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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

No. 141.

Read—the following papers:—

From the Government of India, Public Works Department, (Account—General,) dated Fort William, 12th December 1882, No. 403 A.G.

Proceedings of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, (Stores,) dated Calcutta, 1st December 1882, No. 2957.

Read—again the undermentioned papers regarding the supply of stores required for the public service in India:—

Financial Resolution No. 3574, dated 3rd November 1880.

" " " 953, " 10th June 1881.

" Circular " 220, " 28th April "

" " " 621, " 14th May "

Read—also—

Communication from the Public Works Department, No. 8 A.G., dated 9th January 1882, forwarding returns showing the European stores purchased locally during the last two years by the Military Works Branch of the department.

Resolution—

From the returns forwarded by the Public Works Department a list has been prepared and is appended to this Resolution, showing articles which, on the information before the Governor-General in Council, it is possible to obtain of Indian manufacture. His Excellency in Council accordingly directs that in future these articles shall be procured of Indian manufacture whenever it is possible to obtain them of quality good enough for the purposes for which they are required and at prices not higher than the cost of articles of similar quality imported from England. In no case should articles of these classes or of others which the country is capable of supplying be indented for until careful and extended inquiry has shown that the locally manufactured articles are substantially inferior in quality to, or dearer than, similar articles supplied under indent from the Secretary of State.

2. When the price at which particular articles can be obtained through the agency of the India Office is not known, reference may be made to the Director-General of Railways.

3. Officers should take particular care to avoid purchasing, as articles nominally of Indian manufacture, tools and other similar articles evidently imported from Europe or America.

Order—

Ordered that the foregoing Resolution be communicated to the Public Works Department and to all Local Governments and Administrations for information and guidance, and that it be published in the *Gazette of India* for general information.

(Signed) R. E. HAMILTON,
Offg. Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India.

ENCLOSURE.
LIST OF ARTICLES.

Names of Articles.	1879-80.			1880-81.			Total.		
	Rate.	No. or Quantity.	Total Cost.	Rate.	No. or Quantity.	Total Cost.	No. or Quantity.	Total Cost.	
Bolts and nuts	...	...	Rs. A. P.	As. 1-6 each	60	5 13 0	...	Rs. A. P.	
" door, 23"	...	...	...	Rs. 1 "	10	10 0 0	...	...	
" " 16"	...	...	...	As. 14 "	60	57 12 0	...	...	
" " 12"	...	...	...	" 8 "	60	30 0 0	...	...	
" " 9"	...	...	...	" 4-8 "	24	7 0 0	...	...	
Barrels, empty	Rs. 9 each	18	162 0 0	Rs. 7-8 "	16	120 0 0	34	282 0 0	
Bolts, brass, 9"	" 4-12 per 100	4,000	281 0 0	" 2-3 "	24	52 8 0	...	...	
" fung	" 2-8 to 6 a dozen	7 dozens	26 0 0	As. 2 each	788	98 8 0	...	...	
" tower	As. 3 to 13-6 each	291	125 3 3	Rs. 6-12 per dozen	3 dozens.	20 4 0	10 dozens	46 4 0	
" 3" to 18"	Rs. 7 per 100	1,250	88 0 0	As. 11 each	18	12 6 0	309	137 9 3	
Bricks, fire	As. 10 a yard	581 yards	364 6 0	Rs. 10-5-4 per 100	1,500	155 0 0	2,750	243 0 0	
Canvas	Rs. 2-12 & 5-8 a md.	72 mds. 15 srs.	338 3 0	Rs. 4-1 and 8 a md.	141 mds. 34 srs.	642 15 0	214 mds. 9 srs.	981 2 0	
Cement, Portland	" 3 to 12 per cwt.	cwt. qrs. lbs.	995 8 0	" 4 to 11-3 per cwt.	cwt. qrs. lbs.	910 10 0	247 2 22	1,906 2 0	
" "	" 10 to 15 per bar.	76 barrels	1,463 0 0	" 10 a barrel	3 barrels	124 0 0	79 barrels.	1,581 0 0	
" "	" 5 per cwt.	cwt. qr. lbs.	31 14 0	" 7-1 per 100 lbs.	224 lbs.	15 14 0	cwt. qr. lbs.	47 12 0	
Clay, fire	" 25 "	6 1 14	82 0 0	Rs. 9-8 each	12	114 0 0	22	764 0 0	
Clips, iron	" 64 each	2 1 26	640 0 0	" 10 "	100	1,093 0 0	...	...	
Cocks, brass	...	10	...	" 3-5 "	12	39 11 0	...	...	
" Lambert's	...	...	...	" 47-3 "	833	39,307 3 0	...	...	
" lever, brass	...	...	...	cwt. qrs. lbs.	cwt. qrs. lbs.	102 0 0	cwt. qrs. lbs.	297 0 0	
Girders, iron	Rs. 6 per cwt.	cwt. qrs. lbs.	195 0 0	" 13-9-6 per cwt.	7 2 0	24 0 0	40 0 0	112 0 0	
" " 6" x 6"	" 6-4 "	14 0 8	88 0 0	As. 11 per lb.	3 3 0	16 11 0	17 3 8	21 14 0	
" " 5 1/2" x 9"	As. 3 per lb.	0 0 27 1/2	61 4 0	" 6 and 10-10 each.	0 0 24	886 3 0	0 1 23 1/2	391 7 0	
Glue	" 10 each	98	...	...	554	...	...	...	
Hinges, brass	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

