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*Proceedings of the Madras Government, Marine Department,
19th February 1862.*

No. 35. Read the following letter from J. J. FRANKLIN, Esq., Superintendent of Marine; to the Honorable T. PYCROFT, Chief Secretary to Government, Marine Department, Fort Saint George, dated 11th February 1862, No. 419.

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Referring to the Proceedings of Government noted in the margin, regarding the adjustment of the balance due by H. M.'s Imperial Government on account of advances made to Mr. Poingdestre for the purposes of the Great Basset Light House works, I have the honor to inform you that the Commissary General is still

unable to realize the sum disbursed by his Department.

2. The sum actually due to the Commissary General is Rupees 1,354-13-2, as acknowledged in Mr. Poingdestre's letter of the 20th June 1860, recorded in the first of the above cited Proceedings. From this the Ceylon Government deduct 114 Rupees for overpayments, made however through no fault of the Commissariat or the Engineer Department, and the amount credited to this Government is only Rupees 1,240-13-2. I would recommend that this sum be paid to the Commissary General and that he be authorized to write off the balance 114 Rupees as irrecoverable.

No. 36. ORDER THEREON, 19th February 1862, No. 45.

The amount Rupees 1,240-13-2, recovered from the Board of Trade, will be remitted or credited to the Commissary General to debit of the Ceylon Government.

2. The amount disallowed Rupees (114,) one hundred and fourteen, will be written off in the Commissariat Books.

(Signed) T. PYCROFT,
Chief Secretary.

No. 45- 19th February 1862-

The account Rs 1240.13.2 returned from the Board of Trade, will be re-mitted or credited to the Commission-ers, to debit of the Eastern India.

The account, disallowed Rs 114.0.0 hundred & fourteen will be written off in the Commission-ers' Books.

The Sub-Total of the Commission-ers' Books, Rs 1240.13.2

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With an Order of Rs 1240.13.2

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