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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department, from 11th to 17th May 1859.

No. 19. Read the following letter from Captain G. M. BRUCE, Commandant Andaman Sebundy Corps; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 12th May 1859, No. 32.

I have the honor to report for the information of Government that 63 men of the Andaman Sebundy Corps have, up to this time, expressed a wish to take with them their families, amounting to 113 women and children. A few more men have written to their relations residing at up country stations, and are waiting for a reply before giving a decided answer.

2nd. 75 men have applied for Family Certificates, and the necessary documents are ready to be issued at a moment's notice.

3rd. I further beg to report that since I had the honor of addressing you on the 6th Instant, 1 Havildar and 1 Naigue have reported their arrival and been posted to the Corps.

No. 20. ORDER THEREON, 13th May 1859, No. 666.

Copy of this letter will be furnished to the Superintendent of Marine, in view to that functionary arranging for the passage of the Corps with their families to Port Blair. From the last Return furnished by the Commandant, Mr. Franklin will learn the strength and composition of the Corps for his guidance.

2. Para. 2 of Mr. Bruce's letter will be communicated to the Superintendent of Family Payments in connection with para. 3 of Extract Minutes Consultation 2nd December last, No. 1701.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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Fort St. George
13th May 1865.

The Superintendent of Marine - with Return — 3 Despd. 17th
" Superintendent of Family Payments -
" Commandant of the Andaman Settlements — Despd. 18th