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Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
from 5th to 21st October 1859.*

No. 10. Read the following Despatch from the Right Honorable the Secretary of State for India, dated 9th September 1859, No. 23.

SIR,

Letter dated 19th April, (7) 1859. Your Marine letters of the dates noted in the margin, having received my consideration in Council, I have to communicate to you the following reply.

" " 29th " (8) "

" " 3rd May (9) "

" " 10th " (10) "

" " 20th " (5M.D.) "

" " 31st " (11) "

Letter dated 19th April (7) 1859.

Transmitting General Roll of Estates of deceased Seamen for Quarter ending 31st March 1859, and forwarding watch, &c., the property of late Captain Page, of Ship, "Melanie," also acknowledging Marine Despatch, No. 3 of 1859, relative to the delay in remitting the amounts due to the Estates of certain Seamen, and stating that the attention of the authorities concerned, had been drawn thereto with the view of preventing similar delays in future.

2. The equivalent of the amount shewn to have been realized in the General Roll referred to in the margin, has been duly remitted to the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade. The watch and pocket book belonging to the late Captain Page, have also been transmitted to their Lordships for delivery to his widow.

Letter dated 29th April (8) 1859.

Supplementary General Roll of Estates of deceased Seamen for 1st Quarter of 1859, transmitted, shewing Rupees 302-6-4, to be debitabte on that account to Indian Department.

3. The equivalent in sterling of this sum, also has been paid to the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade.

Letter dated 3rd May, (9) 1859.

Chart of the Western Coast prepared by the Indian Naval Draftsman. Inaccuracies of, brought to notice and consequent measures reported.

4. This Chart is stated to be only a "Track" Chart and not intended for use in Pilot waters. It is however, remarked by the Commodore of the Indian Navy that it has been "productive of great benefit to shipping." The order you issued that the errors brought to notice should be rectified in all copies still under the charge of the Superintendent of Marine, and should be notified in the Gazette for the information of persons already in possession of the Chart appears, therefore to be sufficient.

5. The subject of the preparation of accurate Charts of the western Coast, to which you call attention will be borne in mind.

Letter dated 10th May (10) 1859.

Marine Police Force.—Explaining apparent discrepancy in amount sated to have been sanctioned for, and pointed out in Marine Despatch, No. 11 of 1859, paragraphs 8 to 12.

6. The additional document you have furnished with this letter, and which you observe "was not included in "the collection" accompanying your former communication renders the statements in question intelligible.

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Letter dated 20th May, (5 M. D.) 1859.

Notifying engagement of Ship 7. No remark.
"Gloriana," for conveyance to
England of Invalids.

Letter dated 31st May, (11) 1859.

Second Supplementary General 8. The equivalent of this amount has been remitted
Roll of Estates of deceased Seamen, to the Lords of Her Majesty's Treasury.
for 1st Quarter of 1859, forwarded,
shewing an amount of Rs. 98-11-11,
to be debitable to Indian Depart-
ment.

(Signed) C. WOOD.

No. 11.

ORDER THEREON, 8th October 1859, No. 501.

1. Paragraph 2 of the above Despatch will be communicated to the Collector of Sea Customs, in reference to his letter, 7th April last, No. 158.
2. The Accountant General will be furnished with copy of paragraphs 2, 3 and 8, for his information.
3. Copy of paragraphs 4 and 5, will be forwarded to the Superintendent of Marine, in reference to the correspondence on the Track Chart of the Western Coast referred to.
4. Paragraph 7, will be communicated to the Military Department.
5. Paragraphs 1 and 6, need no remark.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Exd. W. J. Boyton.

Indian Marine.
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N^o 23.

Order — 8 October 1859 N^o 501.

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J.P.

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