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10th November 1862.*

No. 195. Read the following letter from Lieutenant-Colonel H. W. HITCHINS, Superintendent and Controller Pier Works, to Colonel W. I. BIRDWOOD, R. E., Secretary to Government, Public Works Department, dated Madras, 5th November 1862, No. 1,825 :—

SIR,

1. I have the honor to report that the passenger boat recently constructed by Mr. Davies of Madras, was dashed against the end of the Pier during the high surf that prevailed in the roadstead at the end of last week and was much damaged.

2. It has been lifted on to the end of the Pier without my knowledge and upon my applying to the Master Attendant for information, he stated that it was done without his permission.

3. The Government are aware that he has at his disposal the establishment marginally indicated, for attending to passengers, embarking and disembarking at the Pier as also for preserving order thereon, and I am of opinion that he will be in a better position than I am to explain under what circumstances his establishment has permitted this irregularity.

2 Boatwain.
4 Money takers.
1 Daffadar.
6 Peons.

No. 196. ORDER THEREON, 10th November 1862, No. 2,703.

Referred to the Pier Committee for report.

(Signed) W. I. BIRDWOOD, Colonel, R. E.,
Secretary to Government.

No 1825.

Post Dist. Engineers Office
Madras 5th November 1862.

From The Superintendent & Controller Pier Works

To The Secretary to Government D. P. W.

Sir
I have the honor to report that the passenger boat recently constructed by Mr. Davis of Madras was dashed against the end of the Pier during the high Surf that prevailed in the Roadstead at the end of last week & was much damaged.

It has been lifted on to the end of the Pier without my knowledge, and upon my inquiring to the Master Attendant for information, he stated that it was done without his permission.

2. Boatman
4. Money takers
1. Subadar
6. Boats.

3. The Government are aware that he has at his disposal the establishment marginally indicated for attending to Passengers embarking and dis-embarking at the Pier as also for preserving order thereon, & I am of opinion that he will be in a better position than I am to explain under what circumstances his establishment has permitted this irregularity.

I have the honor to be

Sir
Your most Obedt. Servt.

Wm Arthur S. Litchfield

Sub. Controller Pier Works

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