....	"	5 15 0
Baskets, bamboo, large	27 "	0 5 8	....	"	9 9 0
Bandage cloth, 2 feet broad ..	30 yards.	1 3 3	....	7 yards.	5 2 6

Articles.	Number or Quantity.	Rate by Contract.	Rate by Purchase.	Per	Total Cost.
		<i>Rs. a. p.</i>			<i>Rs. a. p.</i>
Bandage cloth, 36 inches wide.	155 yards.	1 12 10		7 yards.	39 14 5
Do. 16 do. ..	30 "	0 12 10		7 "	3 7 0
Baskets, bamboo, covered with canvas	2 No.	9 6 5		Each.	18 12 10
Blankets, country, white	22 "	1 3 2		"	26 5 8
Brooms, Goa	55 "	0 1 11		"	6 9 5
Banians, looie	6 "	1 6 5		"	8 6 6
Buttons, thread	14 dozen.	0 0 10		Dozen.	0 11 8
Banians, flannel	41 No.	2 6 5		Each.	98 7 1
Rubbers, coir	12 "	0 1 11		"	1 7 0
Bed-gowns, lined with flannel.	10 "	4 0 0		"	40 0 0
Brandy, French, in quart bottles, best quality	66 bottles.	25 10 5		Dozen.	141 1 3
Brooms, country	5 No.	0 0 8		Each.	0 3 4
Basins, China, large	14 "	1 6 7		"	19 12 2
Do. do. small	16 "	0 7 6		"	7 8 0
Chatties, earthen, water, large.	6 "	0 3 9		"	1 6 6
Do. spitting, earthen, large.	24 "	0 2 10		Dozen.	0 5 8
Do. do. small	24 "	0 1 11		"	0 3 10
Candles, wax, Cochin	33 lbs.	0 15 8		lb.	32 5 0
Caps, cotton	34 No.	0 3 2		Each.	6 11 8
Calico, fine, 36 inches wide ..	32 yards.	0 4 0		Yard.	8 0 0
Charcoal, babool	950 lbs.	0 15 0		64 lbs.	13 14 8
Cloth, chintz, country, 24 inches wide	10 yards.	0 15 0		4 yards.	2 5 6
Cloth, sheeting, 36 inches wide	13 "	0 3 2		Yard.	2 9 2
Looie, country, 24 do. ..	10 "	0 4 10		"	3 0 4
Coondies, earthen, large	36 No.	0 3 9		Each.	8 7 0
Corkscrews	6 "	0 3 9		"	1 6 6
Cotton, cleaned	15 lbs. 1 oz.	0 15 0		3½ lbs.	4 0 6
Coffins, small	2 No.	2 11 8		Each.	5 7 4
Drawers, looie	9 "	1 11 2		"	15 4 6
Do. flannel	17 "	2 12 10		"	47 10 2
Do. cotton	93 "	0 11 2		"	64 14 6
Chunam, coarse	1,620 lbs.	0 15 0		200 lbs.	7 9 6
Charcoal, common, junglewood	130 "	0 15 0		100 "	1 3 6
Catechu	8 oz.	1 3 7		4 "	0 2 5
Cocks, brass, large, Europe ..	6 No.	1 6 7		Each.	8 7 6
Chunam, fine	600 lbs.	0 15 8		100 lbs.	5 10 0
Flannel, Europe, 36 inches wide	5 yards.	0 14 5		Yard.	4 8 1
Gin, Holland, in quart bottles.	5 bottles.	19 15 2		Dozen.	8 4 11
Gingham, 1 foot, 11 inches broad, Europe	3 yards.	0 12 10		3 yards.	0 12 10
Honey, best quality	10 lbs.	0 15 8		3 lbs.	3 4 2
Liquorice root	14 "	0 15 8		8 "	1 11 5
Lemonade with bottles	17 dozens.	2 9 10		Dozen.	44 7 2
Limejuice, in quart bottles ..	dozs. botls.				
Locks, pad, iron, single, usual size	32 4	4 12 0		,	153 9 4
Mustard, Europe, bottle of ½ lb. capacity	10 No.	0 7 6		Each.	4 11 0
Mustard seed, country	24 lbs.	0 9 10		½ lb. bottle.	29 8 0
Mussucks, leather, large	41 "	0 15 8		20 lbs.	2 0 1
Mats, date, common, 4 feet 10 inches by 2 feet 3 inches ..	3 No.	1 2 10		Each.	3 8 6
Mats, country, 5 feet × 3 feet.	17 dozens.	2 9 10		Dozen.	44 7 2
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	24 lbs.	0 9 10		½ lb. bottle.	29 8 0
	41 "	0 15 8		20 lbs.	2 0 1
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Articles.	Number or Quantity.	Rate by Contract.	Rate by Purchase.	Per	Total Cost.
		<i>Rs. a. p.</i>	<i>Rs. a. p.</i>		<i>Rs. a. p.</i>
Quills, goose, English, white..	39 No.	0 7 11	....	25 No.	0 12 4
Quilts, lined with looie	105 "	3 3 2	....	Each.	335 12 6
Rope, cotton	12 lbs.	0 15 0	....	2½ lbs.	4 8 0
	doz. bottls.				
Sodawater, with bottles.....	81 5	2 6 0	....	Dozen.	193 5 10
Soap, country	22 lbs.	0 15 8	....	12 lbs.	1 12 8
Straw, paddy, for bedding	7,000 "	23 8 0	....	1,000 "	164 8 0
Sulphur, raw	5 "	0 7 6	....	lb.	2 5 6
Soup plates, China	9 No.	2 13 1	....	Dozen.	2 1 9
Shirts, sheeting cloth	86 "	0 14 5	....	Each.	77 7 10
Sheets, ditto	48 "	1 0 0	....	"	48 0 0
Slippers, large	44 "	0 14 5	....	"	39 10 4
Thread, fine, cotton	½ lb.	0 13 2	....	lb.	0 6 7
Tape, white, narrow, country..	100 yards.	0 0 2	....	Yard.	1 0 8
Twine, Bengal, fine	18½ lbs.	0 15 0	....	3½ lbs.	4 15 3
Towels, round.....	*30 No.	0 14 5	....	Each.	27 0 6
Tape, broad, for lacing 31 cots, at 12 lbs. each	372 lbs.	0 12 10	....	2½ lbs.	132 9 9
Tailor, 2nd class.....	105 days.	0 4 3	....	Day.	27 14 3
Thread, Goa, best sort	½ lb.	0 11 3	....	lb.	0 5 7
Do. coarse, cotton	1 "	0 11 3	....	"	0 11 3
Tape, white, broad, country ..	100 yards.	0 0 3	....	Yard.	1 9 0
Vinegar, country, in qt. bottles.	12 lbs.	1 6 10	....	Dozen.	0 15 2
Do. Europe do.	4 "	11 6 5	....	"	2 8 6
Worsted, blue, Europe	8 oz.	7 8 4	....	lb.	3 12 2
Wax, bees', yellow.....	16½ "	0 11 9	....	"	12 1 10
Do. white	4 "	0 15 8	....	"	3 14 8
Ink, black, Japan	2 bottles.	0 2 0	....	Bottle.	0 4 0
Do. red do.	1 bottle.	0 3 0	....	Small bottle.	0 3 0
Inkstand, of glass, with brass screw	1 No.	0 15 10	....	Each.	0 15 10
<i>Tinning.</i>					
Camp kettle, copper	19 No.	0 15 8	....	10 No.	1 13 9
Ditto covers	19 "	0 15 8	....	10 "	1 13 9
Cooking pots, copper.....	64 "	0 15 8	....	10 "	6 4 3
Ditto covers	64 "	0 15 8	....	10 "	6 4 3
Frying-pans, copper	7 "	0 15 8	....	10 "	0 10 11
Gindees, copper	14 "	0 15 8	....	10 "	1 5 11
Spoons, iron	276 "	0 0 3	....	Each.	4 5 0
Boilers, copper, and covers ..	2 "	0 11 9	....	"	1 7 6
Saucepans	1 "	0 15 8	....	10 No.	0 1 7
<i>Supplies to the Ordnance Department, Arsenal, &c.</i>					
Check, bamboo, for tent, co- loured, 6 x 4 feet	4 No.	4 0 0	....	Each.	16 0 0
Dammer	854 lbs.	0 15 0	....	14 lbs.	57 3 0
Emery, country	10 "	0 7 6	....	lb.	4 11 0
Glass windows	1 pane.	....	0 6 0	Pane.	0 6 0
Glue.....	20 lbs.	0 15 0	....	5 lbs.	3 12 0
Iron, bar and flat, Swedish ..	329 "	0 15 0	....	7 "	44 1 0
Do. rod, round	188 "	0 15 0	....	8 "	22 0 6
Nails, iron, double pointed....	56 "	0 15 0	....	4½ "	11 10 8
Ditto of sorts	93 "	0 15 0	....	5 "	17 7 0
Paint, mixed, white	420 "	0 15 0	....	5 "	78 12 0
Paper, China	99¾ quires.	0 2 0	....	Quire.	12 7 6
Do. mill-board	18 boards.	....	6 12 0	"	6 12 0
Do. post, thin.....	4 reams.	0 4 0	....	Quire.	20 0 0
Spirits of turpentine	25½ bottles.	0 15 0	....	Bottle.	23 14 6
Tacks, iron or tin	89 lbs.	0 7 6	....	lb.	41 11 6
Tape, cotton, white, narrow, fine, for cartridge	4,048 yards.	....	253 0 0	....	253 0 0
Vinegar	4 pints.	1 6 10	....	Dozen.	0 3 10
<i>Supplies to Indian Navy and other Miscellaneous Departments.</i>					
Coffee, Bourbon.....	395 lbs. 9 oz.	0 10 11	....	3½ lbs.	83 0 8

