

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
from 30th July to 5th August 1859.*

No. 22. Read the following letter from GEORGE PEARSE, M. D., Director General, Medical Department; to the Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 30th July 1859, No. 138.

In acknowledging receipt of Proceedings of Madras Government, and order thereon, dated 23rd July, No. 334, I have the honor to state, that there is at present no Apothecary available for duty on board Her Majesty's Steamer "Sydney." I beg to refer for further information regarding this Branch of the Medical Department to my letter, No. 137 of this date.

No. 23. ORDER THEREON, 4th August 1859, No. 359.

Ordered to be communicated to the Superintendent of Marine, in reference to his letter 23rd July last, No. 2908. Copy of Mr. Franklin's letter will be communicated to the Military Department, in view to its being considered whether arrangements cannot be made to detail a Medical Subordinate, whenever a large number of Troops or Sick Details proceed in the "Sydney,"

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 359- 4 August 1859

Ordered to be communicated to the Superintendent of Marine in reference to his letter, 23rd July last No. 2908. Copy of Mr. Franklin's letter will be communicated to the Milly. Dept. in view to its being considered whether arrangements cannot be made to detail a Medical Subordinate, whenever a large number of Troops or Sick Details proceed in the Sydney.

JF

The Superintendent of Marine.
" Director Genl. Medl. Dept.
" Milly. Dept. with No. 23rd Ult No. 334. } Dir. S.