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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
28th July 1876. No. 1,930.*

No. 504. Read the following letter from W. T. THORNTON, Esq., Secretary, Public Works Department, to Major-General G. W. WALKER, R.E., Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, Fort St. George, dated India Office, London, 30th June 1876:—

In reply to your letter of the 8th ultimo, No. 1,146-B, I am directed to transmit herewith, for your information, copy of a memorandum by the Director-General of Stores, dated 29th instant, relative to the loss incurred in the cement for the Madras Harbor Works shipped per S.S. *Tenedos* and *Sultan*.

Copy Memorandum by the Director-General of Stores, dated 29th June 1876.

I beg to report, in reference to annexed letter and enclosures, No. 1,146 B, dated 8th May 1876, from the Secretary to Government, Madras, Public Works Department, that the cement in question was supplied under the superintendence of Mr. Parkes, the Engineer of the Madras Harbor Works, who states that the casks are of precisely the same quality as those which conveyed 3,500 tons of cement to Kurrachee without appreciable loss, also that any serviceable improvement in the quality of the casks used for this service would cost more than the 8 per cent. of cement stated to have been lost.

2. He attributes the loss to the want of that careful handling which can hardly be expected when the cement is shipped per steamers, and recommends therefore that no action be taken until reports of the cargoes landed from sailing vessels and at the pier instead of on the beach (as to which he has already sent out instructions) have been received.

(Signed) G. C. TALBOT.

No. 505. ORDER THEREON, 28th July 1876, No. 1,930.

CIVIL WORKS, No. 40.

ORDERED to be recorded.

(True Extract.)

Colonel,
Offg. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the Superintendent, Madras Harbor Works.

Exd. J. W. Fisher.

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Copy memorandum by the Director General
of Stores, dated 29th June, 1876.

I beg to report in reference to annexed
Letter and enclosures, No: 1146 B. dated 8 May
1876, from the Secretary to Government, Madras,
P. W. Department, that the Cement in question
was supplied under the superintendence of Mr
Parker the Engineer of the Madras Harbour Works,
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already sent out instructions) have been received.
(Signed) General C. Talbot

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It is requested that any further communication on this subject may be addressed to
The Under Secretary of State for India,
India Office,
London,
S.W.

India Office,
London, 30th June, 1876.

Public Works.

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In reply to your letter of the 8th ultimo, N^o 21, I am directed to transmit herewith; for your information, copy of a memorandum by the Director General of Stores dated 29th instant, relative to the loss incurred in the cement for the Madras Harbour Works shipped per S.S. "Tenchos" and "Sultan".

I have the honor to be
Sir,

Yours most obedient servant

H. T. Horster

Secretary

Publ. Works Department

The Secretary to the
Government of Madras,
Public Works Department.
Fort St. George.

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The Secretary of State
P.H.
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Forwarding copy of Memo
by the Director General of Mines
relative to the loss incurred
in the cement for the Madras
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Supt. Madras Harbour Works

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To

The Supt. Madras Harbours
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Cement for the Madras
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Letter from the Secy. to
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With Order