Articles.	Number or Quantity.	Rate by Contract.	Rate by Purchase.	Per	Total Cost.
	lbs. oz.	Rs. a. p.			Rs. a. p.
Currystuff, chillies	179. 14½	0 15 4	....	8 lbs.	21 8 10
Do. coriander seed	64. 14½	0 15 4	....	20 "	3 1 9
Do. turmeric	159. 14½	0 15 4	....	10 "	15 5 2
Do. garlic	131 15½	0 15 4	....	16 "	7 14 5
Do. cummin seed	23. 15½	0 15 4	....	5 "	4 9 5
Ghee, 1st sort	1,774. 1	0 15 4	....	3 "	566 11 5
Dholl, moong, 1st sort	3,428. 3	0 15 4	....	24 "	136 14 2
Flour, wheaten, do.	1,018. 6	0 13 11	....	7 "	126 8 7
Fish, salt, dungaree	1,063 lbs.	0 15 4	....	12 "	84 14 3
Wood, fire	27,000 "	0 12 3	....	200 "	103 5 9
Rice, cleaned, 1st sort	6,330 "	0 12 3	....	14 "	346 2 9
Salt, 2nd sort	287 "	0 12 3	....	320 "	0 11 0
<i>Dead Stock.</i>					
Brooms, country	6 No.	0 0 8	....	Each.	0 4 0
Buckets (dholl), leather, small.	2 "	0 15 0	....	"	1 14 0
Bricks, bath, Europe	4 "	0 2 10	....	"	0 11 4
Brooms, Goa	12 "	0 1 11	....	"	1 7 0
Brushes, paint, large, Europe..	3 "	1 2 10	....	"	3 8 6
Do. scouring, country	3 "	0 7 6	....	"	1 6 6
Brass plates, ½ inch thick	14½ lbs.	0 13 2	....	lb.	12 2 2
Candles, wax, Cochin	148½ "	0 15 8	....	"	145 6 6
Chalk	5 "	0 15 0	....	16 lbs.	0 4 8
Cloth, dungaree, white, of 2 ft. broad, double	30 yards.	0 12 10	....	4 yards.	6 0 3
Carpenter, 2nd class	1 day.	0 10 11	....	Day.	0 10 11
Canvas, Europe, unbleached, best sort	10 yards.	0 13 2	....	Yard.	8 3 8
Cloth, dungaree, double, 2½ ft. broad, unbleached	30 "	0 15 0	....	4½ yards.	6 4 0
Cotton, refined	1 lb.	0 15 0	....	3½ lbs.	0 4 3
Duppers of 150 lbs. capacity..	5 No.	4 12 10	....	Each.	24 0 2
Do. of 300 lbs. do.	2 "	7 10 11	....	"	15 5 10
Funnel, tin, water casks, 2 gallons	1 "	0 7 6	....	"	0 7 6
Gum, Arabic	1 lb.	0 15 0	....	7 lbs.	0 2 1
Glue, country	1 "	0 15 0	....	5 "	0 3 0
Hoops, iron	193 lbs.	0 15 0	....	8 "	22 9 10
Ink, black, powder	4 bundles.	0 15 10	....	Dozen.	0 5 3
Ink, red, in bottle	2 bottles.	0 3 0	....	Small bottle.	0 6 0
Lead, red, Europe	14 lbs.	0 15 0	....	5 lbs.	2 10 0
Do. white, prepared, Europe.	28 "	0 15 0	....	5 "	5 4 0
Mortar and pestles, iron, weighing 9 lbs.	1 No.	0 3 9	....	lb.	2 1 9
Mustard seed, country	31 lbs. 12½ oz.	0 15 8	....	20 lbs.	1 8 10
Nails, iron, of sorts	60 lbs.	0 15 0	....	5 "	11 4 0
Needles, sewing	6 No.	0 1 11	....	25 No.	0 0 5
Oil, cocoanut, best quality....	2,896½ lbs.	0 15 4	....	5 lbs.	555 2 7
Do. castor I. M.	10 galls. or 90 lbs.	0 15 8	....	6 "	14 11 0
Do. linseed, boiled, Europe, I. M.	4 galls. or 36 lbs.	0 9 5	....	lb.	21 3 0
Paper, foolscap, Europe	6 quires.	0 7 11	....	Quire.	2 15 6
Do. Portuguese	6 "	0 4 0	....	"	1 8 0
Do. cartridge	3 "	0 11 11	....	"	2 3 9
Do. letter	1 "	0 4 0	....	"	0 4 0
Do. note	1 "	0 3 0	....	"	0 3 0
Do. blotting	½ "	0 7 11	....	"	0 3 11
Do. royal, 3rd size	1 "	0 15 10	....	"	0 15 10
Pencil, blacklead	6 No.	0 15 10	....	Dozen.	0 7 11
Pen, steel, with holders	2 cards.	0 4 0	....	Card.	0 8 0
Paint, white, mixed, Europe..	84 lbs.	0 15 0	....	5 lbs.	15 12 0
Do. black, do. do	28 "	0 15 0	....	5 "	5 4 0
Do. green, do. do	28 "	0 15 0	....	5 "	5 4 0
Do. yellow, do. do	7 "	0 15 0	....	5 "	1 5 0
Do. red, do. do	7 "	0 15 0	....	5 "	1 5 0
Quills, goose	50 No.	0 7 11	....	25 No.	0 15 10
Quicksilver	3 lbs.	1 6 7	....	lb.	4 3 9

