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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Public Works Department, from 1st to 10th June 1859.

No. 217. Read the following letter from Colonel G. BALFOUR, Inspector General of Ordnance and Magazines; to J. D. BOURDILLON, Esq., Secretary to Government, dated 31st May 1859, No. 57.

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2. I hear that the "Panama" is not likely to leave this for some time to come, as she is taking in Commissariat and other Stores for Masulipatam and other ports on the Coast; but, out of the 230 tons which were to have gone in her, upwards of 100 tons have been put into the "Viscount Canning," which will leave this, in all probability, to-morrow; so that, in a week hence, upwards of 200 tons will have reached Cocanada, and as it is doubtful when the "Panama" may reach Cocanada, having to land Stores at Masulipatam, Government may think it proper not to wait for the Stores which are being sent on her.

No. 218. ORDER THEREON, 10th June 1859, No. 1435.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be recorded.

(Signed) J. D. BOURDILLON,
Secretary to Government.

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No. 57.

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Inspector Genl's Office,
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31st May 1859.

I have the honourable
Sir,
Your Most Obedt Servant,
G. Nasmyth Capt.
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To
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to Government
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No. 1435

Dated 31st } May 1859
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Fort St. George
10th June 59

Informs Government
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