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Public Works DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
6th December 1865.*

No. 140. Read the following letter from the Superintendent of Marine, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated Madras, 28th November 1865, No. 4,048 :—

1. I have the honor to report that on examining the Pier yesterday morning, with the view of ascertaining whether it had sustained any damage during the late cyclone, it was found that the whole of the T head had been more or less shaken; one at least of the iron bracings was broken, and many bent; and at the north east end all the fender piles, horizontal as well as perpendicular, were washed away, as well as a great deal of the platform.

2. Although the Pier is perfectly safe, it has been so much injured that I would suggest the formation of a Committee of Engineer Officers to report on it, in order that prompt measures may be taken for its repair, and means considered for its future stability.

3. It is with much satisfaction that I can add that the portion of the Pier which has lately been decked over, and which was completed but a few days before the cyclone, has stood well, although in-shore of it some of the platform has been forced up by the sea.

Transferred to the Public Works Department.

(Signed) A. J. ARBUTHNOT,

Chief Secretary.

29th November 1865.

No. 141. ORDER THEREON, 6th December 1865, No. 3.702.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 24.

The Government are glad to learn that the Pier is considered by the Superintendent of Marine to have stood the severe trial to which it was exposed during the late storm without sustaining any serious material damage; but, concurring with Captain Franklin that it will be advisable to obtain the opinion of professional Officers on the present condition of the structure, His Excellency the Governor in Council resolves to nominate the undermentioned Officers to form a Committee to examine and report on it:—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. Anderson, Royal Engineers.

Mr. W. Fraser, Civil Engineer.

Mr. R. F. Chisholm, Civil Engineer.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) CHARLES A. ORR, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintendent of Marine.

To Lieut.-Colonel J. Anderson, R.E.

„ W. Fraser, Esq., C.E.

„ R. F. Chisholm, Esq., C.E.

To the Marine Department.

„ Superintending Engineer, 4th Division.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

Madras
Marine Supdt. Office
28th November 1862

From A. 4048
J. J. Franklin Esqr.
Superintendent of Marine

To
The Honble A. J. Arbuthnot
Chief Secretary to Government
Marine Department
Fort St. George

Sir

I have the honor to report that on examining the pier yesterday morning with the view of ascertaining whether it had sustained any damage during the late Cyclone, it was found that the whole of the T head had been more or less shaken, one at least of the iron bracing was broken, and many bent, and at the N. E. end all the fender piles, horizontal as well as perpendicular, were washed away, as well as a great deal of the platform.

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I have the honor to be

very respectfully,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant

Wm. H. W.

Superintendent of Marine

Department of the Navy
Washington
The following is a list of the names of the
persons who have been appointed to the
positions of Assistant Surgeons in the
Department of the Navy, and who are
now serving in the various branches of
the service. The names are given in
alphabetical order, and the positions
to which they are appointed are given
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W. H. W.

Received of the
Department of the Navy
the sum of \$100.00
for the purchase of
the following articles
of clothing and
equipment for the
use of the
Department of the Navy
at the rate of \$1.00
per article.

Circular

No 3702

Proceedings of the Madrid Government

Under date the 6th ^{Decr} ~~Nov~~ 1865
Read the following

From the Superintendent of Marine.

Submits a report of the damages sustained by the pier during the late Cyclone & suggests that a Committee be formed to report upon it.

(Here enters 28th Nov 1865)

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I went to look at the Pier on Tuesday. I found that the two ends of the T cross head had been forced inwards. That several of the angle iron braces had been bent & some broken. but I agree with Mr Franklin that no serious damage has been done. This evident however that these ends of the T head are the weak parts of the Pier & the officer appointed should turn their attention to the means of strengthening them

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It would be advantageous to have if Mr. Smart of the Railway could be appealed with the further condition

Submitted to
Mr. W. W. Smith
29th Nov 1865
W. J. Cunningham
Chief Engineer

Received 28th Nov 1865
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To The Supt of Marine

Lt Col I Anderson R.E.

W. Fraser Esq C.E.

R F Chisholm Esq

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