Articles.	Number or Quantity.	Rate by Contract.	Rate by Purchase.	Per	Total Cost.
		<i>Rs. a. p.</i>	<i>Rs. a. p.</i>		<i>Rs. a. p.</i>
Raisins	208 lbs. 2 oz.	0 15 4	....	8 lbs.	24 14 10
Ribbon, silk	18 yards.	0 11 11	....	18 yards.	0 11 11
Sand paper, Europe	24 No.	1 6 7	....	Quire.	1 6 7
Soap, Europe, yellow, common.	30 lbs.	0 4 11	....	lb.	9 3 6
Do. country	66 "	0 15 8	....	12 lbs.	5 6 2
Twine, sewing, Europe, fine ..	5 "	0 13 2	....	lb.	4 1 10
Tallow, country, clarified	300 "	0 15 0	....	6 lbs.	46 14 0
Turpentine, spirit, Europe, I. M.	3 gallons or 27 lbs.	0 15 0	....	Quart bottle.	16 14 0
Tar, mineral	90 lbs.	0 15 0	....	10 lbs.	8 7 0
Tin plate, single, Europe	2 No.	1 14 1	....	20 No.	0 3 0
Thread, cotton	4 oz.	0 13 2	....	lb.	0 3 3
Tape, white	12 yards.	0 0 3	....	Yard.	0 3 0
Vinegar, country	175 bottles.	1 6 10	....	Dozen.	20 12 11
Wafers, large	1 box.	0 7 11	....	Each.	0 7 11
Rosin, Europe	1 lb.	0 15 0	....	10 lbs.	0 1 6
<i>Tinning.</i>					
Pots, cooking, copper	6 No.	0 15 8	....	10 No.	0 9 4
Do. covers do.	2 "	0 15 8	....	10 "	0 3 1
<i>Supplies for Horses and Cattle.</i>					
Barley, country	55,630 lbs.	1 0 0	....	42 lbs.	1,324 8 4
Bran, wheaten	29,880 "	0 13 11	....	42 "	618 12 8
Gram, Sindee, 1st sort	89,970 "	1 0 0	....	34 "	2,646 2 9
Cotton seed	13,620 "	1 0 0	....	42 "	324 4 6
Muttur	40,320 "	1 0 0	....	44 "	916 5 9
Kurbee, Cutch	1,99,350 "	1 0 0	....	50 "	3,987 0 0
Lucerne	4,800 "	....	1 0 0	110 "	43 10 2
Hay, Sind	900 "	1 0 0	....	62 lbs.	14 8 3
Hides, cow, raw	10 No.	36 12 10	....	20 No.	18 6 5
Castor oil seeds	200 lbs.	0 15 0	....	30 lbs.	6 4 0
Tar, Stockholm	100 "	0 15 0	....	6 "	15 10 0
Tallow	60 "	0 15 0	....	6 lbs.	9 6 0
Rubber, hand, coir	30 No.	0 1 11	....	Each.	3 9 6
Lotas, earthen	40 "	....	0 1 0	"	2 8 0
Charcoal, Babool	300 lbs.	0 15 0	....	64 lbs.	4 6 3
Curd or Dhie	9 "	0 0 9	....	lb.	0 6 9
Bamboos	50 No.	14 1 7	....	100 No.	7 0 9
Nails of sorts	4 lbs.	0 15 0	....	5 lbs.	0 12 0
Twine, Bengal	6 "	0 15 0	....	34 "	1 9 8
Oil, sweet	38 "	0 15 4	....	8 "	4 8 10
Do. common	48 "	0 15 4	....	9 "	5 1 9
Ghee, 1st sort	20 "	0 15 4	....	3 "	6 6 2
Lasson	6 "	0 15 4	....	16 "	0 5 9
Turmeric	7 1/2 "	0 15 4	....	10 "	0 11 6
Peeplemode	4 "	....	1 0 0	8 "	0 8 0
Jagree	20 "	0 15 8	....	10 "	1 15 4
Bhang	20 "	....	1 0 0	8 "	1 4 0
Maytee	10 "	0 15 8	....	20 "	0 7 10
Halew	10 "	....	1 0 0	12 "	0 13 4
Mustard seed, country	6 "	0 15 8	....	20 "	0 4 8
Pepper, black	6 "	0 15 8	....	5 "	1 2 9
Auzwan	6 "	0 15 8	....	10 "	0 9 4
Ginger, dry	6 "	0 15 8	....	8 "	0 11 9
Butch	6 "	....	1 0 0	16 "	0 6 0
Catechue	4 "	1 3 7	....	4 "	1 3 7
Camphor, unrefined	2 "	0 11 9	....	lb.	1 7 6
Kalageera	6 "	....	1 0 0	8 lbs.	0 12 0
Neil	4 "	....	1 0 0	20 "	0 3 2
Allum	2 "	0 15 8	....	12 "	0 2 7

A. W. LUCAS, Major,
Acting Assistant Commissary General, S. D.

CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF GRAIN, &c.

1. Persons desirous of entering into a Contract for the supply of such Grain, &c, as may be required by the Commissariat Department at the Presidency, for the term of one year from the date of the acceptance of the offer, may, on application at this Office, from 11 A.M. till 5 P.M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain copies of the Schedules, or List of Prices, and such information relating thereto as they may require.
2. No person will be allowed to bid for the Contract unless he deposits in this Office, in cash, the sum of Rupees (6,000) Six thousand, which will be forfeited in the event of withdrawal of his offer before the Commissary General or other authorised person in that behalf shall have signified to him, by a notice in writing, his refusal to accept such offer, or in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal, on his part, to furnish the requisite further Security, and execute the Deed of Contract, when required to do so on his offer being accepted.
3. The further Security required is Bonded Security to the amount of Rupees (24,000) Twenty-four thousand, subject to the approval of the Government Solicitor; and this, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of the Contract.
4. Verbal offers for the Contract will be received at this Office on Wednesday, the 20th proximo, at 1 o'clock precisely, when bidders will be required to bid a percentage above or below the prices exhibited in the above List, at which the supply will be made.
5. The articles supplied must be of unexceptionable quality, and according to musters which may be seen in this Office, or of the exact kind, quality, and description demanded; and are to be delivered, in the first instance, at the Commissariat Stores, if required, and afterwards to the Indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such quantities as may, from time to time, be demanded, being liable to examination and rejection by the Executive Commissariat Officer, or by the Indenting or Receiving Officers, or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government, in the event of the Contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers, or either of them.
6. It is to be clearly understood that such of the articles specified in the Schedule as form part of the rations for European Soldiers, or Hospital Diet, are to be supplied under the Rules laid down in G. G. O. No. 613 of the 10th October 1853, and No. 33 of the 11th January 1854, copies of which may be seen at this Office.
7. In case the said articles, or any of them, shall be rejected by the Committee so appointed, the said Committee shall not be required to assign or give any reason for such rejection, but the decision of such Committee shall be final and conclusive; and it shall not be competent to the Contractor, his Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, to question such decision in any Court of Law or Equity, or otherwise howsoever.
8. The Contractor must comply immediately with emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency, within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof, or if any supply be rejected or condemned by a Committee as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, may be at once purchased by this Department at his risk and cost; and in all such cases Thirty (30) per Cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine not exceeding Rupees (500) Five hundred, at the option of the Executive Commissariat Officer, shall be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of Contract,—the condemnation of any article by a Committee being held to constitute a breach of Contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the Contractor or by this Department. In every such case, the Contract may be cancelled at the discretion of the Commissary General; and if it be so cancelled, the Cash deposit, mentioned in paragraph 2 of this Notice, will be forfeited to Government.
9. Any delay, negligence, evasion, or refusal, on the part of a Contractor, to make supplies or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his Agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place appointed, will subject him to be fined to the extent of Rupees (25) Twenty-five by the Executive Commissariat Officer; an appeal from his order may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but when any of the penalties provided for in the preceding clause are exacted, no further penalty shall be leviable under this clause.
10. The Contractor, or an accredited Agent on his part, approved of by the Executive Commissariat Officer, must attend at this Office during the usual hours of business, i. e. from 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. daily (Sundays excepted), also at such other time or place as may be indicated by the Executive Commissariat Officer, when it may be considered desirable for the public service to require such attendance.
11. Any party whose offer is accepted, must produce Sureties, such as shall meet the approval of the Government Solicitor, within Fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of his offer, or the Contract will be re-sold, and the amount deposited by the bidder forfeited to Government. No reason will be stated for rejecting any Security offered.
12. Bills for articles supplied under this Contract must be preferred for examination within one month from the date of the delivery of the same, or the Contractor will forfeit their full value, unless it clearly appear, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable. Payment of Bills passed in this Office must be claimed within Five days after they are passed, or the amount will be forfeited to Government.
13. The amount of retrenchments made by the auditing authorities on the Contractor's Bills will be recovered from the first sums payable to him; but in the event of such retrenchments, or any portion thereof, being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

14. Any party who, after offering for the Contract, fails to furnish the necessary Security, as provided for in Clauses 3 and 10 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a document from some person or persons of unexceptionable character and sufficient means, guaranteeing the due finding of the requisite Security, and execution by him of the Deed of Contract on his offer being accepted.

