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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Judicial Department,
18th December 1861.

Read the following papers :—

No. 109. From G. E. COWER, Esq., Judge of the Madras Court of Small Causes; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 2nd December 1861, No. 401.

I have the honor to bring to your notice that I embarked on the Steamer "Nemesis" commencing my sick leave, on the 24th of May 1861, the Queen's birth-day, and a Holyday—and that my successor, did not take charge until the following day the 25th, from which date he drew the salary of the office.

On my presenting the usual Certificate to the India Office in England, I was informed that my absentee allowance of ½ salary could only be drawn from the 25th, and on my presenting a pay abstract on my return to Madras, including the 24th, I received from the Officiating Civil Paymaster the Notification enclosed, to the effect that "as the date of sailing is included in "the leave, I am not entitled to full pay." It will thus be seen that I have had no pay for the day in question, and as the salary of the office was not drawn by Mr. Ranganauda Shastriar, and remains still available, I trust that His Excellency the Governor in Council will be pleased to direct its disbursement, in my favor.

Referred to the Civil Paymaster for report.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

FORT SAINT GEORGE,
5th December 1861.

No. 110. From W. J. RAYNOR, Esq., Officiating Civil Paymaster; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 6th December 1861, No. 1,228.

Judicial Department.

With reference to the Order of Government, dated 5th instant, referring for report the letter of Mr. G. E. Cower, Judge of the Madras Court of Small Causes, claiming full salary for the day of embarkation, I have the honor to state for the information of Government that Mr. Cower embarked for England on sick leave on the Steamer "Nemesis," which sailed at 2-30 P. M., of the 24th May 1860.

2nd. Under Clause 4, Section V, Chapter II of the Uncovenanted Service Absentee Rules, sick leave commences with the day of sailing of the vessel on which the Absentee embarks. Mr. Cower's absence and absentee allowance were accordingly held to begin on 24th May 1860. A moiety of his pay for that day will be passed to him whenever he submits a Bill for the same.

3rd. The circumstance of his successor in office not having assumed charge till the following day (25th) gives Mr. Cower no claim to full pay for the 24th May 1860.

No. 111. ORDER THEREON, 18th December 1861, No. 1,563.

A copy of the Civil Paymaster's report will be forwarded to Mr. Cower.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

Proceedings of the Madras Govt.

Read the following letters—

From Mr. G. E. Comer,
Judge of the Small
Cause Court—Inter 2 Dec. 51 No. 1.

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master _____ 5 " do _____ " 1228.

Order. of 18 January No 503.

A copy of the Civil Paymasters
report will be forwarded
to Mr Comer.

Mr. G. E. Comer, Judge
of the Small Cause Court.