

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Marine

DEPARTMENT.

G.O. No. <i>120</i>	Press Mis.
<i>34-35</i>	
Dated <i>20. 3.</i>	18 <i>60</i>

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
for the month of March 1860.*

No. 34. Read the following Proceedings of Government in the Public Department, dated
16th March 1860, No. 381.

*Communicating portions of the Minutes recorded
by the Honorable the President while on his
official tour in the South of India, between
the 5th January and the 6th March last.* (Vide Proceedings, Public Department, from
11th to 20th March 1860, Nos. 53 @ 56.)

No. 35. ORDER THEREON, 20th March 1860, No. 120.

Ordered that paragraph 7 of the Minute, dated 18th January last, be communicated to the
Superintendent of Marine for information.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS of the MADRAS GOVERNMENT.

Read again the following Minutes by the Honorable the President:—

No. 1, dated 18th January 1860, and recorded in Proceedings, 30th idem, No. 139.
 " 2, " 28th " " " " 2nd Feby. " 155.
 " 3, " 8th February " " " " 16th " " 221.
 " 4, " 23rd " " " " " 1st March " 301.
 and Minute by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, dated 7th February 1860, and recorded in Proceedings, 10th idem, No. 199.

Read also the following Minutes:—

By the Honorable the President in Council, dated 29th February and 6th March 1860, Nos. 5 and 6.

By His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, " 5th March 1860.

ORDER THEREON, 16th March 1860, No. 381.

In the above Minutes, the Honorable the President has recorded certain observations and suggestions, connected with his late official tour in the South of India between the 5th January and the 6th March last.

2. The Minute of the 18th January, relates to the districts of South Arcot and Tanjore. Paragraphs 1 @ 5 will accordingly be communicated to the Collector and Magistrate of the former district, and the rest of the Minute with the Appendices to the Collector and Magistrate of the latter district.

3. Paragraphs 4 and 12, in which the question of the formation of Municipal Associations in the towns of Cuddalore and Negapatam, is touched upon, will be communicated for information to the Board of Revenue. With the same view, paragraphs 4, 11 and 20 relative to Medical arrangements at those towns and at Combaconum will be communicated to the Director General, Medical Department—and paragraph 24, noticing the Educational Establishments at those places, to the Acting Director of Public Instruction, whose attention will be directed to the remarks therein contained, on the subject of exercising Native pupils 'in turning Tamil into English, and English into Tamil, *videlicet* as well as on paper.'

4. The remaining paragraphs of the Minute will be referred, to the several Departments shown below, for such Orders as may be required to be passed in those Departments.—

Military.—	Paragraphs 2, 25, and 26 with appendix C.
Public Works.—	" 3, 6 @ 9, 10, 11, and 16 @ 20.
Revenue.—	" 9, 10, 13, 16 @ 19, 22 and 23 with appendix A.
Judicial.—	" 9, 14 @ 17, 25 and 26.
Marine.—	" 7.
Financial Railway.—	" 6 @ 8.
Ecclesiastical.—	" 11.

5. The next Minute, that of the 28th January, refers chiefly to the Trichinopoly District. A copy of the entire Minute will be furnished to the Collector of that District, and copy of paragraphs 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 15 to the Collector of Tanjore for information. Paragraph 15 will also be communicated to the Director of Public Instruction, and paragraphs 11 and 12 to the Director General, Medical Department.

6. The portions of this Minute to be referred to other Departments for consideration, are given below:—

Public Works.—	paragraphs 4 @ 7, 10 and 11.
Revenue.—	" 1 @ 8.
Judicial.—	" 14.
Political.—	" 11.
Military.—	" 13 and 14.

A copy of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief's Minute, 7th February last, recorded in Proceedings 10th idem No. 199, will at the same time be furnished to the Military Department, together with copy of his Minute of the 5th instant.

7. The Minute of the 8th February, on the Madura District, will be communicated to the Collector and Magistrate. Paragraphs 31 and 32, describing the Talúq School, will be reported on by the Director of Public Instruction. The rest of the Minute will be referred for disposal to the Departments concerned.

Military.—	paragraphs 2, and 26 @ 30.
Public Works.—	" 4, 5, 8 @ 10, 21, and 26 @ 30.
Revenue.—	" 12 @ 21, and 33.
Judicial.—	" 2, 6, 7 and 8.
Political.—	" 11.
Financial Railway.—	" 22 @ 25.

8. The Minute, dated 23rd February, on the Neilgherry Hills, will be communicated to the Collector and Magistrate of Coimbatore for information. The suggestions in 27 for combining with a Public Library a large Reading Room in which Lectures might be given and public meetings held, and a room in which specimen of local antiquities and natural history might be deposited, as also for appropriating the Public Bungalow and site on which it stands as a site for the new building will be referred to the Committee of the Neilgherry Public Library for their report. Copies of paragraphs 16 and 26 will be furnished to the Director General, Medical Department. Parts of this Minute will be referred for consideration in other departments.

Military.—	paragraphs 5 @ 19, and 29.
Public Works.—	" 2 @ 7, and 18 @ 20.
Revenue.—	" 22 @ 24, and 30.
Judicial.—	" 20.
Ecclesiastical.—	" 25.

9. The circumstances of the Wynaad country are commented on in the Minute of the 29th February, which will accordingly be communicated to the Collector and Magistrate of Malabar. Paragraph 14 of the Minute will be communicated to the Ecclesiastical Department. The request made by the deputation from the Wynaad Coffee Planters for the establishment of a daily post to Mysore and Ootacamund will be referred for report to the Post Master General—that for the extension of the Telegraph from Calicut to Manantoddy will be referred to Sir William O'Shaughnessy. Portions of this Minute will be referred to other Departments for orders.

Public Works.—	paragraphs 2 @ 4, and 15.
Revenue.—	" 2 @ 12, and 15.
Judicial.—	" 12 and 13.

10. The last of the above Minutes relates to Coimbatore and Salem. Paragraphs 1 @ 5 and 13 @ 15, will be communicated to the Collector and Magistrate of Coimbatore. Paragraphs 6 to the end, to the Collector and Magistrate of Salem, and last three paragraphs to the Collectors of the other Districts visited by His Excellency in his late tour. Paragraph 7 will be communicated to the Board of Revenue and also to the Collector of Tanjore, in reference to the remark in the foot note attached to that paragraph. The paragraphs noted below will be referred for disposal to the respective Departments.

South Arcot.
Tanjore.
Trichinopoly.
Madura.

Public Works.—	paragraphs 1, 4, 5, 6 and 10.
Revenue.—	" 11 and 12.
Judicial.—	" 3, 6, 8 and 9.
Financial Railway.—	" 2.

(True Extract.)

T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

*To the Marine
Department.*

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Proceedings of the
Marine Board in the
Aut. Reptd. 19. 387

2/16th
2/17th March 1860.

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No. 106.

Communications for
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-ceived by the Marine
the President, while only
the official force in the
-bottle of water, between
the 5th January and
the 6th March last.

With an Order

List

No. 120 - 20 March 1860 -

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