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from 11th to 17th June 1859.*

No. 10. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Superintendent of Marine; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 9th June 1859, No. 2280.

On the 14th Ultimo I had occasion to bring to the notice of Government the inconvenience experienced by the refusal of the Acting Commander of the "Coromandel" to grant a receipt for the Coals supplied to him during the time he had charge of the vessel. Since this it has been reported to me by the Superintendent of the Irrawady Flotilla that on several occasions there has appeared so excessive a difference in the quantity of Coal supplied to this Vessel at Rangoon, and the quantity for which the commander will cause receipt to be signed, that he has requested to be supplied with 6,000 Madras Gunny bags to be used expressly for coaling the Madras Steamers. He purposes then requiring some competent person from the Steamer to see it issued, and to satisfy himself of the average weight of the bags.

2. I have the honor to solicit the permission of Government to make the supply demanded.

No. 11. ORDER THEREON, 13th June 1859, No. 260.

The Superintendent of Marine is authorised to supply 6,000 gunny bags to be used at Rangoon in shipping Coal on Government Steamers.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Letter

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