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Government of Madras.

Public Works **DEPARTMENT.**

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department,
19th April 1877. No. 1,339.*

No. 449. Read the following letter from F. N. THOROWGOOD, Esq., Superintendent, Madras Harbour Works, to the Acting Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, Buildings and Roads Branch, dated Madras, 9th April 1877, No. 5 B:—

In the Progress Report for these works, dated April 2nd, 1877, I mentioned that the Engineers of the *Hobart* and *Salisbury* had sent in three months' notice of their intention to resign.

2. I now have the honor to state the case in greater detail, and to request that the services of four other Engineers be obtained from home for a period of three years.

3. The dates of the letters of resignation are as follow:—

William Telford, 1st Engineer, *Salisbury*, March 20th, 1877, (his time therefore will expire on June 20th, 1877).

W. Wrench, 1st Engineer, *Hobart*, March 26th, 1877, (his time will expire on June 26th, 1877).

G. Smith and Robert Wiseman, 2nd Engineers of the *Salisbury* and *Hobart*, both gave notice on March 27th, 1877 (their time will therefore expire on June 27th, 1877).

4. I have written to Mr. Parkes by the mail of 31st March, asking him to find other Engineers, but I imagine that the Home Government will want to hear from the Government of Madras on the subject before other Engineers are sent out.

No. 450. ORDER THEREON, 19th April 1877, No. 1,339.

ESTABLISHMENT, No. 29.

THE Home Government will be
addressed upon the matter.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Superintendent of Madras Harbour Works.

Exd. S. T. Austin.
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From

THE SUPERINTENDENT,

MADRAS HARBOUR WORKS.

To

The Acting Chief Engineer
for Roads & Buildings
Fort St. George

MADRAS,

9th April

1877

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the mail of 31st March, asking him to
find other Engineers, but I imagine that
the Home Government will want to hear
from the Government of Madras on the sub-
ject before other Engineers are sent out.

I have the honor to be

Sir,
Your most Obedt Servant

F. N. Thoroughgood

Superintendent

Madras Harbour Works

J. H. D.
To, The Most Honourable the Secy of State
for India.

My Lord Marquis,

Your Lordship in
your Public Works letter
of the 6th April 1876,

No. 11 informed us that
two Engineers had been
engaged for each of the
Steam hopper barges built
for use on the Madras
Harbour Works.

2. Mr. Thornegood,
the Superintendent of the
Works, now reports that
there

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these four men, Telford,
Wiseman, Wrench, and
Smith, have given notice
of their intention to resign
their posts, and requests
that other four Engineers
may be appointed in their
places. He has ~~already~~
addressed Mr. Parkes,
who, we doubt not, will
already have placed
himself in communication
with ^{the India Office} ~~your Lordship~~ on
the subject.

3. We forward a copy
of Mr. Thoroughgood's letter
from which will be seen
the several dates from
which the resignations will
take effect. And we have

the

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the honor to suggest that
it might not be inadvisable
to have entered in the
contracts of ^{the} men, whom
your Lordship may now
appoint, some conditions
which will bind them
to continue in their posts
for at least two years,
if not for the three years
during which their services
will be required.

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11/4/77

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Govt. of Madras.

PUBLIC WORKS.

To The Supt. P. W. Works

Dated

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Encl.

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Engineers of the Steam
Hopper Barges employed
in the Madras Harbour Dock.

The Home Govt requested
to send out four engineers
in place of the — who
have resigned.

Enty in Reg.

Suggesting the advisability
of entering certain conditions in
the contracts of the new Engineers
hopper or to be appointed in
place of the four Engineers
of the Steam Hopper Barges
employed in the Madras
Harbour Dock who have
resigned.