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No. 7. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Superintendent of Marine ; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 23rd May 1859, No. 2038.

I have the honor to inform you that yesterday afternoon a Member of the firm of Eaton Guyot and Co., called at my private residence with the Commander of the French Ship "Manapani," and after representing that this Vessel had been in collision with some other Vessel in the Roads, and had drifted to the North without Anchors or Cables on Board, begged that a Steamer might be sent to tow her back. On his undertaking on behalf of the firm to hold himself responsible for the charges incurred, I furnished him with an order to the Commander of the "Sydney" to proceed to afford the damaged Vessel such aid as she might require. This was to be presented in case of need ; and this morning the "Sydney" left in accordance therewith.

No. 8.

ORDER THEREON, 20th May 1859, No. 228.

Approved.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

23^d May 1859

Wm. Thompson
Superintendent of Marine

No 228

Approved

John George
20 May 1859
To the Supt of Marine. Supd. J. G.

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