

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. *484*

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27.9.1859

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
from 24th September to 4th October 1859.*

No. 14. Read the following letter from J. B. CROWTHER, Esq., Assistant Superintendent of Marine; to Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 21st September 1859, No. 3796.

I have the honor to forward the accompanying three Statements of expenses incurred by the

	Rs.	A.	P.	
No. 1. Statement for subsistence.....	210	10	5	Head Assistant Collector of Tanjore in the relief of certain distressed British Seamen, 18 men belonging to the late Ship "Ballengeich," and 12 to the Barque "Monarch," both vessels wrecked off Negapatam on the 25th April 1859, 2 men shipwrecked from the "Futha Salam" quite destitute left at Ceylon, and destitute at Negapatam, and one Seaman belonging to "Lord Raglan," left in Hospital at Pondicherry, and to
and passage to Madras of 30 men.	150	0	0	
	360	10	5	
No. 2. Statement for subsistence of 2 men.	14	8	0	
No. 3. Statement do. 1 do.	5	0	0	
Total..	380	2	5	

recommend that the amount disbursed, Rupees 380-2-5, three hundred and eighty, annas two and pice five, may be sanctioned and that the Vouchers may be forwarded to the Secretary of State for India with a view to the recovery of the amount from the Board of Trade.

2. The Collector has explained that the Statements now sent are according to form kept in his Office and as the men have all left Negapatam it is impossible to alter it in conformity with form C. C. required by the instruction of the Board of Trade.

No. 15. ORDER THEREON, 27th September 1859, No. 484.

The Honorable the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction the expenses Three hundred and eighty Rupees, two Annas and

"Ballengeich," 18 men.....	Rs.	114	10	0	five Pice, incurred at Negapatam in the re-
"Monarch," 12 men.....	"	96	0	5	lief of 33 distressed British Seamen belong-
Passage of 30 men to Madras.....	"	150	0	0	ing to various Ships.
"Futha Salam," 1 man.....	"	7	0	0	
"Champion," 1 man.....	"	7	8	0	
"Lord Raglan," 1 man.....	"	5	0	0	

2. Resolved that the three Statements received with the above letter be forwarded to the Secretary of State for India, in view to the recovery of the equivalent of the sum sanctioned above, from the Board of Trade.

See Proceedings, 11th July 1859, No. 311.

3. With respect to the informality of these Statements, Government observe that, as this is not the first instance of the kind, some measure appears to be required to provide for such Statements being prepared in the manner prescribed by the Board of Trade. They resolve accordingly to suggest to the Superintendent of Marine, if he has not done so already, to supply proper forms with instructions for their use to all Masters Attendant and the Collectors of Coast Districts.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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