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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

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No. 5 of 1859.

TO
THE RIGHT HONORABLE LORD STANLEY,
SECRETARY OF STATE FOR INDIA.

MY LORD,

Para. 1. We have now the honor to reply to the undermentioned letters from the late Honorable Court of Directors.

Public Works, 13th July 1858, No. 9.

Marine, 21st July 1858, No. 16.

Public Works, 11th August 1858, No. 10.

Public Works, 1st September 1858, No. 11.

Public Works Letter, dated 13th July 1858, No. 9.

Desire to be furnished with a report of the adaptation or efficiency of the two Scotch Turf Presses shipped to this Presidency on "the Gloriana" in August 1857.

2. We furnished a copy of this Dispatch to the Officiating Chief Engineer and requested him to furnish the report required by the Honorable Court.

Marine Letter, dated 21st July 1858, No. 16.

Paras. 1 @ 5. Honorable Court communicate the names of the manufacturers with whom they have contracted for the supply of the several steam dredging Vessels and Punts, and for a steam Tug for each Dredger referred to in their previous Dispatches, and state that some of these have been shipped and that the others will follow. Forward duplicates of the several Contracts, as well as general instructions for putting the Punts together, and state that Bills of Lading and Invoices will be furnished in due course.

6 & 7. Honorable Court will engage and send out with the Dredges properly qualified Mechanics.

3. Copy of these paras. was communicated to the Chief Engineer and to the Officers concerned. The original Contracts, Drawings and papers of Instructions referred to in para. 4 have been forwarded to the Chief Engineer.

Public Works Letter, dated 11th August 1858, No. 10.

Observe that Government properly declined compliance with the application of Mr. Thomkinson, Mechanical Engineer, for a free passage to England for his wife.

4. We furnished a copy of this Dispatch to the Officiating Chief Engineer for communication to Mr. Thomkinson.

Public Works Letter, dated 1st September 1858, No. 11.

Paras. 2 @ 6. Communicate their views on Mr. Monscrieff's proposal to construct Dredges in the Dowlaishwarum Workshop; 2ndly on the general question of manufacturing in India whatever articles can be made there as well and as cheaply as in Europe; and 3rdly on the proposed enlargement of the Government Factory and consequent increase of Establishment.

5. We furnished a copy of these paragraphs to the Chief Engineer and directed his attention to the views of the Home Authorities, requesting him after communication with the District Engineer of the Godavery Division to report on all the points noticed, and particularly on the proposal to vest in Mr. Monscrieff the entire control of the Dowlaishwarum Factory and to dispense with the services of a Chief Superintendent.

Marine

7. Observe that they have already intimated their intention of sending out properly qualified Mechanics to superintend the working and repair of the Dredges.
8. State that no further application has been made to them by Mr. Jennings for the price of articles supplied for the use of the Neilgherry Barracks.
9. Have complied with the requisition for another Steam Tug for the Kistnah.
10. Will communicate their observations on the Public Works Budget for 1858-59 through the Supreme Government.
11. Will reply to the proposals of the Madras Irrigation and Canal Company.
12. Will reserve their remarks on the Hugry Project until the receipt of the further information promised.
- 13-14. Remarks on the report furnished regarding the foot-way on Screw Piles attached to the Wallajah Bridge.

6. We communicated these paras. to the Chief Engineer; and the information referred to in para. 12 is furnished in the papers recorded in the Cons. 31st Aug. 1858, Nos. 73 at 76. ed in the Con- sultation noted in the margin.

Fort Saint George,
26th March 1859.

We have the honor to be,
My Lord,
Your Lordship's most obedient
humble Servants,

Exd. Wm. Thomas.

No. 5 of 1859. P.W.D. 5E

To
The Right Honorable Lord Stanley
Secretary of State for India

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P.W. 15th July 1858, No. 9.

Received 21st July 1858, No. 16.

P.W. 11th August 1858, No. 10.

P.W. 7th September 1858, No. 12.

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Public Works Letter dated 11th August 1858 N^o 10

Observe that Government properly declined compliance with the application of Mr. Thompson, Mechanical Engineer, for a free passage to England for his wife.

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for communication to Mr. Thompson.

Public Works Letter dated 1st September 1858 N^o 11

Para 2 @ 6. Communicate their views on Mr. Mowbray's proposal to construct Dredges in the Dowlaishwarum workshop; 2nd on the general question of manufacturing in India whatever articles can be made there as well and as cheaply as in Europe; and 3rd on the proposed enlargement of the Government Factory and consequent increase of establishment.

5. We furnished a copy of these paragraphs to the Chief Engineer and directed his attention to the views of the Home authorities, requesting him after communication with the District Engineer of the Godavery Division to report on all the points noticed, and particularly on the proposal to vest in Mr. Mowbray the entire control of the Dowlaishwarum factory and to dispense with the services of a Chief Superintendent.

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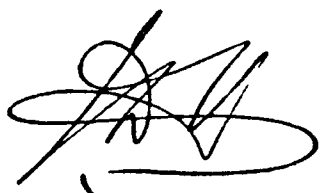
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Left George 26th March 1859

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General Letter to the Right
Honorable the Secretary of State
for India.

Dated 26th March 1859.

Out: }
Days: } *Fr. Steamer Nemesis*
 } 28th March
Trip: *Fr. Steamer Bengal*
 14th April

Copy to the Government of India
of 29th March 1859 No. 735.

Replying to the undermen-
tioned letters from the late Honble
the Court of Directors.

Public Works 13th July 1858 N.G.
Marine 21st " " " " 16.
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