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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
12th August 1867.*

No. 298. Read the following letter from the Officer in charge of Public Works Store Department, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Chepauk, 31st July 1867, No. 475:—

1. I have the honor to forward, for transmission to the Home Government, the Packing Account of Public Works Stores per "Derwentwater," for Madras.

2. With the exception of 35 flanged pipes delivered broken, and a trifle deficient in the extras supplied, the rest of the stores were received correct and in good order. The value of the damaged pipes has been recovered from the parties liable, as per Proceedings of the Committee of Survey accompanying.

3. The delay in the submission of the Packing Account is owing to the final receipt for the stores forwarded to Bangalore, for the Ulsoor Water Supply Project, being only now received. The Assistant Engineer in charge of the Range explains that the large and promiscuous quantity of stores forwarded rendered a careful scrutiny of the contents of the packages necessary, especially as some of the cases and packages stated to have been despatched by rail in good condition were delivered broken, and their contents mixed up with the articles sent loose, so that it was found exceedingly troublesome to separate the different kinds of pipes, &c. It is, however, satisfactory that all the articles have been correctly received.

Proceedings of a Committee of Survey held at Abercrombie's Battery, on Thursday the 7th March 1867, to examine and report upon 35 cast-iron flanged pipes landed per "Derwentwater" for the Public Works Department.

President.

F. L. MONCRIEFF, Esq., General Superintendent Public Works Stores and Workshops.

Members.

J. B. CROWTHER, Esq., Deputy Master Attendant.

G. B. SHAW, Esq., Appraiser, Sea Customs.

The Commander of the Ship "Derwentwater" in attendance.

The Committee proceed to examine 35 pipes of the dimensions below specified:—

10 Inch, length 9 feet, 2.	9 Inch, length 9 feet, 1.
8 " " 9 " 4.	7 " " 9 " 3.
6 " " 9 " 8.	4 " " 9 " 4.
3 " " 9 " 1.	2½ " " 6 " 7.
2 " " 6 " 4.	Branch pipe 4 inch, 1.

The Committee observe that the whole of the above pipes are so much damaged, the flanges being more or less broken, as to render them irreparable, and consequently useless. The Master Attendant reports that two pipes, 7 inches, were broken by the Pier Contractor in landing them, and that the rest were broken on board the ship. The Committee are of opinion that, with the exception of two pipes, 7 inches, with which the Pier Contractor is chargeable, the ship is liable for the remaining 33 pipes.

(Signed) F. L. MONCRIEFF, C. E.,

General Superintendent P. W. Stores, &c., President.

(Signed) J. B. CROWTHER,

Deputy Master Attendant,

(Signed) G. B. SHAW,

Appraiser, Sea Customs,

Members.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,

Under Secy. to Govt., P. W. D., in charge.

J. H. M. Shaw Stewart
Under Secretary to Govt. P. W. D. in charge

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
12th August 1867.*

No. 299. ORDER THEREON, 12th August 1867, No. 2,459.

ACCOUNT, No. 35.

Ordered that the Packing Account received with this letter be forwarded to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

(Here enter No. 2,460, dated 12th August 1867.)

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,
Under Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT,
FORT SAINT GEORGE,
12th August 1867.

No. 2,460.

No. 300.
To

THE UNDER SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA.

SIR,

ACCOUNT, No. 36.

1. I am directed to re-transmit to the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India the original Packing

Account of Public Works Stores shipped per "Derwentwater," and to state that, with the following exceptions, the articles enumerated in the Account have been received in good order:—

35 Flanged pipes	...	...	Broken.
1 Cast-iron flange drilled and tapped to	...	...	...
1" gas for wrought-iron branches	...	...	Deficient.
1 Do. do. tapped to 1½" gas for do.	...	...	Do.
1 ½" wrought-iron bolts for attaching	...	...	Do.
flanges to branches	...	...	...
16 Gallons Black Varnish	...	...	Short delivered.

2. The Survey Committee, a copy of whose Proceedings is enclosed, have adjudged that the value of two of the flanged pipes is chargeable to the Pier Contractor, and that the ship is liable for the remaining 33 pipes. Of the other articles entered above, the value of the 16 gallons of Black Varnish, which was short delivered, has been recovered.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

(Signed) J. H. M. SHAW STEWART, Major, R. E.,

Under Secretary to Government.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

*W. H. M. Stewart Major R.E.
Under Secretary to Govt. P. W. D. in Charge*

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Proceedings of a Committee of Survey held at Abercrom-
bie Battery on Thursday the 7th March 1867 to examine and
report upon 35 Cast iron flanged pipes landed per "Derwentwater"
for the P. W. D.

President

F. L. Moncrieff Esq^r Gen^l Supt^r P. W. D. Stores & Workshops
Members.

J. B. Crowther Esq^r Dr^r Master Attendant.

G. B. Shaw Esq^r Appraiser Sea Customs.

The Commander of the Ship "Derwentwater" in attendance.

