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Marine DEPARTMENT.

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Fort Saint George, Marine Consultation, 7th July 1857.

No. 4. From J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Secretary Marine Board; to E. MALTBY, Esq.,
Acting Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 30th June 1857,
No. 2252.

SIR,

With reference to Extract Minutes of Consultation of the 29th Instant, No. 252, I have the honor, by desire of the Marine Board, to state that they are in hopes that the detention of the "Manilla" in recovering the Boiler would not exceed one day. It is impossible to fix the exact period, as accidents might occur as they did before when she was engaged in making the attempt, but if no pressing necessity exists for her instant dispatch to the South for the Treasure, the Board would ask for her detention for one day in order that one trial be made. If it fail she could then proceed for the Treasure and endeavors might again be made with the raft alone.

(Signed) J. J. FRANKLIN,
Secretary.

No. 5. ORDER THEREON, No. 256; dated 1st July 1857.

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For G. George, Esq
1st July 1857

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The Secretary of the Board

The Acting Chief Secretary
to the Treasury
East India House

10th 30th July/57
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of the *Alamir* in receiving
the *British* would not be a
great one, but it is important
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