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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
24th November 1874.

No. 424. Read the following despatch from the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India:—

Public Works.

INDIA OFFICE, LONDON,
30th September 1874.

No. 14.

MY LORD,—I have received your Excellency's letter, No. 27, of the 31st July last, regarding certain entries in the statement, dated 17th October 1873, of payments made in England on account of Public Works Stores despatched to India during September 1873.

2. With reference to the point raised in the letter of the Officiating Controller of Public Works Accounts of the 6th July last, I now enclose copy of a memorandum by the Accountant at this Office, together with the duplicate statement therein referred to.

Dated 18th September 1874.

I have, etc.,
SALISBURY.

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

Copy Memorandum by the Accountant, India Office, dated 18th September 1874.

WITH reference to the annexed despatch from India, dated 31st July 1874, stating that a deduction of the value of certain items had been made from a statement relating to Imperial Stores, and had not been added to any statement of Provincial Stores, I have to point out that such addition was made to the account of "Chepauk Workshops"—a Provincial statement, and not Imperial—bearing the same date, 17th October 1873, and transmitted to India by the same mail.

2. A duplicate of that statement is annexed.

(Signed) J. W. KEITH,
Accountant.

Duplicate Statement of Payments made in England on account of Stores and Freight on account of the Chepauk Workshops, and of Invoices despatched to India during the month of September 1873, *showing the Balance of Expenditure uninvoiced at the commencement and close of the month.*

Abstract of Payments.						Abstract of Invoices.			
Date of Payment.	To whom paid.	Particulars.	No. and Date of Indent.	Amount.	Ship's Name.	Date of Invoice.	Ship's Name.	Particulars.	Amount.
1874.	*Amount erroneously charged to Madras Public Works.*			£ s. d.					£. s. d.
28th July.	S. Holdsworth...	Agate cups...	No. 997, 20th Dec. 1872.	4 7 6					
30th ,,	A. Goslett ...	Glass ...	.....	0 19 7					
				5 7 1					
18th Sept.	J. Curtis ...	Catgut, etc...	.....	9 8 8					
15th ,,	Inkes, Coulson, Stokes and Co.	Screws, etc.	.....	10 12 9					
25th ,,	W. W. & R. Johnson & Sons.	Paint ...	.....	8 10 0					
26th ,,	Livett, Frank & Son.	Marine glue.	.....	1 11 3		Balance of Expenditure uninvoiced on 30th September 1873.			35 9 9
				35 9 9					35 9 9

INDIA OFFICE,
12th October 1874.

(Signed) J. W. KEITH,
Accountant.

Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
24th November 1874.

No. 425. ORDER THEREON, 24th November 1874, No. 3,322.

ACCOUNT, No. 20.

COMMUNICATED to the Controller of Public Works Accounts, with reference to his letter recorded with G. O., No. 2,024, dated 28th July 1874.

(True Extract.)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Controller of Public Works Accounts.
,, District Engineer, Presidency.

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Copy Memo: by the Accountant India Office, dated 18th Sept: 1874.

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A duplicate of that statement is annexed.

(Sd) J. W. Keith
Accountant

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No 4.

Copy Memo: by the Accountant of the India Office: with enclosed duplicate Statement.

P. W. 14/74.

Referred to in Public Works Letter to Madras, No 141, dated 30th Sept. 1874

India Office,
London.
30 September 1874.

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I have the honour to be,

My Lord,

Your Lordship's most obedient humble Servant,

Salisbury

P. W. 1743 Dept.
Maj. Godfor Nov.

Public Works,
30th Sept. 1874.

The Rec'd 1 Oct. 74
Letter to Sir H. George
No. 14.
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Forwarding a copy of a Memo: by the Accountant India Office, relating to entries in the Statement of payments made in England on account of P. W. Stores despatched to India during September 1874.

No. 3322-24 Nov/74

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(Communicated to the Controller of Accounts with reference to this letter Receipt Entry No. 3322 of 28th July 1874.

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Controller.
G.E. Presidency.
Dept. Dated 25th/11/74.

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Govt. of 1874 Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The Controller
of
P. W. Accts.

Dated

Recd. Encl. 1.

G. O. 24 Nov. 74. No. 3322

Nos. 424-425.

Public Works Stores ...

Despatch from the Secy of State forwarding a copy of a Mem: by the Accountant Indian Office relating to entries in the Statement of Payments made in England on account of Stores despatched to India during Septr 73, Comd to the Consideration of P W Accounts.