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Government of Madras.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
from 18th to 24th June 1859.*

No. 6. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government, dated 21st June 1859, No. 271.

The Honorable the Governor in Council proceeds to pass orders on a Despatch, 12th May, No. 14 of 1859, received from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India.

Para. 4. Pending the orders of the Government of India relative to the details, submitted to that authority, for carrying out the scheme for a regular communication between this Presidency and Burmah, observes that there are points connected with the subject which will require careful consideration, and suggests a reference to the Government of Bombay on the matter.

Para. 5. Expresses gratification at the announcement of the successful laying of the Telegraphic Cable to Ceylon, and commends the conduct of Mr. Daviot, the Head Pilot of Panbom.

Paras. 7 to 10. Respecting the relief of British Seamen discharged from Jail and without employment, approves of the orders passed on the matter, and states that he will be glad to learn that means have been devised for relieving the individuals in question and preventing a recurrence of the state of things brought to notice.

Paras. 12 to 16. Points out an error in the Memorandum of receipts and charges on account of the Marine Police for the month of October last, submitted by the Commissioner of Police—and in reference to the explanation called for in para. 12 of a previous Despatch, 17th April, No. 11 of 1859, in regard to certain discrepancies in the Statements connected with the formation of the Force—thinks that the importance of forwarding correct accounts should be impressed on Colonel Boulderson.

Paras. 1 at 3, 6, 11, & 17 at 21.

2. Resolved that a reference to the Bombay Government be made in view to obtaining information on the several points enumerated.

3. The Superintendent of Marine, who will be furnished with a copy of this para, will be requested to communicate to Mr. Daviot, the terms in which his conduct has been noticed by the Secretary of State. Mr. Daviot, it is observed, has received a bonus of a month's salary for his good Service.

4. In the orders of the 24th January and 28th April last, Nos. 22 & 155, the expenses incurred in affording relief to the distressed Seamen in question, till they left for Calcutta, were sanctioned.

5. The error pointed out is to the extent of twenty Rupees. The total of the cost of the Establishment and the amount of Contingencies in the Account has been exhibited as equal to Rupees 2,063-3-9 in place of Rupees 2,043-3-9, Colonel Boulderson's attention will be called to this mistake. The discrepancies alluded to, only apparently so, have been fully explained in a Despatch, 10th May last, No. 10, and are not attributable to any mis-statements on the part of the Commissioner.

6. The other paras. in the Despatch require no notice.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 7. TO THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY, dated Fort Saint George, 21st June 1859, No. 272.
SIR,

With reference to the annexed Extract from a Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, I am directed to request you will, with the permission of the Government of Bombay, furnish detailed information on the several points therein enumerated.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

(Here enter para: 4 of Despatch, dated 12th May last, No. 14.)

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3. The Superintendent of Marines, who will be furnished with a copy of this para, will be requested to communicate to Mr. Daviot the terms in which his conduct has been noticed by the Secretary of State. Mr. Daviot, it is observed, has received a bonus of a month's salary for his good service.

Paras 10 & 11. Respecting the relief of British Seamen discharged from sail & without employment, approval of the orders passed on the matter, & states that he will be glad to learn that means have been devised for relieving the individuals in question & presenting a recurrence of the state of things brought to notice.

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Paras. 1 & 3, 6, 11, & 17 & 21.

5. The error pointed out is to the extent of Twenty Rupees. The total of the cost of the establishment & the amount of contingencies in the Account has been exhibited as equal to Rs. 2063-3-9 in place of Rs. 2043-3-9. Col. Boulderson's attention will be called to this mistake.

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The Secretary to the Govt. of Bombay.

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For George,
21 June, 1859.



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(Here enter para 4 of Despatch dated 12th May last N^o. 14.)

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