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18th June 1877, No. 261 W.

General.
Account.

Read the following paper —

No 164 From C G SHAW, Esq, for Director-General of Stores, to the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated London, 24th May 1877.

With reference to the demand included in your indent for stores for the Presidency Workshops, dated 9th February last, for 2,000 lbs. of boxwood, the cost of which is estimated at £25, I have the honor to inform you that the wood cannot be obtained at present for less than six pence per lb, equal to £50 for the quantity required. I have accordingly to inquire whether you wish 2,000 lbs to be provided.

2. The description of the boxwood proposed to be supplied is as follows —viz, "to be not less than 6 inches in diameter and in the usual commercial lengths as imported, to be of the very best selected qualities, thoroughly seasoned, entirely free from sap and all other defects."

No 165 ORDER THEREON, 18th June 1877, No 261 W
Communicated to the District Engineer, Presidency, for report
(True Extract)

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

To the District Engineer, Presidency

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It is requested that the reply may be addressed -
The Director General of Stores,
India Office,
London

India Office, London.

24 May 1877

Sir,
With reference to the demand
included in your Indent for Stores
for the "Presidency Workshops" dated
9th Feb^y last for 2000 lbs of Bone
the cost of which is estimated at
£25, I have the honor to inform
you that the Wood cannot be
obtained at present for less than
6^d per lb equal to £50 for the
quantity required. I have accordingly
to enquire whether you wish 2000 lbs
to be provided.

The description of the Bone
proposed to be supplied was follow-
ing: - "To be not less than six inches

Secretary to Government
Public Works Dept.

M. A. S.

in diameter and in the usual
Commercial lengths as imported;
- to be of the very best selected
Qualities thoroughly seasoned
entirely free from sap and all
other defects.

The President of the
Board of Directors
of the
Board of Directors

Revised 24th May 1877

I have the honor to be
Your most obedient servant

Wm. L. Shaw
Director General of Works

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To the H. C. Presidency

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Indent for stores required
by the Presidency Public
Works Workshops for 1877/78

The remarks of the District
General of stores on the
Command to the Presidency

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