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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

12th April 1878, No. 1,825 W.

General.
Account.

Read the following paper:—

No. 147. Despatch from the Most Honorable the Secretary of State for India.
Public Works, No. 6. INDIA OFFICE, LONDON,
14th March 1878.

MY LORD DUKE,—With reference to your Secretary's letter in this department, No. 37 B, dated 3rd September 1877, drawing attention to certain discrepancies between the entries in the Packing Account of Public Works Stores shipped per S.S. *Hydaspes* in April last and the stores actually received at Madras, I forward, herewith, copy of a report* on the subject by the Director-General of Stores for your information.

* Dated 9th February 1878.

I have, &c.,
SALISBURY.

His Excellency the Most Noble
The Governor in Council, Fort St. George.

Copy of a Report by the Director-General of Stores, dated 9th February 1878.

With regard to the excesses and discrepancies in the stores landed from the S.S. *Hydaspes* at Madras enumerated in the enclosure to the letter from the Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, No. 37 B, of 3rd September 1877, and in the returned Packing Accounts, I beg to submit the following explanations:—

EXCESSES.

Imperial, Civil and Military Buildings.

2 hammers, 4 lb.
Delivered in excess by suppliers, but not charged for the value being trifling.

Provincial.

100 hammers, hand, cast-steel, 4 lb.

Famine.

400 bill-hooks.
350 hammers, stone-breaking, 3 lb. | 500 hammers, stone-breaking, 2 lb.

These articles by a clerical oversight were omitted from the Packing Account.

An amended Packing Account including the first two items was forwarded on the 27th September last, when their omission from the original was discovered.

DEFICIENCIES.

Famine.

46 hammers, 1 lb. | 3 hammers, 3 lb.
36 do. 2 " | 1 do. 12 "

As the packing was undertaken by the contractors they are responsible for these deficiencies and have been called upon to make them good. The hammers when received will be shipped by an early opportunity.

Famine.

Loose, 7 mammoets, 5 lb. | Loose, 12 axes, pick, 7 lb.
 Do. 12 do. 6, |

These implements not having been delivered in accordance with the Bill of Lading their value was properly deducted from the freight due at Madras.

No. 148.

ORDER THEREON, 12th April 1878, No. 1,825 W.

COMMUNICATED to the District Engineer, Presidency.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) E. A. FOORD, Colonel, R.E.,
 Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

(True Copy.)

Major, R.E.,
 Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.

To the District Engineer, Presidency,
 with G.O., No. 679 W, dated 3rd September 1877.

Exd. A. S. Rodgers.
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GENERAL
ACCOUNT.

Govt. of (1878) Hydres.
PUBLIC WORKS.

THE DISTRICT ENGINEER,
PRESIDENCY.

Dated April 1878.

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G. O., 12th April 1878, No. 1895 W.

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No. 147-148.

Packing Account, Public Works Stores.—
Despatch from Secretary of State forwarding
report of the Director-General of Stores
explaining discrepancies between the stores
in the — and those actually received per
S.S. Hydaspes in April last, communicated
to District Engineer, Presidency.

Public Works
No. 6.

India Office, London
14th March 1878.

My Lord Duke,

With reference to
your Secretary's letter
in this Department,
No. 37 B dated 3rd
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the entries in the Packing
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last, and the Stores
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His Excellency,
The Most Noble,
The Governor in Council
Fort St. George.

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Report on the subject
by the Director General
of Stores for your
information.

I have the honor to be,
My Lord Duke,
Your Grace's most obedient
humble servant

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dated 9th February 1878

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Copy of a Report by the Director General of Stores
dated 9th February 1878

With regard to the excesses & discrepancies in
the Stores landed from the S.S. "Hydaspes" at
Madras enumerated in the Enclosure to the
Letter from the Secretary to Government
Public Works Department No 373 of 3rd September
1877, and in the returned Packing Accounts
I beg to submit the following explanations:-

Excesses

Imperial Civil and Military Buildings

2 Hammers, 4 lbs

Delivered in excess by Suppliers, but not
charged for the value being trifling.

Provincial

100 Hammers handcast Steel, 4 lbs

Famine

400 Bill hooks

350 Hammers Stone breaking 3 lbs.

500 " " " 2 "

These Articles by a clerical oversight were
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from the original was discovered.

Deficiencies

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Famine

46 Stammers 1 lb.
36 " 2 "
3 " 3 "
1 " 12 "

As the Packing was undertaken by the Contractors they are responsible for these deficiencies, and have been called upon to make them good. The Stammers when received will be shipped by an early opportunity.

Famine

Loose 7 Mamooties 5 lbs.
12 " 6 "
12 Axes, Pick 7 "

These Implements not having been delivered in accordance with the Bill of Lading, their Value was properly deducted from the freight due at Madras.

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Copy Report by Director
General of stores, dated
9th February 1870.

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Received in Public Works Letter to
Madras, M. C., dated 14th March 1873

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Govt. of Madras

PUBLIC WORKS.

To

H. L. Bay

Dated

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Encl.

G. O., 12 April 1878, No. 1825.11

Nos.

Packing account P.W. stores

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