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Government of Madras.

Revenue **DEPARTMENT.**

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Proceedings of the Madras Government, Revenue Department,
20th July 1861.

No. 287. Read the following Proceedings of the Madras Government in the Financial Department, dated 18th July 1861, No. 369 :—

Permitting the guard boat "Emily" to be used for conveying treasure, only from Tuticorin to Paumben with the Master Attendant at Tuticorin in command of her. (Vide Financial Proceedings, 18th July 1861, Nos. 42, 43.)

No. 288. ORDER THEREON, 20th July 1861, No. 1,448.

Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue, with reference to Proceedings dated 28th June 1861, No. 1,280.

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

T. PYCROFT, Esq., Chief Secretary to Government, Fort Saint George, dated [illegible]
July 1861, No. 1,945.

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of the Proceedings of Government, Revenue Department, of the 28th ultimo, No. 1,280, referred to me in the Financial Department under date the 3rd instant, No. 339, with the view of my stating whether the Pearl bank guard boat "Emily" is fit for the conveyance of treasure from Tinnevelly and Madura to Madras.

2. This vessel although small (35 tons) is reported to be a good sea boat, and would probably make the passage to and from Madras without accident; but I doubt whether it would be advisable to risk any large remittance in her; and most assuredly not unless an European or East Indian Commander is put in charge of her and a few Sepoys as a guard.

3. A Steamer is generally sent to Autinkarry or Paumben for the Madura and Tinnevelly treasure, and the latter has a long land journey to its place of shipment. The "Emily" might be well employed in conveying this from Tuticorin to Paumben where a Steamer could relieve her of it; but even in this short coasting voyage I would strongly recommend that the Master Attendant at Tuticorin should proceed in command.

ORDER THEREON, 18th July 1861, No. 369.

Ordered that the foregoing letter be communicated to the Revenue Department, the Collector of Tinnevelly, and the Accountant General.

2. The Government cannot permit the guard boat "Emily" to be used for the conveyance of treasure except to the extent suggested by the Superintendent of Marine in the last paragraph of his letter and on the condition that, if so used, the Master Attendant at Tuticorin should on every such occasion proceed in command of her.

(True Extract.)

Chief Secretary.

To the Revenue Department.
" Collector of Tinnevelly.
" Accountant General.
" Superintendent of Marine.

Exd. F. Cartledge.

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Pro: of Govt for July.
No 1734

Pro: Mr Fagin
the Fund Dept.
Date 18th July 1861
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Permitting the Guard Boat "Emily" to be used for Conveying treasure only from Patterson to Drumbeen with the Constabulary at Patterson in Charge of it.

No 1448.
Ordered to be communicated to the Board of Revenue with reference to Proceedings dated 29 June 1861 £1250-

Lost Letters:
24th July 1861

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Clerk to Mr Fagin to Draw Warrant for Pro: with Prior Fin: Dep: No 1362