The Committee proceed to examine 35 Pipes of the dimensions below
specified

10 inch length 9 feet - 2 - 9 inch length 9 feet - 1 -

8 inch length 9 feet - 4 - 7 inch length 9 feet - 3 -

6 inch length 9 feet - 8 - 4 inch length 9 feet - 4 -

3 inch length 9 feet - 1 - 2 1/2 inch length 6 feet - 7 -

2 inch length 6 feet - 4 - Branch pipe 4 inch - 1 -

The Committee observe that the whole of the above pipes are so
much damaged, the flanges being more or less broken, as to render them
irreparable and consequently useless. The Master attendant reports that
two Pipes 7 inches were broken by the Pier Contractor in landing
them, and that the rest were broken on board the ship. The
Committee are of opinion that, with the exception of two pipes 7 inches
with which the Pier Contractor is chargeable, the ship is liable
for the remaining 33 pipes.

1 Signed F. L. Moncrieff C.E. } President
Gen^l Supt^r P. W. D. Stores & Workshops

1 Signed J. B. Crowther } Members
Dr^r Master Attendant

1 Signed G. B. Shaw }
Appraiser Sea Customs

1 True Copy

W. M. Stewart Major R.E.
Under Secretary to Gov^l P. W. D. in charge

No 475
From

Public Works Store Dept.
Chepauk 31st July 1867

Major S. & M. Shaw Stewart B.E.
Under Secretary to Government P.W.D.
in charge of P. W. Store Department

To

Colonel Charles A. Orr B.E.
Secretary to Government P.W.D.
Fort St. George

to: 2 }
by account }
of the Survey }
Committee }

I have the honor to forward, for transmission
to the Home Government, the Packing Account of P.W. Stores
for "Derwentwater" for Madras.

With the exception of 35 flanged pipes delivered
broken, and a trifling deficit in the extras supplied, the rest of
the stores were received correct and in good order. The value of
the damaged pipes has been recovered from the parties liable,
as per Proceedings of the Committee of Survey accompanying.

The delay in the submission of this Packing
account is owing to the final receipt for the stores forwarded
to Bangalore for the Ulloor Water Supply project being only
now received. The Assistant Engineer in charge of the Range
explains that the large and promiscuous quantity of stores
forwarded rendered a careful scrutiny of the contents of
the packages necessary, especially as some of the cases and
packages

Enclosed in a letter from the
Officer in charge of P.W. Stores
to the Secretary to Government
No 4757 of 31st July 1867

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Proceedings of a Committee of
Survey held on 1st March 1867
to examine and report on the
cost of the flanged pipes found
for Derwentwater for the P.W.D.

packages stated to have been despatched by rail in good condition, were delivered broken, and their contents mixed up with the articles sent loose, so that it was found exceedingly troublesome to separate the different kinds of pipes &c. It is however satisfactory that all the articles have been correctly received.

I have the honor to be

Sir

Your most obedient servant

W. M. Stewart Esq. R. E.

Under Secretary to Government P. & D. in charge

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Forwarded by account
of the same for Government
for transmission to England
and explain the cause of delay
in submitting it

Dated 31st July 1867
Received by Secretary
No 1475
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To the Secretary & Government
of the Public Works
Department
No. 24579
From
The Officer in charge of P. W. Stores
Department

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Account

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Public Works Department.

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PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 12th Aug/67

Read the following

From The Officer in charge of P. W. Stores
Department

(Here enter No. 475 dated 31st July 1867)

Ordered that the Pack-
ing Account received with
this letter be forwarded to
the Right Honorable the Secretary
of State for India.

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No. 20 of 1867.

To The Under Secretary
of State for India,

W. H. Wood

Sir, I am directed to re-
transmit to the Right Honorable
the Secy. of State for India
the original Packing Ac-
count of Public Works Stores
shipped per "Derwentwater",
and to state that, with
the

1. The first step in the process of identifying a problem is to recognize that a problem exists. This involves gathering information about the situation and identifying the specific issue that needs to be addressed.

the following exceptions,
the articles enumerated
in the Account have
been received in good
order.

35. Flanged pipes - Broken

1. Cast iron flange
drilled and tapped
to 1" gas for wrought
iron branches. } Deficient

1 - do - do - capped } Do
to 1/2 gas per - do }

1- $\frac{1}{2}$ " rough iron bolts
for attaching flanges } do
to branches

16 Gallons. Black Varnish. Short delivered

The Survey Committee,
a copy of whose Proceedings
is enclosed, have adjudged
that the value of two of
the flanged pipes is
chargeable to the Pier
Contractor, and that
the ship is liable for
the remaining thirty
three pipes. Of the
Other

134 Other articles entered above,
the value of the 16 gallons
of Black Varnish, which
was short delivered, has
been recovered.

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Fort St George
12th August 767 }

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P. W. 1867. Department.

Pro: of Govt for August

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PROCEEDINGS OF GOVERNMENT

Dated 12th August 1867

Passing orders on the
Packing Account submitted
by the Officer in charge of the
Public Works Store Department
of Stores received for "Downwards"

Furnishing the Home
Govt with the above Packing
Account and reporting the
damages to certain articles.

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