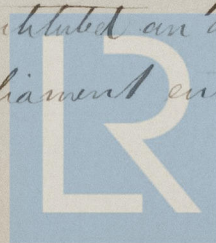


I Walker Detherick Foreman of the Commercial Dock at Sulkea near Howrah Dock Foreman hereby solemnly sincerely and truly declare as follows

I am the foreman of the Commercial Dock That Dock is situated immediately adjoining the Caledonia Dock I was engaged as foreman in August and entered on my work on first September one thousand eight hundred and seventy five. Previously I had been carpenter of the Night Hawk. The Night Hawk docked in the Commercial Dock for repairs on the Sixth of August and was undocked on the Nineteenth or Twentieth August. A day or two before that I remember Captain Stewart the Surveyor to the Superintendant of the Dock was visiting the Commercial Dock I was with Mr Pundt who told me he was expecting Captain Stewart to visit him I knew that Mr Pundt was building a beamho for Captain Stewart. Captain Stewart came quite early in the morning. About Five O'clock. After shewing the beamho to Captain Stewart Mr Pundt sent for the native carpenter but Captain Stewart would not wait to see him I remember Captain Stewart saying that he had to visit the Magnolia in the Caledonia Dock. We all went to the Her head of our dock and I saw Captain Stewart go to the Caledonia Dock I do not know how long he stopped there and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously & believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of an act made and passed in the Sixth year of His late Majesty King William the Fourth entitled an act to repeal an act of the present Session of Parliament entitled an act for the



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in lieu thereof and for the more entire suppression of voluntary
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provision for the abolition of unnecessary Oaths.

Declared at Calcutta

this sixth day of October 1875

Before me

J. C. Morgan

Notary Public

Calcutta.

J. D. F. F. F.



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Declaration
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