15. Persons intending to offer may, on application, see a statement of the actual annual consumption during the past years; but it is to be distinctly understood that supplies must be furnished to any extent required, without reference to such former consumption.

16. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

J. B. DUNSTERVILLE, Captain,
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

*Bombay, Deputy Commissary General's Office,
22nd January 1861.*

No. 13.

CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF PROVISIONS, &c.

Persons desirous of entering into a Contract for the supply of such Provisions, &c. as may be required by the Commissariat Department at the Presidency for the term of one year from the date of the acceptance of the offer, may, on application at this Office, from 11 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain Copies of the Schedules, or Lists of Prices, and such information relating thereto as they may require.

2. No person will be allowed to bid for the Contract unless he deposits in this Office, in cash, the sum of Rupees (6000) Six thousand, which will be forfeited in the event of withdrawal of his offer before the Commissary General, or other authorised person in that behalf, shall have signified to him, by a notice in writing, his refusal to accept such offer; or, in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal, on his part, to furnish the requisite further security, and execute the Deed of Contract, when required to do so on his offer being accepted.

3. The further Security required is, Bonded Security to the amount of Rupees (24,000) Twenty-four thousand, subject to the approval of the Government Solicitor; and this, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of the Contract.

4. Verbal offers for the Contract will be received at this Office on Thursday, the 14th proximo, at 1 o'clock precisely, when bidders will be required to bid a percentage above or below the prices exhibited in the above List, at which the supply will be made.

5. The Articles supplied must be of unexceptionable quality, and according to musters which may be seen in this Office, or of the exact kind, quality, and description demanded, and are to be delivered, in the first instance, at the Commissariat Stores, if required, and afterwards to the Indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such quantities as may, from time to time, be demanded, being liable to examination and rejection by the Executive Commissariat Officer, or by the Indenting or Receiving Officers, or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government in the event of the Contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers or either of them.

6. It is to be clearly understood that such of the articles specified in the Schedule as form part of the rations for European Soldiers or Hospital diet, are to be supplied under the rules laid down in G. G. O. No. 613 of the 10th October 1853, and No. 33 of the 11th January 1854, copies of which may be seen in this Office.

7. In case the said Articles or any of them shall be rejected by the Committee so appointed, the said Committee shall not be required to assign or give any reason for such rejection; but the decision of such Committee shall be final and conclusive, and it shall not be competent to the Contractor, his Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, to question such decision in any Court of Law or Equity, or otherwise howsoever.

8. The Contractor must comply immediately with emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency, within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof or if any supply be rejected, or condemned by a Committee as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, may be at once purchased by this Department, at his risk and cost; and in all such cases (30) Thirty per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine not exceeding Rupees (200) Two hundred at the option of the Executive Commissariat Officer, shall be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of Contract; the condemnation of any article by a Committee being held to constitute a breach of Contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the Contractor or by this Department. In every such case, the Contract may be cancelled, at the discretion of the Commissary General; and if it be so cancelled, the Cash deposit mentioned in paragraph 2 of this Notice will be forfeited to Government.

9. Any delay, negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of a Contractor to make supplies or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his Agents, to pass off articles of an

inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place appointed, will subject him to be fined to the extent of Rupees (25) Twenty-five by the Executive Commissariat Officer; an appeal from his order may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but when any of the penalties provided for in the preceding clause are exacted, no further penalty shall be leviable under this clause.

10. The Contractor, or an accredited Agent on his part, approved of by the Executive Commissariat Officer, must attend at this Office, during the usual hours of business, *i. e.* from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), also at such other time or place as may be indicated by the Executive Commissariat Officer, when it may be considered desirable for the public service to require such attendance.

11. Any party whose offer is accepted must produce Sureties, such as shall meet the approval of the Government Solicitor, within fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of his offer, or the Contract will be re-sold, and the amount deposited by the bidder forfeited to Government. No reason will be stated for rejecting any Security offered.

12. Bills for articles supplied under this Contract must be preferred for examination within one month from the date of the delivery of the same, or the Contractor will forfeit their full value, unless it clearly appear, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable. Payment of bills passed in this office must be claimed within five days after they are passed, or the amount will be forfeited to Government.

13. The amount of retrenchments made by the auditing authorities on the Contractor's bills will be recovered from the first sums payable to him; but in the event of such retrenchments or any portion thereof being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

14. Any party who, after offering for the Contract, fails to furnish the necessary Security, as provided for in Clauses 3 and 11 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a document from some person or persons of unexceptionable character and sufficient means, guaranteeing the due finding of the requisite Security, and execution by him of the Deed of Contract on his offer being accepted.

15. Persons intending to offer may, on application, see a statement of the actual annual consumption during the past years; but it is to be distinctly understood that supplies must be furnished to any extent required, without reference to such former consumption.

16. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

J. B. DUNSTERVILLE, Captain,

Acting Deputy Commissary General.

Bombay, Deputy Commissary General's Office,
22nd January 1861.

No. 20.

Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into a Contract for supplying such Articles of Provisions, &c. embraced in the following Schedules, as may be required by the Commissariat Department at Sholapoor, from 1st April 1861 to 31st March 1862, may, on application at this Office, from 11 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain copies of the Schedule or List of Prices and such information relating thereto as they may require:—

No. 1. For Gram, cleaned, 1st sort.

No. 2. For Kurbee, dry, from 19th March to 31st August 1861.

2. Verbal offers for the Contracts will be received at this Office on Saturday, the 16th February 1861, at 12 o'clock (noon) precisely, when bidders will be required to bid a percentage above or below the prices exhibited in the above list, at which the supply will be made, on the understanding that the Articles supplied are to be of unexceptionable quality, and are to be delivered, in the first instance, at the Commissariat Stores at Sholapoor if required, and afterwards to the indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such numbers or quantities as may, from time to time, be demanded, and that the same are liable to examination and rejection by the Executive Commissariat Officer or by the Indenting or Receiving Officers, or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government, in the event of the Contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers, or either of them,—it being understood that the decision of such Committee is to be final and binding on all parties.

3. No person will be allowed to bid for any Contract unless he previously deposits in this Office, in cash, the sum exhibited opposite the Schedule referring thereto, which will be forfeited in the event of withdrawal of his Tender before the Commissary General, or other authorised person in that behalf, shall have signified to him, by a notice in writing, his refusal to accept such Tender, or in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on his part to execute the necessary Deed of Contract when required to do so on his offer being accepted, in which latter case he must be prepared to give unexceptionable Bonded Security to the further amount shown opposite the Schedule, which, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of his Contract.

	Deposit before Bidding.	Bonded Security on acceptance of any offer.
For List No. 1 Company's Rs.	961	Rs. 3,846
" " " 2 " "	247	" 990

4. The Contractor must comply immediately with all emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency, within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof, or if any supply be condemned by a Committee of Officers as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, shall be purchased by this Department, without delay, at his risk and cost, if it be considered expedient to do so; and in all such cases Thirty (30) per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of Rupees (50) Fifty at the option of the Executive Commissariat Officer, will be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of Contract,—it being understood that the simple condemnation of any article by a Committee constitutes a breach of Contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the Contractor or by this Department; in every such case also it is to be understood that the Contract may be cancelled, at the discretion of the Commissary General; and that, if the Contract be so cancelled, the Cash deposit and Security amount mentioned in paragraph 3 of this Notice will be forfeited to Government.