" butt (3 1/2" to 18")	...	23	9 11 3	" 8-9 and 12 "	80	48 0 0	193	57 11 3
" iron	...	...	...	" 10-6 and 11-9 "	337	240 5 0	...	...
" of sizes (2" to 6")	...	...	...	Rs. 10 a maund	6 mds. 34 srs.	71 4 0	...	...
" of sorts	As. 1-6 to 6 each	162 1/2 dozens	294 10 0	As. 5 to Rs. 2-6-8 per dozen.	270 dozens	109 10 0	464 dozens. 11.	517 6 0
Hoops, iron	Rs. 2-6-8 and 2-12 per dozen.	42 1/2	113 2 0	Rs. 10-6-3 per cwt.	4 cwt.	41 9 0	cwt. qrs. lbs.	...
" "	Rs. 6 and 7-8 per md.	7 mds. 30 srs.	49 2 0	" 5-10 " lb.	22 lbs.	110 0 0	56 2 4	619 9 0
Lamp, black	" 8-7 per cwt.	cwt. qrs. lbs.	578 0 0	" 1 to 3-7-6 each.	107	178 7 0	0 1 22	120 0 0
Locks, brass, of sorts	" 30 "	0 1 0	10 0 0	" 2-5-4 each	260	606 10 0	...	1,179 10 0
Log-pad	As. 12 to Rs. 2-12 ea.	256	573 0 0	" 19-14 per cwt.	2 qrs.	9 15 0	...	...
Nuts, cast-iron	Rs. 2-6-3 per 100	2,135	67 0 0	...	...	...	...	...
Oil, kineed, boiled	Pies 5 each	720	18 12 0	Rs. 2-8 to 7-8 per gal.	608 1/2 gallons	2,518 11 0	688 1/2 gallons.	2,803 9 0
" "	Rs. 4-4 and 5 per gal.	60 gallons	284 14 0	" 2-4 to 3-10 "	142	12 1 0	...	...
Pipes, cast-iron	As. 15 per foot	543 1/2 feet	510 0 0	" 2-2-6 per foot	9 feet 3 inches.	20 0 0	552 ft. 9 inches.	539 0 0
" iron	Rs. 3 each	3	9 0 0	...	...	...	...	...
" gas	" 8-4 "	6	50 0 0	...	...	...	...	...
Pumps, iron	...	...	...	As. 8 per foot	15 feet	7 8 0	...	...
Pulleys	...	...	...	Rs. 6-2 each	36	219 8 0	...	...
Rivets	Rs. 12-12 per cwt.	4 cwt.	67 0 0	As. 3 each	200	37 0 0	...	...
Rollers	Rs. 32 per md.	3 mds.	96 0 0	Rs. 25 per md.	15 mds. 27 srs.	392 0 0	18 mds. 27 srs.	488 0 0
Rope, cotton	" 14-1-9 per md.	2 mds. 10 srs.	31 12 0	As. 4-3 per lb.	2,265 lbs.	602 4 0	...	...
" hemp	As. 2 per foot	200 feet	26 0 0	Pies 8 per foot	1,125 feet	46 6 0	1,325 feet	72 6 0
" tarred	...	cwt. qrs. lbs.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sash-line	...	...	...	Rs. 15 per md.	131 mds. 17 srs.	25 13 0	...	...
Shoes, iron	...	...	...	" 12 obs.	12 obs.	1,971 10 0	...	...
" "	...	...	...	Tona. cwt. qrs. lbs.	2 5 2 25	517 8 0	...	...
" horse	...	1	174 0 0	Rs. 17 each	1	120 0 0	5	449 0 0
Shut valve	Rs. 146 each	2	292 0 0	" 26-2 each	6	37 0 0	...	...
Stoves, hot air	...	...	...	...	...	157 0 0	...	...
Sunshades	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

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nized	...	...	...	Rs. 99-2-6 each	6	594 15 0	...	...
Taps, brass	...	...	...	" 1-13-3 & 7 each	168	338 10 0	...	...
Terpalins	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Turpentine	...	...	...	Rs. 2 to 4-0-6 per gal.	108 gallons	397 1 0	140 1/2 gallons	481 5 0
Varnish, copal	...	...	...	" 4 per lb.	40 lbs.	160 12 0	...	...
Washers	...	...	...	" 8 a gal.	5 gallons	45 0 0	516 gallons	6,172 2 0
" galvanized	...	...	...	" 1 & 12 annas	7 dozens	1 13 0	...	...
	Rs. 82 per cwt.	...	...	per dozen	cwt. qr. lbs.	7 8 0	cwt. qr. lbs.	255 8 0
		7 3 0	248 0 0	" 28 per cwt.	0 1 2			

* Includes Rs. 14 as other charges.

Endorsement on the above.

Copy forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Madras, Public Works Department, for information and guidance.

(By Order.)

(Signed) L. CONWAY-GORDON,
Under Secy. to the Govt. of India.

No. 142.

Order—dated 20th December 1882, No. 3370 W., Public Works.

Communicated to the officers of the Public Works Department for information and guidance in continuation of the undermentioned orders:—

G.O., No. 3082 W., dated 21st November 1882.

" " 3083 W., " 21st " "

(True Extract.)

Captain, R.E.,
Ag. Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D.3370
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" the Consulting Architect to Government.
 " the General Superintendent, Public Works Stores.
 " the Chief Engineer for Irrigation.
 " the Consulting Engineer for Railways.

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List of Articles that should be obtained of—

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

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DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND
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Stores.

To
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ALL LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND AD-
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No. 2957.

Dated Calcutta, the 1st December 1882.

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Directing that the articles mentioned should, in
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