

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No.	623	Press Mis.
Dated	10. 12. 1859.	

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
for the month of December 1859.*

No. 24. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Superintendent of Marine; to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 25th November 1859, No. 4659.

With reference to my letter of the 7th instant, No. 4484, and the Proceedings of Government thereon of the 12th, No. 576, I have the honor to inform you that on application to the Civil Auditor with a view of ascertaining whether there was any rule establishing a particular rate of allowance to Mr. Marjoribanks for supervising the Master Attendant's Department at Masulipatam during the absence of Mr. Maiden, that officer states that he cannot furnish the information, as no order authorizing the employment of Mr. Marjoribanks in that capacity has reached him, and refers me to Government.

2. I have therefore to explain that the Collector of Masulipatam has represented that he is unable to spare Mr. Marjoribanks entirely from his avocations as Head Accountant, but that as no arrangements had been made for the transaction of the Master Attendant's duties during his absence, he had been directed to supervise the office, which will not only entail on him extra work, but extra expense in keeping a conveyance to go frequently into the Fort.

3. Mr. Marjoribanks is therefore not officially acting Master Attendant, but merely in charge of the office; and as the salary attached to it is 200 Rupees a month, I would beg to recommend that an allowance of 50 Rupees a month be granted to him during the time he is so employed.

No. 25. ORDER THEREON, 10th December 1859, No. 623.

In paragraph 30 of His Excellency the Governor's Minute on his official tour of the Godavari and Kishna Deltas, dated in October last, it is recorded that the Master Attendant at Masulipatam was authorized to proceed with the Steamer "Thistle" for the examination, during the freshes, of the lower course of the Pennar.

2. In his letter, 7th November last, No. 4484, the Superintendent of Marine stated that the Collector of Masulipatam had appointed the Head Accountant on his establishment to supervise the Master Attendant's Department, during that officer's absence, and in his present letter, recommends that an allowance of (50) fifty Rupees be granted to Mr. Marjoribanks, while so employed.

3. His Excellency in Council is pleased to accede to this recommendation, under the special circumstances of the case.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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3. H. C. in Council is pleased to accede to this recommendation, under the special circumstances of the case.

The Supt. of Marine.
" Collector of Masulipatam.
" Civil Auditor with para 30.
" Accl. Genl. 5. p. the Minute.

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