

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE

Government of Madras.

Finance DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	291	Press Mis.
Dated	1/7	1887

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
from 25th June to 1st July 1859.*

No. 20. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Superintendent of Marine; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 30th June 1859, No. 2600.

No. 108 under date March 26th 1859. Referring to Extract Minutes of Consultation marginally noted, I have the honor to inform you that 16 of the cases of Meteorological Instruments therein mentioned have been shipped on the "Balaklava" for conveyance to Rangoon, and to solicit that the Commissioner at Rangoon may be instructed to receive charge of the same, and when necessary arrange for their further distribution. The "Balaklava" will sail on the 2nd proximo.

2. The remaining six cases will follow in a week by the "Nonpareil."

3. My reason for not sending all by the "Balaklava" is, that with a view to their security the Commander has been directed to place them in his Cabins, and not in the hold; and he has no room for more than those already received.

No. 21. ORDER THEREON, 1st July 1859, No. 291.

The Commissioner at Rangoon will accordingly be advised by letter, to be forwarded to the Superintendent of Marine for delivery to the Commander of the "Balaklava."

The Superintendent will communicate to the Commissioner an extract from the "Packing Account of the Tartar," or any other information he may possess, relative to the distribution of the cases or their contents.

No. 22. THE COMMISSIONER AT RANGOON, dated 1st July 1859, No. 292.

I am directed by the Honorable the Governor in Council to request you will have the goodness to take charge of 16 Cases, Meteorological Instruments, forwarded by the "Balaklava" to Rangoon, and when necessary to arrange further for their distribution.

There are six cases more with similar contents, which it is proposed to send on by the "Nonpareil." The Instruments are intended for different Stations in Burmah and the Tenasserim Provinces.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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The Commissioner at Rangoon will accordingly be advised by letter, to be forwarded to the Superintendent of Marine for delivery to the Commander of the Balaklava.

The Superintendent will communicate to the Commissioner an extract from the "Cooking Acct. of the Sarkany" or any other information he may possess relative to the distribution of the cases or their contents.

To the S. George, &
1st July, 1859.

J. J.

The Superintendent of Marine - with a Letter. } Recd. 1st July.

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Marine.

No. 292.

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For S^r George
1st July 1859.



2nd of July

General
Meteorological observations
by the "Bahia"
at the station of the
Bahia station

Marine 1859

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Submarine mineral springs

2nd July 1859

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Revenue DEPARTMENT.

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No. 23. Read the following letter from Commander F. W. HOPKINS, Indian Navy, Commanding Her Majesty's Steamer "*Dalhousie*"; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 30th June 1859, No. 115.

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter, No. 2582 of yesterday's date together with the orders of the Madras Government regarding a Steam communication between this place the Northern Ports and Rangoon.

2nd. In reply to the 2nd paragraph of your letter, I beg to state that there is no Cargo hold or Store rooms for Cargo on Board this Vessel, the Main and after Troop Decks are the only places I could stow such in, and if Troops or Followers are proceeding in the Ship, except Cargo be under Lock and Key it is liable to be broached and damaged.

3rd. In answer to the 3rd paragraph of your letter, the blank form alluded to was not enclosed and I beg to state none of the Cabins are numbered in this Vessel or any of the Ships of the Indian Navy, I believe, the Commanders of the Vessels allot the Cabins to the Passengers as they find it suits best for the number of Ladies and Children that may come on Board, the Cabins for Passengers are as follows:—Starboard side of Saloon foremost Cabin for a Lady and Gentleman, 2 Sleeping berths and W. C. attached or 3 Gentlemen might go in the Cabin, 3rd Cabin after 3 Sleeping berths and a washing place outside, no W. C., 3rd Cabin after 3 Bed places, but two persons is enough in the Cabin, the Cabin opposite is the same with a W. C. between the doors—on the *Port side* of Saloon are 2 Similar Cabins and all the other Cabins are occupied by the Officers of the Vessel; 10 or 12 Passengers might go besides those in Cabins but they have to sleep and wash in the Saloon or on Deck, the Cabins have pillows and mattresses, but Sheets Pillow Cases, Bed Clothing, Soap, and Towels, Passengers require to bring, and a small Cabin swinging Lamp, as every trip the Passengers smash the shades which I have often purchased at my own expense for the use of the Cabins.

No. 24. ORDER THEREON, 1st July 1859, No. 293.

Copy of the above letter, with its enclosures in original, will be forwarded to the Superintendent of Marine.

Commander Hopkins is referred to the orders of Government of this date, No. 290.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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No. 293.

Copy of the above letter, with its
enclosures in original, will be for-
warded to the Superintendent of
Marine.

Commander Hopkins is re-
ferred to the orders of Gov. of
this date, No. 290.

For S. George,
1 July, 1859.

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The Superintendent
of Marine with 4 Enclosures }
Commander of the Dalhousie } *Supd of M.*