

MADRAS RECORD OFFICE.

Government of Madras.

Marine DEPARTMENT.

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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
2nd November 1860.*

No. 13. Read the following letter from Lieutenant Colonel W. F. MARRIOTT, Acting Secretary to Government, Bombay, to the Secretary to the Government of Fort Saint George, dated Poona, 15th October 1860, No. 830.

I am directed by the Hon'ble the Governor in Council to transmit the accompanying copy of a General Order which it has been found expedient to issue, in view to obviating the inconvenience and distress which has been occasioned by the system of stopping Family Remittances of Seamen, Stokers and others belonging to the Indian Navy on their being discharged to sick quarters at out-stations, and I am to request that the Government of Madras will be pleased to issue orders requiring Medical Officers of the Madras Presidency to comply with the provisions thereof.

MARINE DEPARTMENT,
Poona, 15th October 1860.

GENERAL ORDER, No. 165 of 1860.

Inconvenience and distress having been occasioned by the system of stopping Family Remittances of Seamen, Stokers and others belonging to the Indian Navy, on their being discharged to sick quarters at out-stations, the Governor in Council is pleased to order as follows:

On the discharge to sick quarters at an out-station of any person belonging to a Vessel of the Indian Navy on whose account a Family Remittance is paid in Bombay, such Remittance shall not be stopped, except at the request of the person remitting, or on his death, desertion or return to Bombay.

In every instance of a discharge as above described, the Purser or Clerk in charge is to be careful to note on the Pay Ticket which is sent with the person so discharged, the amount of his monthly remittance, so that in adjusting his Hospital Pay the amount remitted may be duly recovered. The Officer Commanding the Vessel will also arrange with the Medical Officer in charge of the Hospital that in case of the death or desertion of the man, immediate notice of the occurrence be given to the Senior Indian Naval Officer present, who should at once report it to the Commander-in-Chief. The Medical Officer in charge of the Hospital should also be requested in the event of no Senior Indian Naval Officer being present, to send the notice with the man's papers direct to the Commander in Chief Indian Navy, and to write on the back of the Pay Ticket any advances or other charges which may require to be adjusted.

Any loss to the State occurring by neglect of these rules, will be recovered from the pay of the Officer concerned if he be under the orders of the Government of Bombay.

(True Copy.)

(Signed) W. F. MARRIOTT, *Lieut.-Col.,*
Acting Secretary to Government.

No. 14. ORDER THEREON, 2nd November 1860, No. 392.

Communicated to the Superintendent of Marine, who will, in communication with the Principal Inspector General, Medical Department, report what arrangements may be adopted in this Presidency to give effect to the provisions of the above General Order of the Bombay Government.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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The Suptt. of Marine.

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