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Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. 347

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Fort Saint George, Marine Consultation, 7th September 1858.

No. 16. EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF CONSULTATION in the Military Department, under date the 28th August 1858, No. 3091.

(*Vide* Diary, Military Consultation, 31st August 1858, Nos. 94 & 95.)

(*Instructing the Superintendent of Marine to invite Tenders to convey to Rangoon the Troops and Families of the 68th and 69th Regiments. The Coromandel not being available at present she will on her return from Rangoon bring in the Sick Details.*)

No. 17. ORDER THEREON, No. 347 ; dated 4th September 1858.

To be Recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Military Department.

N^o 3091.

Extract from the Minutes of Consultation.

Dated 28th August 1858.

Read the following Paper.

N^o 401.

From, the Acting Assistant Q^r M^r General
of the Army

To, The Secretary to Government
Military Department.

Sir, It having been brought to the notice of
His Excellency the Commander in Chief, that
if Troops having to go up Country in Burmah
do not reach Rangoon before the end of Sep-
-tember, they will not be able to get through the
-creeks for many months. I am directed to re-
-quest, you will submit to Government, &
His Excellency's recommendation that the
Steamer "Comandor" and a hind transport,
capable of conveying about 700 persons, be sent over
to Rangoon immediately with the Details of Her

Her M^o 68 Regiment — 85

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Majesty's Service as per margin,
and such portion of the
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Pegu Police Battalions as are now ready, the latter may be calculated at 450 Soldiers, and about the same number of families.

All might, perhaps, be sent in sailing Vessels, but as General Bell has applied for a Steamer to bring over the Sick Details, it is very desirable that the Services of the "Coromandel" should be made available, unless she is particularly required for any other purpose.

Fort St George

D^r Mr Genl's Office

26 August 1858.

I have &c

/ Signed / Arthur Drury.

Acty Asst. D^r Mr General
of the Army.

The Governor in Council observes Resolution, that neither the Steamer "Coromandel" nor "Dalhousie" can be sent to Rangoon immediately. The Superintendent of Marine is therefore requested to invite Tenders as early as possible for the required transports to convey the Troops and Families mentioned in the 1st para of the foregoing letter to Rangoon.

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The "Coromandel" which is on her return from the Southward to be employed in conveying the 31st Regt. N. I. to Rangoon, will return from thence with the Sick Details referred to in the 2nd para of the Quarter Master General's letter.

/ Signed / W. H. Wapshare. Major.
Acty. Deputy Secy. to Govt.

To The Quarter Master General
" Superintendent of Marine
" Marine Department. Int 25/8
" Adjutant General
" Deputy Adjt. General BMA Forces
" Military Auditor General
" Accountant General.

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D. D. Rosario

Endorsed with 9/14/57
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Marine 1068 receipt
Case 7 26/57

Extracollumens for
cultivation in the field.
- Chang week. 3097.

2/28/57
2/31/57. Aug 1/58

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Receiving the report of
Marine 1068 receipt as
early as possible for
transport to convey the
books and bundles of
H. H. 68169, 1891 to 1892.
from the document
"Correspondence" is being
available as present for
that duty. The will however
be employed in bringing
on her return from
Bangkok the next day.
will be referred to in the
"State of the General's
Letter." 2/31/57
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