5. It is also to be understood, that any negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of a Contractor to make supplies or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his Agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place ordered, will subject him, in every instance, to be fined to the extent of Rupees (25) Twenty-five at the option of the Executive Commissariat Officer, from whose order an appeal may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but in cases when it may be deemed fit to exact any of the penalties provided for in the preceding clause, no further penalty shall be leviable under this clause.

6. Any party whose offer is accepted will be required to produce his sureties for the approval of the Civil or Cantonment Authorities, as may be necessary, within Fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of his offer, or the Contract will be resold. No reason will be stated for the rejection of any Security offered.

7. Bills for articles supplied under this Contract must be preferred within one month from the date of the delivery of the articles; in default of which the Contractor will forfeit the full value of the supplies for which bills have not been so preferred, unless it clearly appear to the satisfaction of the Commissary General that the delay was unavoidable.

8. The amount of retrenchments made by the auditing Department on the Contractor's Bills will be recovered from the first Bills preferred for payment; but in the event of such retrenchments or any portion thereof being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

9. Any party who, after offering for the Contract, fails to furnish the necessary Security, as provided for in Clause 7 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a document from some person or persons of unexceptionable character and sufficient means guaranteeing the due execution and performance of the Contract, on his offer being accepted.

10. The person whose offer for the Contract may be accepted will be required to keep in the Commissariat Godowns in the Fort a supply equal to, at least, the estimated consumption for three months.

11. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

F. T. CORNEWALL, Captain,
In charge Commissariat Department.

Commissariat Office, Sholapore, 31st January 1861.

No. 21.

AUCTION SALE OF PORTWINE.

About Two hundred Dozens of Portwine, the property of Government, will be sold by Auction on Friday the 15th instant, at 2 P. M., at the Commissariat Stores, Military Store Lane.

Terms of Sale.—Cash; and the lots to be cleared away forthwith.

J. B. DUNSTERVILLE, Captain,
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

Bombay, Deputy Commissary General's Office, 5th February 1861.

पोरट वाइननुं लीलांछिती वेमान.

आसरे (२००) यशो ७७७ पोर्ट वाइन यादता मछीनानी तारीय १५ भी ने शुक्रवारने छीने कुलाङ २ ने अमले कामीशरीअट स्टोर, मीलीशरी स्टोर सेनमो जल्ले लीलांछि कुरीने वेमरो.

मोली अमे ले रोङ्ग नाछां आपीने सामान तामउतोय लछ जवो.

मुंयधनी डीपुडी कमीसरी जनरल साहेबनी आशीस,
तारीय ५ भी इयसारी सेन १४९१.

J. B. DUNSTERVILLE, Captain,
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES.

Persons desirous of entering into a Contract for the supply of such quantity of Miscellaneous Articles as may be required by the Commissariat Department at Ahmedabad, from the date of the acceptance of the offer up to 31st December 1861, may, on application at this Office, from 11 A.M. till 5 P.M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain copies of the Schedule or List of Prices, and such information relating thereto as they may require.

2. No person will be allowed to bid for the Contract unless he deposits in this Office, in cash, the sum of Rupees (150) One hundred and fifty, which will be forfeited in the event of withdrawal of his Tender before the Commissary General, or other authorised person in that behalf, shall have signified to him by a notice in writing, his refusal to accept such Tender, or in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on his part, to furnish the requisite further Security, and execute the Deed of Contract, when required to do so on his offer being accepted.

3. The further security required is Bonded Security to the amount of Rupees (600) Six hundred, subject to the approval of the Commissariat Officer; and this, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of the Contract.

4. Verbal offers for the Contract will be received at this Office on Friday, the 1st proximo, at 12 o'clock precisely, when bidders will be required to bid a percentage above or below the prices exhibited in the above List, at which the supply will be made.

5. The articles supplied must be of unexceptionable quality, or of the sort usually supplied; and are to be delivered, in the first instance, at the Commissariat Stores, if required, and afterwards to the Indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges, beyond the stipulated price, in such quantities as may, from time to time, be demanded, being liable to examination and rejection by the Executive Commissariat Officer, or by the Indenting or Receiving Officers, or by a Committee of Officers appointed, on the part of Government, in the event of the Contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers, or either of them, it being understood that the decision of such Committee is final and binding on all parties.

6. In case the said articles, or any of them, shall be rejected by the Committee so appointed, the said Committee shall not be required to assign or give any reason for such rejection, but the decision of such Committee shall be final and conclusive; and it shall not be competent to the Contractor, his Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, to question such decision in any Court of Law or Equity, or otherwise howsoever.

7. The Contractor must comply immediately with emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof, or if any supply be rejected, or condemned by a Committee as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, may be at once purchased by this Department, at his risk and cost; and in all such cases Thirty (30) per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of any amount up to Rupees (100) One hundred, at the option of the Executive Commissariat Officer, shall be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of Contract,—the condemnation of any article by a Committee being held to constitute a breach of Contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the Contractor or by this Department. In every such case the Contract may be cancelled, at the discretion of the Commissary General; and if it be so cancelled, the Cash Deposit, as well as the money secured to be paid by the Bond mentioned in paragraphs 2 and 3 of this Notice will be forfeited to Government.

8. Any delay, negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of a Contractor to make supplies or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his Agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place appointed, will subject him to be fined to the extent of Rupees (25) Twenty-five, by the Executive Commissariat Officer; an appeal from his order may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but when any of the penalties provided for in the preceding Clause are exacted, no further penalty shall be leviable under this Clause.

9. The Contractor, or an accredited Agent on his part, approved of by the Executive Commissariat Officer, must attend at this Office during the usual hours of business, i. e. from 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. daily (Sundays excepted), also at such other time or place as may be indicated by the Executive Commissariat Officer, when it may be considered desirable for the public service to require such attendance.

10. Any party whose offer is accepted must produce Sureties, such as shall meet the approval of the Commissariat Officer, within fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of his offer, or the Contract will be re-sold, and the amount deposited by the bidder forfeited to Government. No reason will be stated for rejecting any Security offered.

11. Bills for articles supplied under this Contract must be preferred for examination within one month from the date of the delivery of the same, or the Contractor will forfeit their full value, unless it clearly appear, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable. Payment of Bills passed in this Office must be claimed within five days after they are passed, or the amount will be forfeited to Government.

12. The amount of retrenchments made by the auditing authorities on the Contractor's Bills will be recovered from the first sums payable to him; but in the event of such retrenchments, or any portion thereof being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

13. Any party who, after offering for the Contract, fails to furnish the necessary Security, as provided for in Clauses 3 and 10 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a document from some person or persons of unexceptionable character and sufficient

means, guaranteeing the due finding of the requisite Security, and execution by him of the Deed of Contract, on his offer being accepted.

14. Persons intending to offer may, on application, see a statement of the actual annual consumption during the past years; but it is to be distinctly understood that supplies must be furnished to any extent required, without reference to such former consumption.

15. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

F. P. MIGNON, Captain,
Acting Assistant Commissary General, N.D.A.

Commissariat Office, N.D.A.,
Ahmedabad, 5th February 1861.

No. 26.

Notice

Is hereby given, that persons desirous of entering into Contracts for the supply of the Articles embraced in the following Schedules, as may be required by this Department, from the date of acceptance of the offers up to 31st January 1862, may, on application at this Office from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. daily (Sundays accepted), obtain copies of the Schedules and such information relating thereto as they may require.

