

*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
28th March 1861.*

No. 79. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Superintendent of Marine, to T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated 14th March 1861, No. 826.

Dated 12th March 1861, No. 68. With reference to Official Memo. marginally noted received this day, I have the honor to inform you that the increase in the Estimates for Marine charges at Out-ports is owing to the expected appointment of Marine Officers at the Ports in Ganjam and other Districts, and to a trifling increase in the wages of some of the subordinates, such as Light-keepers, Lascars, &c. The light at Bulicat will moreover be exhibited in 1861-62, at an estimated annual cost of (1,232) one thousand two hundred and thirty-two Rupees and the licensed Pilot at Cochin, now drawing his emoluments through Government, is set down at a cost of (2,025) two thousand and twenty-five Rupees. The greater portion of these charges will, however, be met out of the Port Funds.

Dated 16th June 1860, No. 1,000. 2. Under the Orders of Government marginally noted, I was directed to place myself in communication with Mr. Pelly regarding the revision of the Marine Establishments at Out-ports, and it is with reference to the suggestions I then submitted that the increase observed was inserted in my Budget Estimate.

3. The Accountant General before completing his general Budget, applied to me for similar information.

No. 80. ORDER THEREON, 28th March 1861, No. 121.

To be recorded.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

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From

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The Chief Secy. of the
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Dated 14th March 1861
Pro: 15th March 1861

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At: 826

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for 1860/61.

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