

Public Works (1897) Department.

✓ G.O., No. 2748 W

DATED 2 October 1897

[Despatch Abstract.]

Surplus Stock in the P. W. Stores Division :

Letter from S.E. & Co. forwarding Copy
of a letter from the General Superintendent
reporting on the reduction of the — recorded
with the remark that the effort to dispose of
the surplus stock should not be re-
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GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

General.
Account.

READ—the following papers:—

From Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. RAWSON, R.E., Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated Chepāk, 18th August 1897, No. 330 W.

Referring to latter part of paragraph 2 of G.O., No. 1946 W., dated 17th July 1897, I have the honour to forward, herewith, copy of letter, No. 136 S., dated 13th August 1897, reporting on the reduction of the surplus stock in the Public Works Stores division.

ENCLOSURE.

Copy of letter from H. A. MOSS, Esq., General Superintendent, Public Works Stores, &c., to the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, dated 13th August 1897, No. 136 S.

With reference to your Nos. 276 G., dated 8th August 1897, 207 P.W.S., dated 28th July 1897, and 56 P.W.S., dated 9th March 1897, I have the honour to report as follows:—

The value of surplus stock on 31st May 1896, as already intimated to you in this office No. 79 S., dated 31st July 1896, was Rs. 1,11,296-6-1, which figure, on 31st March 1897, was reduced to Rs. 85,661-8-7.

In accordance with instructions received, lists of surplus stores were sent to the following:—
Secretary, Harbour Trust Board.
Municipal Engineer.
Superintendent, Revenue Survey.
The Chief Engineer, Madras Electric Tramway.
The Principal, College of Engineering.

And also to—

The General Storekeeper, Madras Railway Company.
The General Storekeeper, South Indian Railway.
The General Storekeeper, Madras-Bezwada Railway.
The Executive Engineer, Military Works.

A great many indents were received during the year from the Railway Companies named above for iron, but, as this material was in great demand in the Public Works Workshops and is very likely to continue so far sometime longer, in connection with the manufacture of iron shutters for the Pelandorai anicut, the Grand anicut, &c., I considered it best, in the interests of Government, to reserve all such material and accordingly refused such applications; and acting in accordance with the Chief Engineer's No. 1782 C., dated 29th March 1897, communicated with your No. 44 P.W.S./C., dated 1st April 1897, I have had all those articles as are likely to be required transferred to current stock. This transfer was carried out in April 1897, the value of the stock transferred being Rs. 38,410. In other words, the value of stock available for transfer at reduced rates amounted to Rs. 47,251.

Note by the Chief Engineer, Public Works Department, dated 29th September 1897.

In the Examiner's inspection report of the Presidency Public Works Stores printed with G.O., No. 1444 W., dated 15th June 1895, it was brought to notice that surplus stock to the value of Rs. 70,372 existed, and the Examiner suggested that these articles should be sold outright.

The Superintending Engineer, V Circle, approved the suggestion to sell the stores, but he proposed, before doing this, to circulate lists of them to all divisions so that articles required by the department might be taken at reduced rates.

In G.O., No. 1444 W., dated 15th June 1895, the Superintending Engineer was directed to give effect to these proposals.

In G.O., No. 2028 W., dated 15th August 1895, sanction was accorded to the transfer of all the workshop stores to the General Public Works Stores, both being on the same premises.

The Superintending Engineer has been asked several times to report what progress has been made in the disposal of the surplus stock, and he now submits a letter from the General Superintendent showing how the matter stands.

It appears that the value of surplus stock on 31st May 1896 had risen to Rs. 1,11,296, and that on 31st March 1897 it had been reduced to Rs. 85,661.

Lists of surplus stores have been circulated to all departments likely to require them, and the lists have been forwarded by the Secretariat to other Governments and Administrations in India. A lot of iron, before on the surplus list, but now required for iron shutters, &c., in the Tanjore delta, has been transferred to current stock, and the surplus material now available for transfer or sale amounts to Rs. 47,251.

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Col., R.E.,
Chief Engineer.

ORDER—No. 2748 W., dated 2nd October 1897.

Recorded, with the remark that the efforts to dispose of the surplus stock should not be relaxed.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) D. McNEIL CAMPBELL, Colonel, R.E.,
Secretary to Government.

To the Superintending Engineer, V Circle.
„ Examiner, Public Works Accounts.

Public Works (1897) Department.

CURRENT No. 8230

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The Supt Engineer
5th Div.

No. 330 H.

Dated 18th August 1897.

Received 18.8.97

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SUBJECT.

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from the General Supt. P. W.
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-duction of the -

S. S. I. C. in
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SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER'S OFFICE,

V CIRCLE, MADRAS,

Chepâk, 18th August 1897

From

St. Col. C. C. Rawson R. C.

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Madras

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Suply: Engineer & Clerk.

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(True copy)

Ch. Lawrence
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Supy. Engineer & Circle.

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