	Deposit in Cash.	Bonded Security.
For List No. 12, Miscellaneous Clothing	17 0 0	68 0 0
Do. do. 13, Soldiers' Bedding ..	1,071 0 0	4,284 0 0
Do. do. 14, Hospital Clothing	2,101 0 0	8,404 0 0
Do. do. 15, Hospital, Office, and Barrack Furniture	775 0 0	3,100 0 0

2. Verbal Tenders for the Contracts will be received at the Commissariat Office on Friday, the 1st March 1861, at 11 o'clock precisely, stating the rate per cent. above or below the prices exhibited in the above List, at which the supplies will be made, on the understanding that the articles supplied are to be of unexceptionable quality, and according to musters which may be seen in this Office, or of the sort usually supplied, and are to be delivered, in the first instance, at the Commissariat Stores at Kurrachee, if required, and afterwards to the Indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such quantity as may, from time to time, be demanded; and that the same are liable to examination and rejection by the Executive Commissariat Officer, or by the Indenting or Receiving Officer, or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government in the event of the Contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers or either of them, it being understood that the decision of such Committee is to be final and binding on all parties.

3. No person will be allowed to bid for any Contract unless he previously deposits in this Office, in cash, the sum exhibited opposite the Schedule referring thereto, which sum will be forfeited in the event of withdrawal of his tender before the Commissary General, or other authorised person in that behalf, shall have signified to him, by a notice in writing, his refusal to accept such tender; or in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on his part to execute the necessary Deed of Contract, when required to do so, on his offer being accepted; in which latter case, he must be prepared to give unexceptionable Bonded Security to the further sum as shown opposite each Schedule, which, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of his Contract.

4. The Contractor must comply immediately with all emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency, within the period stated in the requisitions made upon him, in failure whereof, or if any supply be condemned by a Committee of Officers as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, shall be purchased by the Department, without delay, at his risk and cost, if it be considered expedient to do so; and in all such cases Thirty (30) per cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine of Rupees (50) Fifty to One hundred and Fifty (150), at the option of the Executive Commissariat Officer, will be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of Contract; it being understood that the simple condemnation of any article by a Committee constitutes a breach of Contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the Contractor or by the Department. In every such case also, it is to be understood that the Contract may be cancelled at the discretion of the Commissary General; and that, if the Contract be so cancelled, the cash deposits mentioned in paragraph 3 of this notice, will be forfeited to Government.

5. It is also to be understood that any negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of a Contractor to make supplies or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his Agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place ordered, will subject him, in every instance, to be fined to the extent of Rupees Twenty-five (25), at the option of the Executive Officer, from whose order

an appeal may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but in cases when it may be deemed fit to exact any of the penalties provided for in the preceding Clause, no further penalty shall be leviable under this Clause.

6. It is further to be understood that the Contractor, or an accredited Agent on his part, approved of by the Executive Commissariat Officer, is to attend at this Office during the usual hours of business, *i. e.* from 10 A. M. to 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), also at such other time or place as may be indicated by the Executive Commissariat Officer, when he may consider it desirable, for the public service, to require such attendance.

7. Any party whose tender is accepted, will be required to produce his Sureties for the approval of the Cantonment and Civil Authorities, within fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of his tender, or the Contract will be resold. No reason will be assigned for rejecting any security offered.

8. Bills for articles supplied under this Contract must be preferred within one month from the date of the delivery of the articles, in default of which the Contractor will forfeit the full value of the supplies for which bills have not been so preferred, unless it clearly appear, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable.

9. The amount of retrenchments made by the Auditing Authorities on the Contractor's bills will be recovered from the first bills preferred for payment; but, in the event of such retrenchments, or any portion thereof, being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

10. Any party who, after tendering for a Contract, fails to furnish the necessary security as provided for in Clause 7 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a document from some person or persons of unexceptionable character and sufficient means, guaranteeing the due execution and performance of the Contract on his offer being accepted.

11. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any tender.

12. Persons intending to tender may, on application, see a statement of the actual annual consumption during the last year; but they must distinctly understand that supplies must be furnished to whatever extent they may be required, without any reference to the quantity consumed or required in previous years.

*Commissariat Office, Kurrachee,
5th January 1861.*

A. W. LUCAS, Major,
Acting Assistant Commissary General.

No. 27.

CONTRACTS FOR THE SUPPLY OF MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES AND STATIONERY.

Persons desirous of entering into Contracts for the supply of such of the articles embraced in the following Schedules, as may be required by this Department for the term of two years, from the 1st day March 1861, may, on application at this office, from 10 A.M. till 5 P.M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain copies of the Schedules and such information relating thereto as they may require.

For List No. 1, Miscellaneous Articles.

„ „ No. 2, Stationery.

2. No person will be allowed to bid for these Contracts unless he deposits in this office, in cash, the sum exhibited opposite the Schedules referring thereto, which will be forfeited in the event of withdrawal of his Tender before the Commissary General, or other authorised person in that behalf, shall have signified to him, by a notice in writing, his refusal to accept such Tenders, or in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal, on his part, to execute the necessary Deed of Contract, when required to do so on his offer being accepted.

3. The further security required is Bonded Security to the amount shown opposite each Schedule, which together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due performance of the agreement.

	Deposit before Bidding.	Bonded Security on acceptance of offer.
For List No. 1 Company's Rupees	275	1,100
„ „ No. 2 „ „	100	400

4. Verbal offers for the Contracts will be received at this office, on Friday, the 22nd instant, at 12 o'clock noon precisely, when Bidders will be required to bid a percentage above or below the prices exhibited in the above lists, at which the supply will be made.

5. The articles supplied must be of unexceptionable quality, and according to musters which may be seen at this office, or of the sort usually supplied, and are to be delivered, in the first instance, at the Commissariat Stores, if required, and afterwards to the Indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such quantities as may, from time to time, be demanded, being liable to examination and rejection by the Executive Commissariat Officer, or by the indenting or receiving Officer, or by a Committee of Officers appointed on the part of Government, in the event of the Contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers or either of them.

6. In case the said articles or any of them shall be rejected by the Committee so appointed, the said Committee shall not be required to assign or give any reason for such rejection, but the decision of such Committee shall be final and conclusive; and it shall not be competent to the Contractor, his Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, to question such decision in any Court of Law or Equity, or otherwise howsoever.

7. The Contractor must comply immediately with all emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof, or if any supply be rejected or condemned by a Committee as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, may at once be purchased by this Department, at his risk and cost; and in all such cases Thirty (30) per Cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine not exceeding Rupees (50) Fifty, at the option of the Executive Commissariat Officer, shall be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of Contract,—the condemnation of any article by a Committee being held to constitute a breach of Contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the Contractors or by this Department. In every such case the Contract may be cancelled, at the discretion of the Commissary General; and if it be so cancelled, the Cash deposits, mentioned in paragraph 3 of this Notice, will be forfeited to Government.

8. Any delay, negligence, evasion, or refusal on the part of a Contractor to make supplies or obey orders, or any attempt on his part to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place ordered, will subject him to be fined to the extent of Rupees (25) Twenty-five by the Executive Commissariat Officer; an appeal from his order may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but when any of the penalties provided for in the preceding Clause are exacted, no further penalty shall be leviable under this Clause.

9. Any party whose offer is accepted must produce Sureties, such as shall meet the approval of the Cantonment and Civil Authorities within Fifteen days from the date of acceptance of his offer, or the Contracts will be re-sold, and the amount deposited by the Bidder forfeited to Government. No reason will be assigned for rejecting any Security offered.

10. Bills for articles supplied under the Contracts above stated must be preferred for examination within one month from the date of the delivery of the same, or the Contractor will forfeit their full value, unless it clearly appear, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable. Payment of bills passed in this office must be claimed within Five days after they are passed, or the amount will be forfeited to Government.

11. The amount of retrenchments made by the Examining authorities on Contractor's bills will be recovered from the first sums payable to him; but in the event of such retrenchments or any portion thereof being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

12. Any party who, after offering for the Contracts, fails to furnish the necessary security, as provided for in Clause 3 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a Certificate from some individual of unexceptionable character and sufficient means, guaranteeing the due finding of the requisite security, and execution by him of the Deed of Contract, on his offer being accepted.

