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Government of Madras

Public Works

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
3rd February 1875.*

Read the following papers.—

No 73. From Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. FISCHER, R E, District Engineer, Godavery, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R E, Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 27th February 1874, No. 3,531.

I HAVE the honor to forward an indent in duplicate for a new boiler for the
2 Indents in duplicate. No 2 double row bucket dredge, with a
1 Plan plan of the old boiler showing the neces-
sary particulars, and request you will
be good enough to obtain the boiler from England as soon as practicable; the old
one is almost useless now.

RETURNED to the District Engineer, Godavery, for re submission through the Inspecting Engineer for Ports and Harbours, with reference to G O, No 236, dated 2nd February 1874. The application should be supported with fuller information than has been afforded in this letter.

(Signed) G. W. WALKER, Colonel, R E,
7th March 1874. Chief Engineer, P. W. D.

No 74 From Major J. BEATTY, R E, District Engineer, Godavery, to Colonel G. W. WALKER, R E, Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Dowlaishweram, 28th December 1874, No. 3,024.

WITH reference to your endorsement on my predecessor's letter,* No. 3,531 of 27th February 1874, I have
1 Plan the honor to inform you that the only
1 Indent in duplicate information available regarding the old
1 Letter worn-out boiler of No 2 steam dredger
* Herewith returned for reference is that it has been worked in different ranges since October 1855, when that dredger was ~~broken~~ ^{put} up.

2 There is no record of the number of hours the old boiler has been under steam, but it is now thoroughly worn-out, the dredger cannot be used until it is fitted with a new one, and as the navigation of certain portions of our canals can only be maintained, after the freshes, by dredging, I beg you will be good enough to have the new boiler ordered out as soon as possible.

No. 75 ORDER THEREON, 3rd February 1875, No. 299.

ACCOUNT, No 6

THE provision of a new boiler for No. 2 steam dredger, belonging to the Godavery Delta Works, is approved, and the General Superintendent, Public Works Workshops and Stores, will arrange for procuring one from England as early as possible.

2. It is observed that a horizontal boiler is considered preferable to a vertical one, and that it should be capable with wood fuel of supplying steam for the

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10-horse power engine of the dredger. It will probably be desirable to furnish drawings of the dredger in order that, if a horizontal boiler be provided, the necessary attachments may be suitably designed. It must be noticed that in the District Engineer's later letter the dredger is stated to have been in work since October 1855, while on the plan it is noted that it was constructed in 1857.

3 Looking to the high charges for freight of boilers from England, and to the delay which necessarily occurs in procuring them thence, the Government would wish to know whether arrangements cannot be made for manufacturing boilers in the Government Workshop at Madras of a quality as good as that of those obtained from England.

4. The cost of the boiler will be chargeable to Tools and Plant under Revenue.

(True Extract)

Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the District Engineer, Presidency
" " Godavery
" Chief Engineer for Irrigation
" Controller of Public Works Accounts

No. 3531

District Engineer Godavery
27 Feb 1875

My

Assistant to S. P. Richter R.E.
District Engineer Godavery

Colonel, R.E. Walker R.E.
Secretary to Government, P.W.D.
Madras

I have the honor to forward an indent in duplicate for a new boiler for the No 2 double row bucket dredge with a plan of the old boiler showing the necessary particulars and request you will be good enough to obtain the boiler from England as soon as practicable - the net cost is almost negligible.

I have the honor to be
Yours Most Obedt Servt

W. S. Richter R.E.
District Engineer Godavery

No. 3024.

³¹ District Engineer's Office Godavery
Dowlahwaram 20th December/74

From

Major J. Beatty R.E.

District Engineer Godavery

To

Colonel G.W. Walker R.E.

Chief Engineer D.P.W.

Madras.

Sir,

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