

Public Works (1898) Department.

G.O., No. 2502 *H*

DATED *the* 28 Sep^r '98

[Despatch Abstract.]

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*Transmitting the D^g of States, India
Office, with the particulars called for in regard to
items 582 to 585 + 818 of the P.W. Annual — No 1
29 March '98*

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~~Order~~ Letter

To the Director Genl of
H.M. - India Office
London

From
The Sceptic Enquirer
to Feride.

Si,

In reply to your letter
No. 1883 dated 15. July 1898,
I am directed to state that

No. 591 W.

The sizes of stems 582 to 585

⁵ Dated 17th September 1898.

wire rope, $\frac{3}{8}$ ", $\frac{1}{2}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ " & 1"

Received 19. 5. 28

entered in indent no 1

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SUBJECT.

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Wire rope & Blocks iron

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For 1" rope.

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Giving particulars of

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with regard to items Steens 582 to 585 & 818 of

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It is requested that in any further communication on this subject the under-mentioned letter and number may be quoted, and the reply addressed to
The Director General of Stores,
India Office,
Whitehall,
S.W.

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India Office,

Whitehall, S.W.



15 July 1898

Sir,

In Public Works Annual Indent No. 1 dated 9 March 1898, the following demands occur:-

Items 582 to 585. Wire rope $\frac{3}{8}$ ", $\frac{1}{2}$ ", $\frac{3}{4}$ ", 1".

I have the honour to enquire whether these sizes refer to circumference or diameter?

It is usual to describe the sizes of rope by circumference, but if this has been done in the present case, the estimate, £104.1.3, is altogether insufficient. Such small ropes are very expensive, and it is thought that items 582/3 alone will cost about £400.

Item 818. Blocks, iron, for 1" rope.

Are blocks required with 1" grooves or with grooves for rope 1" in circumference?

I shall be obliged by your furnishing me with further information on these points.

Pending

The Secretary
to the Govt of Madras
Public Works Dept
Madras

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Pending the receipt of your reply
the supply of these stores must necessarily
be suspended.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant.

Grant Airlie

Director General of Stores.



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Public Works (1898) Department.



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CURRENT No. *6500*

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No: 3518C - d/9 August '98.

From *The Director General*
of Stores, India Office
London.

Order *sent*.

Referred to the
Supy. Engineer & Vice
for perusal of report.

No. *S. 7883.*

At Kumb.
under Genl. Govt.

Dated *15th July 1898*
Received *3rd August 1898*

Registered *8-8-98*

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Forwarded to the Genl. Supy.
P.W. Stores for compliance and return.

Am. L. and
Colonel R.L.
Supy. Engineer & Vice

16th August 1898.

SUBJECT.
Wire rope & Blocks, iron for
Requesting to be furnished with
further particulars re: demand
under items 582 to 585 & 818 for
in the annual P.W. indent
No. 107-1898

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Copy of a letter from H.A. Moss Lyne, General Superintendent, P.W. Stores, to the Superintending Engineer, 5 Circle, No. 143 L.B.F. dated 10 September 1898:-

While returning your endorsement No. 355 P.W.S. dated 15 August 1898, I have the honour to inform you that the sizes of Items 582 to 585, wire rope $\frac{3}{8}$ " $\frac{1}{2}$ " $\frac{3}{4}$ " + 1", entered in the Indent refer to circumference only as usual. The quantity for items 582 and 583 may be reduced to 1 cwt each, so as to keep the charges within the estimate of £104-1-3. The office copy of the Indent will be altered accordingly.

Item 818. Blocks - Iron - for 1" Rope. The Blocks are required with grooves for rope 1" in circumference.

No. 5918.

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To the Chief Engineer, P.W. Department, with reference to his No. 3518C. dated 9 August 1898 herewith returned.

19 September 98. Arthur Marshall
Colonel R.L.
offg. Supg. Engineer
5 Circle

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