13. Persons intending to offer may, on application, see a statement of the actual annual consumption during the past years; but it is to be distinctly understood that supplies must be furnished to any extent that may be required, without any reference to such former consumption.

14. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

Poona, Commissariat Office,
12th February 1861.

H. W. HOLLAND, Captain,
Assistant Commissary General, P. D. A.

No. 30.

Notice

Inviting SEALED TENDERS for a CONTRACT for the supply of BOATS, COUNTRY CRAFT, TONNAGE, &c. to the COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT at SURAT.

Persons desirous of entering into a Contract for the supply of Boats, Country Craft, and Tonnage, as may be required by the Commissariat Department at Surat, for one year, commencing from the 1st of March 1861 to the 28th of February 1862, may, on application at this Office, and that of the Deputy Commissary General at the Presidency, from 11 A.M. till 5 P.M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain copies of the Schedule or List of Prices, and such information relating thereto as they may require.

2. Sealed Tenders for the Contract will be received at this Office, and that of the Deputy Commissary General, on Monday the 25th February 1861, at 12 o'clock (noon) precisely. Tenders must specify a per-centage above or below the prices exhibited in the above List at which the supply will be made.

3. No person will be allowed to tender for the Contract unless he deposits in this Office, and that of the Executive Commissariat Office at the Presidency, in cash, the sum of Rupees (250) Two hundred and fifty, which will be forfeited in the event of withdrawal of his Tender before the Commissary General, or other authorised person in that behalf, shall have signified to him, by a notice in writing, his refusal to accept such Tender, or in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal, on his part to furnish the requisite further security, and execute the Deed of Contract when required to do so, on his Tender being accepted.

4. Further security required is Bonded Security to the amount of Rupees (1,000) One thousand. This, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of the Contract.

5. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any Tender.

H. Y. BEALE, Captain,
Commissariat Agent.

Surat, Commissariat Office, 26th January 1860.

CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF TIN WARE.

Persons desirous of entering into a Contract for the supply of such Tin Ware as may be required by the Commissariat Department at the Presidency, for the term of two years from the date of the acceptance of the offer, may, on application at this Office, from 11 A. M. till 5 P. M. daily (Sundays excepted), obtain Copies of the Schedule, or List of Prices, and such information relating thereto as they may require.

2. No person will be allowed to bid for the Contract unless he deposits in this Office, in cash, the sum of Rupees (200) Two hundred, which will be forfeited in the event of withdrawal of his offer before the Commissary General, or other authorised person in that behalf, shall have signified to him, by a notice in writing, his refusal to accept such offer, or, in the event of delay, evasion, or refusal on his part, to furnish the requisite further Security, and execute the Deed of Contract, when required to do so on his offer being accepted.

3. The further security required is Bonded Security to the amount of Rupees (800) Eight hundred, subject to the approval of the Government Solicitor; and this, together with the amount previously deposited, will be held as a guarantee for the due fulfilment of the Contract.

4. Verbal offers for the Contract will be received at this Office, on Tuesday, the 19th instant, at 1 o'clock precisely, when Bidders will be required to bid a percentage above or below the prices exhibited in the above List, at which the supply will be made.

5. The articles supplied must be of unexceptionable quality, and according to musters which may be seen in this Office, or of the exact kind, quality, and description demanded, and are to be delivered, in the first instance, at the Commissariat Stores, if required, and afterwards to the Indenting Departments, in good condition, free of all charges beyond the stipulated price, in such quantities, as may, from time to time, be demanded, being liable to examination and rejection by the Executive Commissariat Officer, or by the Indenting or Receiving Officers, or by a Committee of Officers appointed, on the part of Government, in the event of the Contractor being dissatisfied with the decision of the above Officers, or either of them.

6. In case the said articles, or any of them, shall be rejected by the Committee so appointed, the said Committee shall not be required to assign or give any reason for such rejection, but the decision of such Committee shall be final and conclusive; and it shall not be competent to the Contractor, his Heirs, Executors, or Administrators, to question such decision in any Court of Law or Equity, or otherwise howsoever.

7. The Contractor must comply immediately with emergent demands, and meet others of less urgency, within the periods stated in the requisitions made upon him; in failure whereof, or if any supply be rejected or condemned by a Committee as aforesaid, the articles, or such others as may be required in lieu thereof, may be at once purchased by this Department at his risk and cost; and in all such cases, Thirty (30) per Cent. upon the amount of expenses incurred, or a fine not exceeding Rupees Fifty (50) at the option of the Executive Commissariat Officer, shall be levied as liquidated damages for each and every such breach of Contract,—the condemnation of any article by a Committee being held to constitute a breach of Contract, whether the rejected articles be replaced by the Contractor or by this Department. In every such case, the Contract may be cancelled at the discretion of the Commissary General; and if it be so cancelled, the Cash deposit, mentioned in paragraph 2 of this Notice, will be forfeited to Government.

8. Any delay, negligence, evasion, or refusal, on the part of a Contractor, to make supplies or obey orders, or any attempt on his part, or that of his Agents, to pass off articles of an inferior quality in lieu of those he is bound to supply, or any neglect to deliver them at the time and place appointed, will subject him to be fined to the extent of Rupees Twenty-five (25) by the Executive Commissariat Officer,—an appeal from his order may be made to the Commissary General, whose decision is to be final; but when any of the penalties provided for in the preceding Clause are exacted, no further penalty shall be leviable under this Clause.

9. Any party whose offer is accepted, must produce Sureties, such as shall meet the approval of the Government Solicitor, within Fifteen days from the date of the acceptance of his offer, or the Contract will be resold, and the amount deposited by the Bidder forfeited to Government. No reason will be stated for rejecting any Security offered.

10. Bills for articles supplied under this Contract must be preferred for examination within one month from the date of the delivery of the same, or the Contractor will forfeit their full value, unless it clearly appear, to the satisfaction of the Commissary General, that the delay was unavoidable. Payment of Bills passed in this Office must be claimed within Five days after they are passed, or the amount will be forfeited to Government.

11. The amount of retrenchments made by the auditing authorities on the Contractor's Bills will be recovered from the first sums payable to him; but, in the event of such retrenchments, or any portion thereof, being remitted, the amount remitted will be refunded.

12. Any party who, after offering for the Contract, fails to furnish the necessary security, as provided for in Clauses 3 and 9 of this Notice, will be interdicted from bidding on future occasions, unless he produces a document from some person or persons of unexceptionable character and sufficient means guaranteeing the due finding of the requisite Security, and execution by him of the Deed of Contract on his offer being accepted.

13. Persons intending to offer may, on application, see a statement of the actual annual

consumption during the past years; but it is to be distinctly understood that supplies must be furnished to any extent required, without reference to such former consumption.

14. No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

Bombay, Deputy Commissary General's Office, 12th February 1861.

J. B. DUNSTERVILLE, Captain,
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

No. 29.

Notice.

Verbal Offers will be received at this Office, at Noon precisely, on Monday next, the 18th instant, for the supply of the following Articles, and of such others as this Department may be required to supply during the intermediate period, viz. :—

7 Dessert Spoons, German Silver.	1 Knife, Butcher's.
5 Do. Forks, do. do.	3 Pestles and Mortars, Brass, medium size.
1 Sneaker, Europe, with cover.	17½ Yards Superfine Silk Crimson Velvet, as per muster.
4 Soup Plates.	2 Damask Linen Table Cloths, 8 feet by 6.
1 Table Plate.	2 Do. Napkins, 21 inches square.
1 Coffee Pot, Tin, Europe.	35 Yards Ribbon, Silk, for Hats.
5 Dessert Plates.	1 Axle, &c. for Grinding Stone.
100 Maunds Oil, Castor, 2nd quality.	30 Bolts of Canvas, Europe, best, No. 4.
4 Yards Tin Foil.	1 Scale, Wooden, with Beam, 5 feet.
5,000 Square Feet Plank, Pine, 2 inches thick, 15 to 20 feet long, 9 to 12 inches.	

