

Marine (1897) Department.

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DATED 2 January

[Despatch Abstract.]

Loss of mineral oil: The India Office should be informed of the — caused by defective soldering and packing and the recovery of the short delivery of 9 gallons from the Suppliers, suggested.

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accompanying copy of
a letter S^c 422 G dated
19th December 1896. from
the Presidency Post
office, in regard to
loss of mineral oil
caused by defective
soldering and packing

and to suggest that
the short delivery of 9
gallons may be recovered
from the suppliers and
added to the next
consignment.

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Marine (1896) Department.

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The Hon. Mr. G. S. E.

In Orders

Whether any further
representation need be made
to the India office. Defective
packing and stowage have
already been brought to notice.
Under correspondence quoted
below.

From,

The Presidency Port Office,
Madras

No. 422 G.

Letter to India office ho. 641 Marine
d. 18 Feb. 96
Do - ho. 811 Marine d. 23 Nov 96.
Do from - do - received with
20.825 Marine d. 27 Nov 96

Dated 19 December 1896.
Received 21st Dec 96.
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SUBJECT.

Bringing to notice the
shortage of 9 Gallons
of heavy mineral oil
received from Europe
and suggesting that
India office may be
addressed in view to
the deficiency being made
good on the next supply.

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The loss in the former case was
much smaller. I think we
shd represent that this loss might
be made good in future
supplies.

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BACK PAPERS.

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FURTHER PAPERS.

No. 422 G

Heading.

PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICE,
Madras, 19 December 1896.

From

Commander H. A. Street, R. I. M. 1

PRESIDENCY PORT OFFICER,

Madras,

To

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,

MARINE DEPARTMENT,

Черпак.

SIR,

With reference to a consignment of 1200 gallons of heavy mineral oil received from Europe by the S.S. "Saint Ronald", 5 cases which were leaky, were examined and found to contain 9 gallons short, owing to defective soldering and a hole in one of the tins caused probably during packing.

2. The survey Committee are of opinion that neither the ship nor the Landing Contract is

is liable for the loss, and under
the circumstances I submit that
the India office may be addressed
on the subject in view to the deficiency
being made good by the suppliers
on the next occasion of a consignment
being sent here.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

your obedt. servant,

H. H. the

Commander, R. I. M.,

Presy. Fort Officer

J. H.