

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.

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Dated

19-7-1858

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Fort Saint George, Marine Consultation, 20th July 1858.

No. 10. From Captain F. BEAUCHAMP SEYMOUR, Royal Navy, Commanding Her Majesty's Ship "Pelorus"; to THOMAS PYCROFT, Esq., Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 19th July 1858.

SIR,

I have the honor to submit for your approval certified copies of two letters to my address, relative to a Grant of War Batta to a portion of the Officers and Crew of Her Majesty's Ship under my command lately serving as a Naval Brigade on the Frontier of the British Territory in Burmah, and to request that in compliance with the Notification contained therein, you will be pleased to give an order for the payment of the amount due on a nominal Roll bearing my signature and on my responsibility.

From R. B. CHAPMAN, Esq., Under Secretary to the Government of India; to the Senior Officer, Royal Navy, dated 11th March 1858, No. 682.

SIR,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of Commodore Watson's letter, dated the 27th Ultimo, submitting copy of a communication from Captain Seymour of Her Majesty's Ship Pelorus, requesting that the Officers and Men belonging to that Ship may receive the usual Field Allowance, while in Burmah, and to state that like the Naval Brigade in Bengal, the Officers and Men of the "Pelorus" are entitled to War Batta, from the date on which they left their Ship for the interior, and that the amount will be payable to them on their Bill duly Audited by the Military Auditor General.

From Major C. G. CHAMPNEY'S Military Auditor General; to Captain F. BEAUCHAMP SEYMOUR, Royal Navy, Commanding Her Majesty's Ship "Pelorus," Fort William, dated 26th April 1858, No. 471.

SIR,

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter, dated the 17th Instant, and to state that, under instructions from the Government of India, Military Department, claims for War Batta for service in Pegu and Burmah have been adjusted at Madras to prevent confusion and the risk of double payments. I would recommend you therefore applying to the Civil Auditor of that Presidency for the adjustment of the claims of the Pelorus.

No. 11. ORDER THEREON, No. 274; dated 19th July 1858.

Resolved accordingly that the Civil Auditor be directed to pass the War Batta applied for in the above letter from Captain F. Beauchamp Seymour, Her Majesty's Ship "Pelorus," according to a Nominal Roll to be submitted by him and on his responsibility.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Marine Department.

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Dated 17th July — 1858.

Read the following letter from
the Commander of H.M.S.
"Porpoise."

[Received 19 July, 1858]

W. M.

Resolved accordingly
that the Civil Auditor be
directed to pass the War
Bills applied for in the
above letter from Captain E.
Reynolds, Commander H.M.
S. "Porpoise" according to a
Provisional Bill to be
submitted by him and on
his responsibility.

Capt^l E. B. Seymour
Comd^g H.M.S. "Porpoise" } Dep^y 19th
Civil Auditor
Act^g General } Dep^y 20th
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