

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 444

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Fort Saint George, Marine Consultation, 20th October 1857.

No. 20. From Captain GRIFFITH JENKINS, Indian Navy, on Special Service; to the Honorable the Secretary to the Government, Madras, dated 12th October 1857.

SIR,

I have the honor to report for the information of the Right Honorable the Governor in Council my arrival this day in the Steam Ship "Madras," Chartered by Government, (from Calcutta 8th Instant,) and that I have been directed by the Right Honorable the Governor General of India in Council, to call at Madras on my passage to Point de Galle and Bombay, for any instructions the Government of "Madras may have to give me."

2. It is my duty to lay before you, for the information of the Government, that I have been on a Special Mission to the Mauritius and Cape of Good Hope, and the Governor General of India, and that I am returning to the Government of Bombay, and as the Steamer "Madras" will pass along your Sea frontier, the Government of India have permitted me to place before the Right Honorable the Governor in Council at Madras, this favorable opportunity of forwarding either Troops from Madras to the Western Coast of India or of forwarding Government Treasure from the Coast of Travancore or Malabar to Bombay.

3. I beg leave however to state that I am anxious to leave the Madras Roads at 6 P. M. this day as Captain Sir William Wiseman, Bart, R. N., who is employed on Special Service is also on Board this Steamer on his passage to Point de Galle, and the delay of one day may frustrate the object the Right Honorable the Governor General of India has in view, in the duty, Sir William Wiseman is charged with to Ceylon.

4. I shall lose no time in personally waiting on the Right Honorable the Governor for his Lordship's Commands.

(Signed) GRIFFITH JENKINS,
Captain, Indian Navy, on Special Service.

No. 21. ORDER THEREON, No. 444; dated 17th October 1857.
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