An immediate deposit of ten per cent. on the amount of his offer (and where the amount of the offer falls short of 2½ Rupees, of 4 annas) must be made by the lowest bidder for the supply of any article.

When an offer is accepted for making supplies within a specified period, and the Tenderer fails to fulfil his agreement, the Cash deposit made at the time of sale will be forfeited to Government; but when circumstances render it necessary to receive the articles from him after the stipulated period, a deduction of five per cent. will be made from the amount of the bill for the same.

Bills for articles supplied must be preferred within one month from the date of the delivery of the articles; in default of which dealers will be liable to forfeit the full value of the supplies for which bills have not been so preferred, unless it clearly appear that the delay was unavoidable. Payment of bills passed in this office must be claimed within five days after they are passed, or the amount will be forfeited to Government.

The supply to be subject to examination and rejection if not approved of, both by this and the indenting Departments; and in case such supply or any part thereof shall be rejected, such rejection shall be final and conclusive; and it shall not be competent to the Tenderer, his Heirs, Executors, or Administrators to question such rejection in any Court of Law or Equity, or otherwise howsoever.

Musters may be seen, and all particulars learnt, on application at this office, from 10 A.M. till 5 P.M. daily, Sundays excepted.

No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any offer.

*Bombay, Deputy Commissary General's Office,
13th February 1861.*

J. B. DUNSTERVILLE, Captain,
Acting Deputy Commissary General.

No. 11.

Notice

Is hereby given, that sealed Tenders will be received at this office, at 12 o'clock (noon), on Monday the 4th proximo, for the purchase of good second sort Flour and Bran, wheaten, from the Government Bakery

The Flour and Bran are to be taken away by the Contractors when called upon to do so as they accumulate, and payment for the same is to be made at the close of the month.

Tenders should specify the quantity per rupee at which the articles will be taken for a period of one year, from the 1st day of March 1861.

Tenders for Flour and Bran must be accompanied by a Deposit of Rupees Five hundred (500), which sum will be held as Security for the prompt removal of the Flour and Bran by the Contractor when required, and the monthly payment of the amounts falling due; and it is to be understood that, if the Contractor fails to remove the Flour and Bran when called on to do so, or to make regular payments for the same, the Commissary General may terminate the Contract, and sequester the Deposit.

All further particulars may be learned on application at this office, from 10 A.M. to 5 o'clock P.M. daily (Sundays excepted).

No reason will be assigned for the rejection of any Tender.

Commissariat Office, Poona, 14th January 1861.

H. W. HOLLAND, Captain,
Assistant Commissary General, P. D. A.

No. 26 of 1860.

Notice.

With reference to Rules and Regulations regarding Transit of Stores and Passengers by the Transport Train, it is notified that a Tax of Rupees Two per Cart on all Merchandise, and Rupees Six on Oilman's Stores, is levied by the Native Powers at Maunpore, as also a fee of Six Annas per Cart for crossing the Ferry at the Nurbudda during the Monsoon. Parties despatching goods by the Transport Train are therefore requested to make arrangements for adjusting this claim, either by payment of the same to this Office when applying for the usual Ticket, or by their Agents at those places.

Bombay, 6th September 1860.

A. L. TAYLOR,
Acting Director Transport Train.

TRANSPORT TRAIN BETWEEN WASSIND AND INDORE.

The Government Bullock Transport Train between Wassind and Indore having been thrown open to the Public, the following Rules and Regulations are published for general information:—

1st. There are Fifty-four Stages between Wassind and Indore, six miles apart : the Cattle will be relieved at every Stage.

2nd. There are three descriptions of Carriages :—

1st Class or Spring Carts for Passengers.

2nd „ Muster Carts „ do.

3rd „ Country Carts „ do. and Goods.

3rd. Of these, until further notice, twenty Carts will be available for Passengers and Goods daily.

4th. Tickets for passages &c. upwards from Wassind will be granted at the Head Quarter Office, Bombay, and downwards at Indore, Mhow, and intermediate Stations, by the Assistant Director or Inspectors on the Line.

5th. The Halting Stations between Wassind and Indore are as follows :—

Tullegaum (Egutpoora)	36 miles.	Sawuldah, near Seerpoor	30 miles.
Nassick	28 „	Scindwah	38 „
Pimpulgaum	18 „	Khull	49 „
Chandore	20 „	Mhow	44 „
Malligaum	24 „	Indore	14 „
Dhoolia	35 „		

Travellers' Bungalow and Messman, at all the above Stations.

PASSENGER TRAIN.

1st. The Train will start at 3 p. m. daily from each end of the Line, and also from each Halting Station, at the same hour; except on Sundays, when Passengers will not be received unless in cases of emergency. This is not applicable to Passengers wishing to travel through without halting; but whenever halts are made, the above hour for starting must be conformed to; if voluntary halts be made at any Station beyond 24 hours, demurrage will be charged at the rate of two Rupees per every hour in excess of that time.

2nd. Twenty pounds of Luggage will be allowed free of charge to Passengers travelling by spring cart, and ten pounds per muster cart. A spring cart will carry two adults, and a muster and country cart, four.

3rd. All Luggage in excess of the above weight must be paid for, and will be sent with the Travellers on country carts at the Train rates of hire; 500 pounds in weight are allowed to each cart in the fair weather, and 400 pounds in the monsoon.

4th. All fares for Passengers and excess Luggage must be prepaid.

5th. Tickets must be shown or given up by Passengers to the Subordinates of the Train, at the Halting Stations on demand. Any Passenger refusing to comply will have to pay the fare from the Terminus in rear to his destination, and will be prevented from proceeding further by the Train, unless the prescribed amount is at once paid or arranged for.

6th. Passengers are on no account whatever to ill-treat the Cattle, Drivers, or Subordinates of the Train. Should any person employed in the Department evince a want of proper civility, or cause unnecessary inconvenience, the same should be reported to the Director at Bombay, or to the Assistant Director at Mhow, detailing all particulars, with the names of the Drivers, Stations, Dates, &c.

7th. Passengers are earnestly requested to conform strictly to the above Rules, as infringements of them not only disturb the arrangements of the Department and interrupt the working of the Train, but may cause considerable inconvenience to themselves.

GOODS TRAIN.

1st. The Train will start from Wassind and intermediate Halting Stations downwards at 3 p. m. daily, and upwards to Bombay from Indore, Mhow, and other Halting Stations at 9 a.m.

2nd. Until arrangements are made for receiving Goods in Bombay, Consignees must forward them by Railway at their own cost to Wassind,—but Tickets for Goods must be obtained and paid for at the Head Quarter Office, Bombay. These Tickets should be enclosed or presented to the Inspector of the Transport Train at Wassind, who will, on receipt of the Goods from Bombay by Railway, forward them to their respective destinations.

3rd. Goods, including Opium, intended for despatch upward, will in like manner be forwarded from Indore, Mhow, and all the principal intermediate Stations.

4th. Goods Trains will necessarily travel at a slower rate than Passenger Trains, and be subject to greater detention at the Halting Stations, for examination and such repairs to carts, as may be found necessary.

5th. One spare cart will be allowed to every ten engaged for Opium and other Goods, for the accommodation of the Escort in charge, and to prevent delay in cases of accident.

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2nd.—Goods of all descriptions will be charged by weight; bulky and light goods will be charged by measurement.—2 cubic feet to a Bengal maund.

4th.—One country cart will carry 800 lbs. during the fair weather, and 600 lbs. only at other seasons.

6th.—The Transport Train Department will not be responsible for any losses by highway robbery that may take place in transit, or from damage done to goods, owing to insufficient packing.