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Government of Madras.

Madras DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
from 2nd to 8th July 1859.*

No. 22. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Superintendent of Marine; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 4th July 1859, No. 2635.

I have the honor to represent that a difficulty has arisen in adjusting the pay of the Marine Establishment at the Port of Cochin since the absence of Mr. J. Castor, the Master Attendant, in consequence of Mr. J. Lafrenas, who signs the abstracts, not having been officially noticed as being in charge of the Office. On the 27th April last, I forwarded to the Civil Auditor Mr. Castor's application for leave, in which he requested that Mr. J. Lafrenas the licensed Pilot at Cochin might be permitted to act for him. Mr. Castor's leave was Gazetted, but no mention was made of Mr. J. Lafrenas being nominated to take charge of the Office during his absence, and hence the Civil Auditor has declined to admit the abstracts for the pay of the Establishment, which are in arrears for May.

2. Under these circumstances I have to solicit that the Government will be pleased to sanction Mr. Lafrenas being placed in charge of the Office of Master Attendant at Cochin during the absence of Mr. Castor on privilege leave, and that early orders be passed thereon, as the Establishment is much inconvenienced from not having yet received their May salaries.

No. 23. ORDER THEREON, 6th July 1859, No. 504.

The Civil Auditor is authorized to pass the abstracts of the Marine Establishments at Cochin under the signature of Mr. Lafrenas, the licensed Pilot, during the absence of the Master Attendant at present on leave.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. A. P. W. Begbie.

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From
The Superintendent of Marine
The Chief Secretary
to Government
Fort Saint Joseph

Dated 14th July 1859

Recd 5th July 1859

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Representing that a difficulty has arisen in authenticating the pay of the Marine establishment at the port of Cochin since the absence of Mr. D. Castor the Master Attendant in consequence of Mr. J. Lefevre who signs the abstracts not having been officially notified as being in charge of the office & solicits that permission be granted with the pleasure of sanction of the General to Mr. Lefevre who being placed in charge of the office of Master Attendant at Cochin during the absence of Mr. Castor in Europe.

Order then No 304 - 6th July 1859.
The Civil Auditor is authorised to pass the Abstracts of the Marine establishments at Cochin under the signature of Mr. Lafrenais, the Licensed Pilot - during the absence of the Master Attendant at present on leave.

The Superintendent of Marine
" Civil Auditor.

Sept 7th

With an Order.