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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

7th July 1880, No. 1,593 W.

Buildings and Roads.
Civil Works.

Read the following paper :—

No. 30. From Lieutenant W. L. C. BADDELEY, R.E., General Superintendent, Public Works Workshops, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department dated Madras, 24th June 1880, No. 766 W.

I HAVE the honor to report that in November 1878, Mr. Faulkner, the Acting Superintendent of this Workshop, visited Coimbatore with a view to procuring some Anaimalai teak.

2. From his report, No. 3,779, which is printed with G.O., No. 386, of the 14th February 1879, it will be observed that reference is made to the selection by the Gun Carriage Overseer and the Superintendent of the Range of 25 first-class logs.

3. I took charge of the Workshops in January 1879, but it was not until January 1880 that the Deputy Conservator of Forests of Coimbatore despatched any of the timber, and on attempting to use it I find that it is of very bad quality, and that the greater portion of it will be wastage.

4. Under these circumstances, I would beg to ask that the Workshop should not have to accept the timber for the following reasons:—

1st.—That the wood should not have been sent to the Workshop more than a year after it was ordered without inquiry being made as to whether it was still wanted.

2nd.—Mr. Faulkner's requisition for "the best logs" has not been at all complied with.

5. In conclusion, I would observe that the price of this timber will, in all probability, be about Rs. 150 per ton, while that which is now being used in the Workshop cost Rs. 70 per ton.

No. 31. ORDER THEREON, 7th July 1880, No. 1,593 W.

COMMUNICATED to the Revenue Department, in which the Conservator of Forests will be desired to account for the delay in complying with Mr. Faulkner's indent, and for the bad quality of the timber supplied.

2. The Government direct that no more logs be despatched on Mr. Faulkner's order of November 1878, and that those already despatched be accepted by the Superintendent of the Workshops, and paid for at their fair local market price, with reference to the quality.

(True Extract.)

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

To the Revenue Department.
General Superintendent, Public Works Workshops.

Exd. E. C. Shunker.
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BUILDINGS AND ROADS.
CIVIL WORKS.

Govt. of (1880) Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To

The REVENUE DEPARTMENT,

Sec. Sec. Sec.

Dated July, 1880.

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G. O., 7th July 1880, No. 1,593 W.

JULY.

Nos. 30-31.

Teak Timber supplied by the Conservator of Forests.—Directing that no more be despatched to the Public Works Workshops on the order of Mr. Faulkner of November 1878.

P. W. DEPARTMENT.

Read the following:—

Letter from the General Superintendent
P. H. G. Keshava, No. 386 of 14th February
1877.

FOR ORDERS.

It appears from the
Revenue Department
No. 386 of 14th February
1877, that Mr. Faulkner
ordered in November
1876 twenty five of
"the best logs" from the
Ariyalur forest to
be sent to the P. H.
G. Keshava at Madras.
But that no logs were
despatched.
This order till January

1880.

1880, and that the quality
was found to be very
inferior while the price
is more than double
that at which good
timber can be procured
in the local market.
It appears obvious
that the Government
cannot be expected
to pay double price
for inferior timber
despatched more than
a year after it was
ordered, and it is suggested
that the Government
postpone the order
to despatch no more
timber upon the present
order.

1873
order of November 1873;
the amount already
despatched should
be accepted by the
Superintendent and
paid for at its fair
local market price,
with reference to its
quality.

A. M. Lambey
Colonial Secy.
Secy: to Government
P. S. D.
3 July 80.

FOR ORDERS.

Presiding P. W. Workshop.
PUBLIC WORKS STORE DEPARTMENT,
Madras, 24th June 1880.

No. 766^W S.

From

THE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT,

PUBLIC WORKS STORE DEPARTMENT, Workshop.

To

THE

Chief Engineer

D.P.W.

Chennai.

SIR,

Enclosures.

I have the honor to report that, in November 1878, Mr. Faulkner the Acting Superintendent of this Workshop, visited Coimbatore, with a view to procuring some Annamullay teak.

2. From his Report No. 3779, which is printed with G.O. No. 386 of the 14th February 1879, it will be observed that reference is made to the selection by the Gun carriage Overseer and the Superintendent of the Range, of 25 first class Logs.

3. I took charge of the Workshop in January 1879, but it was not until January 1880 that the Deputy Conservator of Forests of Coimbatore despatched any of the timber, and on attempting to use it, I find that it is of very bad quality.

Car. S. P. W. R. M. S. J. S. S.
24th 1880

quality, and that the greater portion of it will be wastage.

4 Under these circumstances, I would beg to ask that the Workshop should not have to accept the timber for the following reasons:-

1st That the wood should not have been sent to the Workshop more than a year after it was ordered, without enquiry being made as to whether it was still wanted.

2nd Mr Faulkner's requisition, for "the best Logs" has not been at all complied with.

5 In conclusion, I would observe that the price of this timber will, in all probability, be about Rupees 150 per Ton, while that which is now being used in the Workshop, cost Rupees 70 per Ton.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedt Servt.

W. C. Budden

Sent. R. Co.

Genl. Suptt. P. W. Workshops

GO. No. 3910 W a/s 10-78
No. 563 W. 21-2-79

Public Works Store Department.

From P.W.D.
The General Superintendent,
P. W. Stores, &c.,
Madras,

To The Chief Engineer
D. P. M.
Madras

No. 766 H.S.

Dated 24 June 1880.
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No. of ENCLOSURES. ✓

Subject

Under the circum-
stances represented within
ask that the Workshop should
not have to accept the Anna
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by the Conservator of Forests
Coimbatore - on a Reqn by
Mr. Faulkner his predecessor.

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Not under
order.

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PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Under date the 7 July 80
Read the following :—

From the Genl Supt.
Mr. Workshops (H.E. No. 766 H.S. of 24 June 1880)

Communicated
to the Revenue Dept.,
in which the Conserv-
ator of Forests will
be desired to ac-
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Mr. Faulkner's indent,
and for the quality
of the timber sup-
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2. The Government
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with reference to the
quality.

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Rev. Supt. ✓
Genl. Supt. Mr. Workshops

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Gobt. of Madras.
PUBLIC WORKS.

To *98*

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O.O. 7th July 1880 No. 1593-

Nos. 30-31

Lead timber supplied
by the Comptroller of Forests.
Directing that ~~no~~
~~no~~ more — be
despatched to the
two shops on
the order of Mr. Faulkner
of Nov. 1878.

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