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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 16th November 1871.

No. 317. Read the following despatch from the Right Honourable the Secretary of State for India, (Public Works,) to His Excellency the Right Honourable the Governor in Council, Fort St. George, dated India Office, London, 4th October 1871, No. 16:—

I HAVE to acknowledge receipt of your despatch, No. 15, dated 31st July last, requesting that measures might be taken for expediting the despatch of the stores remaining to be supplied on certain indents forwarded by your Government.

2. In reply, I transmit herewith a copy of a report* by the Director General of Stores, from which you will see how matters stand with regard to the provision of the stores in question.

* Dated 21st September 1871.

3. With reference to paragraphs 1 and 2 of the Director General's report, I have to state that Mr. F. Doderet, Mathematical Instrument-maker in your Public Works Department, at present on furlough, has been directed to inspect the machines therein mentioned, to make himself conversant with their use, and to take them out with him on his return to India.

Report by the Director General of Stores, dated 25th September 1871.

WITH reference to the letter from Madras, No. 15, of 31st August, requesting that certain Stores due on Public Works Indents, received with letters No. 63 of 18th December 1866, No. 38 of 22nd December 1868, and No. 2 of 10th January 1870, may be expedited, I have to report as follows, namely:—

Machine, Circular dividing ... ... No. 1
Machine, straight line dividing ... ... ,, 1

These machines are now ready for inspection, but Colonel Strange suggests that as he understands that Mr. Doderet (the head of the Mathematical Instrument Department for which the machines are intended) is at home on leave, and is at present in Germany, and it is very undesirable that these machines should be used by any person less skilful than that gentleman, it will be desirable that Mr. Doderet should inspect the machines in this country, receive the necessary instructions for their use before they are packed, and be authorized to take them out with him on his return.

In this proposal I concur, and I recommend that Mr. Doderet be desired to place himself in communication with this department.

Theodolites, 6 inch ... ... No. 10
Do. 5 ,, ... ,, 8

These instruments are nearly ready, and will be despatched at an early date.

Axes, Pick, 10 lbs. ... ... No. 126

These will be shortly despatched.

Axes, Pick, 7 lbs. ... ... No. 3,465

2,350 of these picks have already been shipped, and the remainder will be expedited.

Picks, Quarry, 8 lbs. ... ... No. 500

Two hundred of these picks have been shipped by the *Carnatic* and the remainder will be expedited.

The other stores referred to have already been despatched to Madras.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, 16th November 1871.

No. 318.

ORDER THEREON, 16th November 1871, No. 2,913.

ACCOUNT, No. 29.

COMMUNICATED to the General Superintendent of Public Works Stores with reference to G. O., No. 1,973, dated 27th July 1871.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the General Superintendent of Public Works Stores.

Exd. S. T. Augustin.

25th September 1871.

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Machine Circular dividing - No. 1
Machine Straight line dividing - " 1

These Machines are now ready for inspection, but Col. Strange suggests that as he understands that Mr. Doderet (the head of the Mathematical Instrument Dept. for which the Machines are intended) is at home on leave and is at present in Germany, and it is very undesirable that these Machines should be used by any person

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In this proposal I concur, and I recommend that Mr Godert be desired to place himself in communication with this Department.

Theodolites 6 inch . . . . . Nº 10
" 5 . . . . . " 8

These instruments are nearly ready, and will be dispatched at an early date. —

Axes Pick 10 lbs. . . . . Nº 126
These will be shortly despatched. —

Axes Pick 7 lbs. . . . Nº 3465.
2350 of these Picks have already been shipped

shipped, and the remainder will be expedited.

Picks Quarry 8 lbs . . . . Nº 500
200 of these Picks have been shipped by the "Carnatic" and the remainder will be expedited.

The other Stores referred to have already been despatched to Madras. —

(sig.) H. C. G. Bedford
for Director General of Stores

No. 7.

Copy Report by the Director General of Stores, dated 21st Septr 1871.

P. W. 16/71.

Recd in Public Works Letter to Madras, No. 16, dated 4th Oct. 1871.

Public Works.
No. 16.

India Office.
London. 4th October 1871.

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His Excellency
The Right Honorable,
The Governor in Council
Fort St. George.

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Director General's report,
I have to state that
Mr. F. Dorset, Mathematical
Instrument Maker in your
Public Works Department,
at present on furlough,
has been directed to
inspect the machines
therein mentioned, to
make himself conversant
with their use, and to
take them out with him
on his return to India.

I have the honor to be;
My Lord,
(Your Lordship's most obedient,
humble servant,

No 6.

Public Works
4th Oct. 1871
Received 9th Novr

To
Lieut & Asst Yt Surgr
No 16.
Esquimalt.

Forwarding with reference, a copy of a Memorandum from the Director of Stores requesting to be supplied with certain Invalids Provisions for the Medical Stores

No 2913 - 16th Novr 71.

With an order

No 2913.
Communicated to the Superintendent Naval Stores with reference to G. O. No 1973 d/ 25 July 1871.

J. Wilson Lieut

Superintendent of Naval Stores

Dockyard 17/11/71.

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PUBLIC WORKS.

To Hee Govt. a Copy of Instructions issued to P.W. Stores

Recd. Encl. 1

G. O. 16 Nov. No. 2913.

Nos. 317 & 318.

Stores. Despatch from Govt. Comdg. Mtn. Surveyor, Copy of Order by the Director Genl of Stores regarding the Stores remaining to be supplied on certain Indents submitted by the Madras Govt. Com! & the Genl Superintg P.W. Stores & workshops.