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

No. 3. Read the following letter from R. P. HARRISON, Esq., Accountant General, to the Chief Secretary to Government, Marine Department, dated 28th March 1860, No. 502.

In the Order of Government in the Marine Department, No. 425, dated 20th October 1858, the expenses incurred on account of 8 Invalids of Her Majesty's Ship "Pelorus" sent to England per the "Earl of Hardwicke" are stated to amount to Rupees 2,157-2-11, which sum has been adjusted in the books of this office to the debit of "London." In the Order of Government in the same Department, No. 200, dated 17th May last, the amount recovered on this account from the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty is stated to be Rupees 2,157-2-0 or 11 Pies less than the actual expenditure. I have the honor to request that you will be good enough to inform me whether the omission of this amount in the last named Order is a misprint, if not, I beg to suggest that reference be made to the Secretary of State for India, for information in order that the exact amount may be recovered.

No. 4. ORDER THEREON, 11th April 1860, No. 152.

The Accountant General will be informed that there is no misprint in the Extract from the Despatch from the Secretary of State, communicated to him with paragraph 3 of the Order of the 17th May 1859, No. 200. It will be pointed out to him that the omission of the 11 Pice occurs only in the marginal abstract, and is no doubt a mistake. The amount, however, actually recovered, as stated in the body of the Despatch, is that of the expenses incurred—and these, as reported by this Government in their Despatch, 18th October, No. 31 of 1858, and its accompaniments, amounted to Rupees 2,157-2-11. The Accountant General may, therefore, safely adopt this sum in his accounts. Any reference home seems to be unnecessary.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

Order No. 152- 11th April 1860

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J.P.

The Acct. Genl. Sep. 13th